

LIST OF DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR A SECTION 11(6) VISA

- Proof of kinship;
- Marriage Certificate **or** Proof of long term relationship - minimum 2 years – by means of: Certificate issued by the Department of Home Affairs, birth certificates (children born out of wedlock) / joint IRS declaration / lease agreement / deed of sale of joint property.
- The financial assurance contemplated in section 18(1) of the Act shall be an amount, per person and per month, as determined from time to time by the Minister by notice in the *Gazette*, to be proven by means of a current salary advice or a certified bank statement not older than three months at the time of application. Does not apply to spouses or children of SA citizens or Permanent Residents.
The current amount determined by the Minister is **R8 500.00**.
- Written Undertaking by SA/Permanent Resident Relative, signed before the SA Police Service, taking full responsibility: accommodation, medical expenses and repatriation, should it become necessary.
- Offer of employment: Detailed offer of employment stating job category, place of work, remuneration, duration of contract – duly signed and stamped by the company; certified copy of the SA ID of the person signing the letter; and CIPC registration to confirm both the company and the authority of the person signing the offer of employment.
- Certified copy of SA ID

DURATION AND PERIOD OF APPROVAL

A relative's visa may be issued for a maximum period of three years at a time.

Important notes:

Incomplete applications are not accepted.

All application forms must be fully filled in with a black ink pen, and legible handwriting.

All details provided by the applicant should be in accordance with the documents produced (e.g. name and surname in accordance with passport details).

Applicants must apply for the visas in person at the South African Embassy in Lisbon, and sign the application forms in the presence of an Embassy Official.

All documents in a foreign language must be translated to English.

A Photo booth is available at the Embassy for international standard photographs. (4xphotos=5euros)

All documents and letters or work contracts must be duly signed and stamped