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Overseas Citizen Of India

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OCI-Registration

A foreign national, - (i) who was a citizen of India at the time of, or at any time after 26th January, 1950; or (ii) who was eligible to become a citizen of India on 26th January, 1950; or (iii) who belonged to a territory that became part of India after 15th August, 1947; or (iv) who is a child or a grandchild or a great grandchild of such a citizen; or (v) who is a minor child of such persons mentioned above; or (vi) who is a minor child and whose both parents are citizens of India or one of the parents is a citizen of India - is eligible for registration as OCI cardholder. Besides, spouse of foreign origin of a citizen of India or spouse of foreign origin of an Overseas Citizen of India Cardholder and whose marriage has been registered and subsisted for a continuous period of not less than two years immediately preceding the presentation of the application is also eligible for registration as OCI cardholder. However, no person, who or either of whose parents or grandparents or great grandparents is or had been a citizen of Pakistan, Bangladesh or such other country as the Central Government may, by notification in the Official Gazette, specify, shall be eligible for registration as an Overseas Citizen of India Cardholder.

Foreign nationals cannot apply for OCI in India while on Tourist Visa, Missionary Visa and Mountaineering Visa. Moreover, the foreigner has to be ordinarily resident of India to be eligible to apply for OCI registration in India.

Note: 'ordinarily resident' will mean a person staying in a particular country or in India for a continuous period of 6 months.

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Notice: In the backdrop of outbreak of COVID-19, no foreigners are allowed to visit the FRRQ

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Overseas Citizen Of India Cardholder

New OCI Registration

Before you start

- Check your eligibility before you start your registration.
- If you are already an OCI Card Holder, kindly use OCI Miscellaneous Services.
- If you are an PIO Card Holder, kindly register through OCI Registration (In Lieu Of Valid PIO-Card).
- If you are an PIO Card Holder and card is in lost state, kindly register through OCI Registration (In Lieu Of Lost PIO-Card).
- To reprint your already registered application, kindly use 'Re-Print Submitted Application' service.
- In case of urgent travel, applicants may apply for appropriate visa.

Prerequisites

After Registration

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Instructions For Filling Application Form

Applicants applying for OCI-Card, please read

1. Please fill the fields in BLOCK LETTERS.
2. A person who has not attained the age of 18 years is considered as minor. In case of minor who cannot sign, his/her left thumb impression may be placed in the signature box. Parents should not sign on the behalf of the children.
3. Signature/thumb impression should be confined to the prescribed box. In case of minor applicants, parents should NOT sign in the box.
4. Photograph to be affixed on the application should be a square shape of size not less than 51*51mm (with 80% coverage of face). It should have plain light color background (not white) without the border with front view of person's head and shoulders showing the full face in middle of the photograph. It should not be stapled and not have any signature.
5. Photographs that do not conform to these standards will be rejected and may cause a delay in processing the applications. Please see standards of acceptable photographs as Photo link.
6. If there are any objections while processing the applications, the same will be displayed on the Online Status Enquiry. Please follow the instructions and send requisite documents to the Indian Mission/ Office where you have applied quoting the File (or Acknowledgment) Number.
7. AFTER successful registration, copy of Part A and Part B with an online registration number will be printed. Application form on Parts A and B, complete in all respects, along with all relevant enclosures may be submitted to the appropriate office.
8. Enclosures to be attached with the application:
 1. In case of applications for registration as Overseas Citizen of India Cardholder in lieu of PIO card, only copies of the following documents to be attached:-
 1. Valid passport of the applicant
 2. Valid DIN card of the applicant.

I have read the instructions

Accept

Please read the instructions and press Accept

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Select One Of The Following Options As Per Your Requirement

Fresh Application

Complete Partly Filed Application

Please Click here to start Fresh Application

Back To Main Menu

Please click "Fresh Application"

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Overseas Citizenship Of India Services

OCI-Registration is an online process. Eligibles are supposed to register through the appropriate link given. Only after complete successful registration, an applicant will be considered as an OCI-Card Applicant.

Status for successful Registration

1. Start registration from Part-A, then upload image and signature; and finally complete Part-B.
2. Documents supporting your application have to be uploaded in PDF format at the end of Part-B.
3. After completing application, hard copy has to be submitted to the selected mission's office.

