Form for Partners Supporting Partnership-Based Temporary Entry Applications

Supporting information for a ‘partnership-based temporary entry application’

About this form

‘Partnership-based temporary entry applications’ are applications made under the following instructions:

• Partners of New Zealand citizens or residence class visa holders
• Partners of holders of work or student visas
• Entry to New Zealand for the purpose of a culturally arranged marriage.

The person applying for a temporary visa must complete the form Application for a Partnership-Based Temporary Entry Visa (INZ 1198).

Requirements for partners/intended partners

More information about the requirements you must meet as the partner or intended partner of a person applying for a temporary visa can be found in the Guide for Partnership-Based Temporary Entry Applications (INZ 1199).

Immigration Advisers Licensing Act 2007

Under the Immigration Advisers Licensing Act 2007 it is an offence to provide immigration advice without being licensed or exempt. If your immigration adviser is not licensed when they should be, Immigration New Zealand will return your application.

For more information and to view the register of licensed advisers, go to the Immigration Advisers Authority website www.iaa.govt.nz, or email info@iaa.govt.nz.

Lawyers provide immigration advice and are exempt from licensing under the Immigration Advisers Licensing Act. For more information and to view the register of immigration lawyers, go to the New Zealand Law Society website www.lawsociety.org.nz.

When filling in this form, please write clearly in English using CAPITAL LETTERS.

What do you have to do?

• New Zealand citizens or residence class visa holders must complete sections A to C of the form. Only complete Section D: Culturally arranged marriage requirements if it applies to you.
• Applicants for, or holders of, student or work visas must complete sections A and B of the form.
• All applicants must complete Section E: Declaration by person supporting an applicant under partnership-based temporary entry applications.

When you have completed the form, give the form with your evidence/attachment to your partner/intended partner so that they can include it with their application.

About the information you provide

The information about you on this form is collected to determine your eligibility to support your partner/intended partner’s temporary entry application.

The main recipient of the information is Immigration New Zealand, a service of the Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment, but it may also be shared with other government agencies, which are entitled to the information under applicable legislation, or with your partner/intended partner (if you have consented at B11).

Collection of this information is authorised by the Immigration Act 2009 and the Immigration Regulations made under that Act. You do not have to provide the information, but if you do not then your partner/intended partner’s application may be declined.

Any person has the right to access the information about them held by Immigration New Zealand and to ask for any of it to be corrected if they think that is necessary. The address of Immigration New Zealand is PO Box 1473, Wellington, New Zealand. This is not where this form should be sent.

Completing this form does not mean that your partner/intended partner’s temporary entry application will be approved. Applicants for temporary entry visas must meet all of the requirements of the instructions they are applying under before they will be granted a visa to be in New Zealand. For full details of the requirements you must meet and your partner/intended partner must meet, see our website www.immigration.govt.nz.
Section A  Principal applicant’s details

‘Principal applicant’ means the partner/intended partner whose temporary entry application you are supporting.

A1 Principal applicant’s name as shown in passport
Family/last name
Given/first name(s)

A2 Gender  □ Male  □ Female

A3 Date of birth

Section B  Your details

These are the details of the person who is supporting the applicant’s temporary entry application.

B1 Name as shown in passport
Family/last name
Given/first name(s)

B2 Other names you are known by or have ever been known by

B3 Gender  □ Male  □ Female

B4 Date of birth

B5 Town/city of birth
Country of birth

B6 Country (or countries) of citizenship

B7 Your residential address and contact details
Address
Telephone (daytime)
Telephone (evening)
Fax
Email

B8 To support a partner/intended partner you must be one of the following. Tick one of the options below:

☐ I am a New Zealand citizen.
☐ I am the holder of a current New Zealand residence class visa.
☐ I am an Australian citizen and the holder of a current New Zealand residence class visa.
☐ I either hold or am applying for a New Zealand work visa.
☐ I either hold or am applying for a New Zealand student visa.

You must provide either your original passport or a certified copy of the personal details page of your passport. If you are a New Zealand citizen and you do not have a passport, you may provide an original or certified copy of your New Zealand citizenship certificate or birth certificate instead.

B9 Are you currently living in New Zealand?  □ Yes  □ No
B10 Have you been convicted at any time of any offence involving domestic violence or of a sexual nature in any country including New Zealand?

You don't need to tell us about any previous convictions received in New Zealand that can be concealed under the Criminal Records (Clean Slate) Act 2004.

If you are eligible under the clean slate scheme you can answer 'No' to any question about your criminal record. If you are uncertain whether you are able to conceal your criminal record please contact the Ministry of Justice.

☐ Yes  Provide details below including date, country and nature of offence(s)  ☐ No

We will advise you if we need you to submit police certificates.

B11 Do you consent to Immigration New Zealand providing information about you to your partner/intended partner (the principal applicant), if deemed necessary for the assessment of their application?

☐ Yes  ☐ No

Section C  Eligible sponsor requirements under our Residence – Partnership instructions

All partners/intended partners who are New Zealand citizens or residence class visa holders must complete this section.

C1 Have you previously supported or sponsored a successful principal applicant under our Residence – Partnership instructions or ‘partnership-based temporary entry instructions’, or did you include a secondary applicant partner in your residence application who was granted residence?

