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SCHEDULE Fees for Applications

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Made

9th June, 2025

Coming into operation

16th June, 2025

THE COMMITTEE FOR HOME AFFAIRS, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by sections 67A, 67B and 67C of the Immigration Act 2014^a as extended to the Bailiwick by the Immigration (Guernsey) Order 2016^b and section 33(1) of the Immigration Act 1971^c as extended to the Bailiwick by the Immigration (Guernsey) Order 1993^d, hereby makes the following Order:-

^a An Act of Parliament, 2014 c.22.

^b UK S.I. 2016 No. 996 registered on the records of the Island on the 14th November, 2016.

^c An Act of Parliament, 1971, c. 77

^d UK S.I. 1993 No. 1796 registered on the records of the Island on 24th August, 1993 and published in Ordres en Conseil Vol. XXXIV, p. 491; this enactment has been amended.

Fees in respect of immigration-related applications.

1. (1) The Schedule prescribes the fee for the consideration and determination of an application for the following -

- (a) a work permit,
- (b) leave to remain in the Bailiwick for a limited or indefinite period, other than Appendix EU leave or Appendix Ukraine Scheme leave,
- (c) variation of leave to remain in the Bailiwick, other than variation of Appendix EU leave or of Appendix Ukraine Scheme leave.

(2) The person who makes the application must pay to the States of Guernsey (through the Committee) the fee prescribed in the Schedule for the application.

(3) If the fee prescribed for the application is not paid, the decision-maker must not consider or determine the application.

(4) This article is subject to articles 2, 3 and 4.

(5) For the avoidance of doubt, no fee is payable under this Order for the consideration or determination of an application for -

- (a) Appendix EU leave,
- (b) Appendix Ukraine Scheme leave, or

- (c) entry clearance for entry to the Bailiwick (for which a fee is payable under legislation in force in the United Kingdom).

Exemptions.

2. Each of these applications is exempt from the fee that would otherwise be payable for the application under article 1 -

- (a) an application for leave to remain in the Bailiwick (for a limited or indefinite period) made by a person who -
 - (i) has been granted limited leave to enter or remain in the Bailiwick outside the provision of the Immigration Rules following the rejection of their claim for asylum, or the dependent of any such person, or
 - (ii) is under the age of 18 and, in the Committee's view, is being provided with financial, or similar, assistance from the States of Guernsey,
- (b) an application for leave to remain in the Bailiwick for an indefinite period made by a person who is a victim of domestic violence,
- (c) an application for variation of leave to remain in the Bailiwick for a period of six months made to an immigration officer on the applicant's arrival at a port of entry in the Bailiwick.

Committee may waive or reduce fee in exceptional circumstances.

3. The Committee may waive or reduce any fee payable for an application under article 1 where the Committee considers -

- (a) that to do otherwise would be incompatible with the Convention rights (within the meaning of section 1 of the Human Rights (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Law, 2000^e),
or
- (b) that it is appropriate to do so due to –
 - (i) exceptional circumstances beyond the control of the applicant, or
 - (ii) compelling practical or compassionate reasons.

Committee may refund fee or part of fee in exceptional circumstances.

4. The Committee may refund any fee, or any part of a fee, paid under this Order, where the Committee considers –

- (a) that to do otherwise would be incompatible with the Convention rights (within the meaning of section 1 of the Human Rights (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Law, 2000),
or
- (b) that it is appropriate to do so due to –

^e Ordres en Conseil Vol. XL, p. 396; this enactment has been amended.

- (i) exceptional circumstances beyond the control of the applicant, or
- (ii) compelling practical or compassionate reasons.

Interpretation.

5. In this Order, unless the context requires otherwise -

"**the 1971 Act**" means the Immigration Act 1971 as extended to the Bailiwick by the Immigration (Guernsey) Order, 1993,

"**Appendix EU leave**" means limited or indefinite leave to enter or remain granted by virtue of Appendix EU to the Immigration Rules, as inserted by the Immigration (Bailiwick of Guernsey) (Amendment) Rules, 2019^f,

"**Appendix Ukraine Scheme leave**" means leave to enter or remain granted under Appendix Ukraine Scheme to the Immigration Rules,

"**the Bailiwick**" means the Bailiwick of Guernsey,

"**claim for asylum**" means a claim that it would be contrary to the United Kingdom's obligations in respect of the Bailiwick of Guernsey under -

