

Apply for Emigration Check Not Required [ECNR] stamp

Emigration Check Not Required [ECNR] stamp is not required for visiting Bangladesh, Pakistan and all countries in Europe (except the Commonwealth of Independent States) and North America. Protector of Emigrants can grant emigration clearance to certain categories of skilled/semi-skilled workers for a period of six months if application is made through authorised recruiting agent and there is a valid employment visa. In case, the person concerned is leaving the country for non-employment purposes, he can obtain suspension from emigration clearance for specified country and for the specified period from Protector of Emigrants. The following persons are entitled to get the ECNR stamp on their passports:-

- Gazetted State / Central Government servants.
- Income Tax Payees (Proof of Assessment to Income Tax and actual payment of Income Tax for last 3 years in a row).
- Persons holding professional degrees.
- Persons with 10+2 Qualification from a recognized central / state board or possessing higher degree from recognized central / state university.
- Persons staying abroad more than 3 years (either at stretch or broken).
- Persons holding official / diplomatic passports.
- Persons holding permanent immigration visas such as the visas of USA, UK and Australia.
- Persons possessing two years' diploma from any institute recognized by the National Council for Vocational Training (NCVT) or State Council of Vocational Training (SCVT) or Persons holding 3 years Diploma / Equivalent degree from institutions like Polytechnics recognized by central / state governments.
- Nurses possessing qualification recognized under the Indian Nursing Council Act 1947.
- Persons over 50 Years of age.
- Seamen in possession of CDC (Continuous Discharge Certificate) or Sea Cadets.
- Deck Cadets who have passed 3 years B. Sc. (Nautical Sciences) at T.S. Chanakya, Mumbai and who have undergone 3 months pre-sea training at any government approved training institute.
- Dependent children of parents whose passports are classified as ECNR. (In such cases of such ECNR may be valid until they attain 24 years of age).

If you are satisfying any of the above, you are entitled for ECNR stamp on your passport ([Download Form](#)).

Please fill in the form no.2 neatly and correctly in block letters with **expanded initials** as mentioned in your passport. Kindly attach the following documents with the application form.

1. Attested 2 photocopies of any of the proofs mentioned above. (Also carry the original along with you.)
2. Original passport booklet.
3. 2 photocopies of the first 4 and last 4 pages of the passport.
4. Fees
5. For detail information please refer passport information booklet attached with the passport application form.

Revised Fee (Effective From 1st April 2002)

The following is the fee amount to be paid alongwith the application form either in Cash or Demand Draft in favour of Regional Passport Officer, Mumbai payable at Mumbai for RPO Mumbai , in favour of Passport officer,Pune payable at Pune for PO Pune and in favour of Passport Officer, Thane payable at service branch, Mumbai.

- ? Fresh Passport/ Re-issue of Passport
- ? New Passport in lieu of Lost / Damage Passport
- ? Miscellaneous Services
- ? Tatkaal Services

Fresh Passport/ Re-issue of Passport

Type of Service	Validity	Fee (Rs)
Fresh Passport (36 Pages)	10 years	1000
Fresh Passport for Minor (Below 18 Years)	05 Years	600

New Passport in lieu of Lost / Damage Passport

Type of Service	Fees (Rs.)
Re-issue of New Passport Booklet in lieu of Lost Passport	2500
Re-issue of New Passport Booklet in lieu of Damaged Passport	2500

Note:- Additional Fee Amount shown in brackets to be paid if you want to convert your application form from ordinary to Tatkaal in case you have already applied for passport.

Miscellaneous Services

Type of Service	Fees (Rs.)
Additional Passport Booklet (36 Pages)	1000
Change in Photograph / Signature/ Name/ Surname/ Date of Birth/ Place of Birth	1000
Maiden to Married Name/ Addition or deletion of Spouse name	1000
Police Clearance Certificate (PCC)	300
Emigration Check Not Required (ECNR)	300
Change of Address (Endorsement in Existing Passport)	300
Deletion of Child's Name	300
Any other Miscellaneous Service on ordinary passport	300

Tatkaal Services

Type of Service	Fees (Rs.)
Fresh Passport under Tatkaal Service within 10 days of the date of submission.	1000+(1500)=2500
Fresh Passport under Tatkaal Service within 11 to 20 days of the date of submission.	1000+(1000)=2000
Re-issue of New Booklet in lieu of Lost/ Damaged Passport under Tatkaal Service within 10 days of the date of submission.	2500+(2500)=5000
Re-issue of New Booklet in lieu of Lost /Damaged Passport under Tatkaal Service from 11- 20 days of the date of submission.	2500+(1500)=4000
Re-issue of New Booklet in lieu of Expired Passport under Tatkaal Service within 5 days of the date of submission.	1000+(1500)=2500