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Enter

* Fill Captcha to Proceed

Please type in the number and alphabet and press Enter



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OCI Registration Form

Place of submission * CANADA
 Mission * OTTAWA

Please choose Canada and Mission Ottawa

Applicant's Information

Surname ABCABC
 Given Name * ASCABC
 Have you ever changed your name? If yes, click the box and give details.
 Sex * Select Gender
 Date Of Birth *
 Country Of Birth * Select Country
 Place Of Birth *
 Current Nationality * Select Country
 National Identification Number
 Visible Mark *

As per current Canadian / Foreign Passport

Applicant's Passport Details

Passport Number *
 Date of Issue *
 Date Of Expiry *
 Place Of Issue *
 Previous Passport Number

As per current Canadian / Foreign Passport

Applicant's Family Details

Father's Name *
 Father's Nationality * Select Country
 Father's Profession * Select Profession
 Mother's Name *
 Mother's Nationality * Select Country
 Mother's Profession * Select Profession
 Relation With the Root Indian * Select Relation

Press on Save and Continue

Exit Save & Continue



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OCI Registration Form (Page-II)

Please note down temporary application id

Temporary Application ID: 29795-695371892

Applicant's Address Details

Present Address *
 18 SPRINGFIELD RD
 OTTAWA
 ONTARIO, CANADA
 Zip code / Pin code / Area code * K1M1C9
 Mobile No. * 6137463761
 Telephone No. * 43.67463761
 Email * hcconsul@mericos.ottawa@gmail.com

Please fill in the required information

Please click on Next

Exit Save and Exit Next



Verify Information

Temporary Application ID
210105401371002

Please verify information provided by you. Submission of this form will never allow you to change your information for this application. If you need to change the information provided, click on Modify button provided below.

Applicant Information

Country Selected	CANADA
Mission Selected	OTTAWA
Surname	ABCABC
Given Name	ABCABC
Previous Name	Never Changed
Sex	MALE
Date Of Birth	01/JAN/2020
Country Of Birth	INDIA
Birth(State)	DELHI
Place Of Birth	DELHI
Current Nationality	CANADA
National Identification Number	
Visible Mark	NONE

Please carefully verify your information

Family Information

Father's Name	ABCABC
Father's Nationality	INDIA
Father's Profession	GOVT SERVICE
Mother's Name	ABCABC
Mother's Nationality	INDIA
Mother's Profession	GOVT SERVICE

Please carefully verify your information

Passport Information

Passport Number	AB123456
Date Of Issue	10/JAN/2020
Date Of Expiry	10/JAN/2030
Place Of Issue	OTTAWA
Previous Passport Number	

Residential Address Details

Present Address	10 SPRINGFIELD RD OTTAWA ONTARIO, CANADA
Mobile No	6137443751
Telephone No	6137443751
Email	hciconsulanservice.ottawa@gmail.com

Please click on Modify if any information is incorrect . Otherwise press on Submit

Modify

Submit



OCI Image Upload

Temporary Application ID
2105549127052

Your File Reference Number is
CANO00032N21

Till now you have successfully registered Part-A. After uploading image and signature, you will be redirected to fill the Part B to complete the registration.

Kindly ensure following points before uploading photo

- Applicant's Image and Applicant's Signature Image should be of jpeg or jpg format.
- Applicant's Image and Applicant's Signature Image size should not be larger than 500KB.
- Applicant's Images must be square: i.e. aspect ratio must be 1:1
- Applicant's Signature Images should have aspect ratio (height/width) must be 1:3
- If you don't want to upload photograph, You can click the "Exit Now" button below.

Yes I am ready with the image

Exit Now

Click here to proceed Photo and Signature as per requirement

Click here to upload Picture, if necessary do cropping accordingly

Click here to upload Signature, if necessary do cropping accordingly

Any error or remarks after selecting file will be displayed

If your photo and signature are accepted you can press upload to submit



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OCI Image Upload

Temporary Application ID
218165641371892

Your File Reference Number is
CANO0032N21

Till now you have successfully registered Part-A, and also have uploaded Applicant's Image & Signature. Please select one of the option given to proceed.



The photo and signature uploaded will be shown here

If you want to upload again

I want to upload again

If you dont want to upload again

I have uploaded successfully

Click on "uploaded successfully" or to do it again click on "upload again"



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OCI-Registration Confirmation

Temporary Application ID
218165641371892

Your File Reference Number is
CANO0032N21

Till now you have successfully registered Part-A, and have also uploaded Applicant's Image & Signature.

Applicant Name
ABCABC ABCABC

File Reference Number
CANO0032N21

Please note the File Reference Number

Proceed To Part-B

Exit

Click to Proceed to Part-B

OCI Registration Part-B

Other Details of Applicant

Security File Number
20184817180

Ownership Details

Have you been a member of your family's registered for Overseas Citizen of India registration earlier? Yes No
 * YES, give details

Have you introduced/get your previous Overseas Citizen of India card cancelled? Yes No
 * YES, Please mention number and date of total of previous Overseas Citizen of India card

Whether holding dual nationality? Yes No
 * YES, mention country and passport details.

Have you sought asylum/political or otherwise in any country before applying for citizenship? Yes No
 * YES, please give full particulars/details.

Whether the applicant had ever been a citizen of Pakistan or Bangladesh at any time? Yes No
 * YES, give specific details.

Have you ever been controlled by (or on behalf of) any country? Yes No
 * YES, please give full particulars / details.

Have you ever been without entry / admitted by any country including India? Yes No
 * YES, please give full particulars / details.