☐ Yes  Provide details in the following table of all applicants you have previously supported or included in your residence application.  Continue on a separate sheet of paper if necessary.

☐ No

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C2 Were you a principal applicant under Residence – Partnership instructions or granted residence as the secondary applicant partner under another residence category?

☐ Yes

☐ No

C3 Have at least five years passed since:

• you supported or sponsored a principal applicant under Residence – Partnership instructions, or
• you were granted residence as a principal applicant under Residence – Partnership instructions, or
• you were granted residence under any other category, if you included a partner in that application, or
• you were granted residence as the secondary applicant partner under any other category?

☐ Yes  ☐ No  ☐ Not applicable

Go to Section D: Culturally arranged marriage requirements if your intended partner is applying for a visitor visa under our culturally arranged marriage instructions. If not, go to Section E: Declaration by person supporting an applicant under partnership-based temporary entry applications.
Section D  Culturally arranged marriage requirements

Complete this section if your intended partner is applying for a visitor visa under our culturally arranged marriage instructions.

D1  Do you intend to marry your intended partner within three months of their arrival in New Zealand?
   ☐ Yes  ☐ No

D2  Is there any legal impediment to the intended marriage? A ‘legal impediment’ includes you or your intended partner already being married to another person, or being close relatives.
   ☐ Yes  ☐ No

D3  Have you met your intended partner?
   ☐ Yes  ☐ No

Section E  Declaration by person supporting an applicant under partnership-based temporary entry applications

I declare that the information supplied on this form and in the accompanying documents is true and correct.

I authorise INZ to make any enquiries it deems necessary regarding the information provided on this form and to share information about me with other government agencies to the extent necessary to make decisions about my eligibility to support my partner. I also consent to any organisation providing relevant information to INZ about me.

I understand that it is an offence under the Immigration Act 2009 to provide false or misleading information, and that if I do so, the application I am supporting will not be approved.

Signature of person supporting a partnership-based temporary visa application.

Signature:

Date:

Section F  Immigration adviser’s details

This section must be completed by the New Zealand partner’s immigration adviser. If the New Zealand partner does not have an immigration adviser, this section does not have to be completed.

F1  If you are a licensed adviser, please provide your licence details.

   Licence type  ☐ full  ☐ provisional  ☐ limited  List conditions specified in the register:

   Licence number:

   Go to Section G: Declaration by person assisting the New Zealand partner.

F2  If you are exempt from licensing, tick one box below to show why you are exempt from licensing then go to Section G: Declaration by person assisting the New Zealand partner.

   ☐ I provided immigration advice in an informal or family context only, and I did not provide the advice systematically or for a fee.
   ☐ I provided immigration advice offshore in relation to applications or potential applications for student visas only.
   ☐ I have provided immigration advice in the course my work (employed or volunteer) and that work exempts me from the requirement to be licensed. Indicate the reason for your exemption below.
       ☐ Lawyer with current New Zealand practicing certificate  ☐ Community Law Centre  ☐ Citizens Advice Bureau
       ☐ New Zealand Member of Parliament or staff  ☐ New Zealand public servant  ☐ Foreign Diplomatic/Consular

See www.immigration.govt.nz/adviserlicensing for more information about who is exempt from licensing.
Section G  Declaration by person assisting the New Zealand partner

This section must be completed and signed by the New Zealand partner’s immigration adviser, or by any person who has assisted the New Zealand partner by providing immigration advice, explaining, translating, or filling in the form for the New Zealand partner. If the New Zealand partner does not have an immigration adviser, and no one helped the New Zealand partner to fill in this form, this section does not have to be completed.

If you are not exempt under the Immigration Advisers Licensing Act 2007, it is an offence for you to provide immigration advice without holding a license, and Immigration New Zealand will refuse to accept your client’s application. More information about immigration adviser licensing can be obtained from the Immigration Advisers Authority website www.iaa.govt.nz, via email info@iaa.govt.nz or by telephone on 0508 422 422.

Name and address of person assisting New Zealand partner. □ Same as address given at □ or □ as below.

Family/last name

Given/first name(s)

Company name (if applicable) and address

New Zealand Business Number (if applicable) For help search: www.nzbn.govt.nz

Telephone (daytime) Telephone (evening)

Fax Email

I understand that after the New Zealand partner has signed this form it is an offence for me to change or add further information, or change or add any documents attached to the form, without making a statement identifying what information or material has been changed, added or attached and by whom. If I make these changes or additions, I must state on the form what they were, who made them and the reason they were made.

I understand that the maximum penalty for this offence is a fine of up to NZ$100,000 and/or a term of imprisonment of up to seven years.

I certify that the New Zealand partner asked me to help them complete this form and any additional forms. I certify that the New Zealand partner agreed that the information provided was correct before signing the declaration.

☐ I have assisted the New Zealand partner as an interpreter/translator.
☐ I have assisted the New Zealand partner with recording information on the form.
☐ I have assisted the New Zealand partner in another way. Specify

☐ I have provided immigration advice (as defined in the Immigration Advisers Licensing Act 2007) and my details in Section F: Immigration adviser’s details are correct.

Signature of person assisting Date