Have you been associated with any organization / Government or non-Government / Political party / Group / Society or of any other nature? Yes No

Please read and select applicable answers

Have you ever been engaged in business /offering / any kind of work / retail store / other regular services / Overseas offices / Frequent travel? Yes No
 * YES, please give full particulars / details.

Have you ever been engaged in cyber crime / terrorist activities / espionage / genocide / political killing / sale of arms of weapons? Yes No
 * YES, please give full particulars / details.

Have you ever, for any reason or otherwise, expressed views that justify or glorify terrorist activities or that may encourage others to commit acts of violence? Yes No
 * YES, please give full particulars / details.

Whether either of parents or grandparents or great grandparents of applicant had ever been citizen of Pakistan or Bangladesh at any time? Yes No
 * YES, give specific details.

Whether the applicant either has been / is still holding / has worked / is working in / linked to / has worked with / has worked for any of the following organizations? Yes No
 * YES, give specific details.

Have your religious / community affairs / activities / membership / training in your native country? Yes No
 * YES, period of / compulsory / religious / activities.

Are you still serving in armed / police force beyond compulsory training period prescribed by law in the country that applicable to a citizen of India? Yes No

Whether applicant is:

Currently under any investigation? Yes No
 * YES, please give details.

Wanted by government? Yes No
 * YES, please give details.

Facing charges for any offence in any country? Yes No
 * YES, please give details.

Present Nationality Details

Other Details

Submit



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Whether applicant is-

Currently under any investigation? *

Yes No

If YES, please give details:

Wanted for questioning? *

Yes No

If YES, please give details:

Facing charges for any offence in any country? *

Yes No

If YES, please give details:

Please copy the date and method from Citizenship Certificate

Present Nationality Details

Applicant Name	Present Nationality	Acquisition Method	Date
ABCABC ABCABC	CANADA	NATURALIZATION	01/JAN/2021

Please Select your previous nationality

Other Details

Previous Nationality of Applicant (If Any)

ABCABC ABCABC Renounced Passport No. A123456

Do you have relatives staying in India?

Yes No

Has any of the applicant faced criminal proceeding?

Yes No

Please select the applicable answers

Submit

Click on Submit to go to next page



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YOU HAVE BEEN SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED BOTH PART -A & PART -B OF ONLINE OCI REGISTRATION FOR THE FOLLOWING APPLICANT.
YOU ARE REQUESTED TO UPLOAD APPROPRIATE DOCUMENTS. OTHERWISE YOUR APPLICATION WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

Applicant Name
ABCABC ABCABC

Web File-Number
CAN000032N21

Start uploading the documents by clicking here

To upload supporting documents (Mandatory)

Upload Documents

To Exit

Exit



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Online OCI Document Upload

Welcome to Document-Upload Section of Online OCI- Registration

Applicant Name
ABCABC ABCABC

Web File-Number
CAN000032N21

Document Upload

CURRENT PASSPORT

Uploaded

Re-Upload

Select a Document Type to upload

Select Document

UPLOADING OF CURRENT PASSPORT FOR ABC

- Select Document
- EMPLOYMENT/ WORK LETTER
- INDIAN ORIGIN PROOF
- INDIAN VISA
- MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE
- PID CARD
- RELATIONSHIP CERTIFICATE
- SPOUSE OCI CARD

Choose from the drop down to select the document and attach relevant document and upload

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Welcome to Document-Upload Section of Online OCI- Registration

Applicant Name ABCABC ABCABC	Web File-Number CAN000032N21
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Document Upload

CURRENT PASSPORT Uploaded [Re-Upload](#)

Select a Document Type to upload [Upload](#)

UPLOADING OF CURRENT PASSPORT FOR ABCABC ABCABC HAS SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED

To generate filled Registration Form [Generate Registration Form](#)

After completing the online OCI registration, you will have to submit printout of your application form along with the required supporting documents to Indian Mission/Post/FRRO of your jurisdiction for further processing.

Uploaded files will be shown here

Generate your form and take printout

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Welcome to Document-Upload Section of Online OCI- Registration

Applicant Name ABCABC ABCABC	Web File-Number CAN000032N21
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Document Upload

CURRENT PASSPORT Re-Upload [Upload](#)

Select a Document Type to upload [Upload](#)

UPLOADING OF CURRENT PASSPORT FOR ABCABC ABCABC HAS SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED

Thanks For Submission [Exit](#)

After completing the online OCI registration, you will have to submit printout of your application form along with the required supporting documents to Indian Mission/Post/FRRO of your jurisdiction for further processing.

Opening CAN000032N21.pdf

You have chosen to open:

CAN000032N21.pdf
which is: Adobe Acrobat Document
from: http://oci.services.gov.in

What should Firefox do with this file?

Open with Adobe Acrobat Reader DC (default)
 Save File
 Do this automatically for files like this from now on.

OK Cancel

For any assistance send email at : helpdesk-oci@gov.in