- (a) the United Nations Convention relating to the Status of Refugees and its Protocol, or
- (b) Article 3 of the Human Rights Convention,

^f G.S.I. No. 17 of 2019.

for the claimant to be removed from, or required to leave, the Bailiwick of Guernsey,

"the Committee" means the Committee for Home Affairs,

"the decision-maker", in relation to an application specified in article 1(1), means the Lieutenant Governor, the Committee, an immigration officer or any other person carrying out the function of considering and determining applications of that kind,

"dependant", in relation to any person, means -

- (a) a spouse of the person, or
- (b) a child under the age of eighteen years of that person or that person's spouse,

"Employment Permit Policy" means the Employment Permit Policy issued by the Committee on 20th March 2023 (Policy Reference C-EPP-1),

"the Human Rights Convention" means the Convention for the Protection of Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms, agreed by the Council of Europe at Rome on the 4th November, 1950 as it has effect for the time being in relation to the Bailiwick,

"the Immigration Rules" means the Immigration (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Rules, 2008^g,

^g G.S.I. No. 26 of 2008; this enactment has been amended.

"**leave to enter**" or "**leave to remain in the Bailiwick**" means leave of that kind under the provisions of the 1971 Act or the Immigration Rules,

"**spouse**" includes an unmarried partner,

"**unmarried partner**" has the meaning given in paragraph 6 of the Immigration Rules,

"**variation of leave to remain in the Bailiwick**" means such a variation to leave of that kind under the provisions of the 1971 Act or the Immigration Rules, and

"**work permit**" means a work permit within the meaning of section 33(1) of the 1971 Act, issued by the Committee in accordance with the Employment Permit Policy.

Revocations.

6. The following Orders are revoked -

- (a) The Immigration (Fees) (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Order, 2019^h,
- (b) The Immigration (Fees) (Bailiwick of Guernsey) (Amendment) Order, 2021ⁱ,

^h G.S.I. No. 29 of 2019; this enactment has been amended.

ⁱ G.S.I. No. 6 of 2021.

- (c) The Immigration (Fees) (Bailiwick of Guernsey) (Amendment) Order, 2022^j,
- (d) The Immigration (Fees) (Bailiwick of Guernsey) (Amendment No. 2) Order, 2022^k,
- (e) The Immigration (Fees) (Bailiwick of Guernsey) (Amendment No. 3) Order, 2022^l.

Citation.

7. This Order may be cited as the Immigration (Fees for Work Permits and Leave to Remain) (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Order, 2025.

Commencement.

8. This Order shall come into force on the 16th June, 2025.

Dated this 9th day of June, 2025



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Deputy Robert Prow

President of the Committee for Home Affairs

For and on behalf of the Committee

j G.S.I. No. 3 of 2022.
k G.S.I. No. 26 of 2022.
l G.S.I. No. 28 of 2022.

SCHEDULE

Article 1

FEES FOR APPLICATIONS

"**LTEP**" means a Long Term Employment Permit under the Employment Permit Policy and the Population Management (Guernsey) Law, 2016^m,

"**SEP**" means a Seasonal Employment Permit under the Employment Permit Policy and the Population Management (Guernsey) Law, 2016,

"**STEP**" means a Short Term Employment Permit under the Employment Permit Policy and the Population Management (Guernsey) Law, 2016, and

"**variation**" in relation to any work permit, means any kind of substantive variation including a change of employment type or change of employer.

Applications for Work Permits

	Type of Application	Fee
1(a).	Work permit issued in conjunction with: (a) any SEP or STEP, or (b) any variation to a SEP or STEP.	£100.00
1(b).	Any other work permit valid for up to 12 months at a time.	£100.00

^m Order in Council No. VI of 2016; this enactment has been amended.

	Type of Application	Fee
2(a).	Work permit issued in conjunction with: (a) any LTEP, or (b) any variation to a LTEP.	£300.00
2(b).	Any other work permit valid for longer than 12 months at a time.	£300.00
3.	Replacement or duplicate of any work permit.	Nil

Applications for Leave to Remain (or variation of Leave to Remain)

	Type of Application	Fee for Applicant	Fee for Applicant's Dependant
1.	Indefinite leave to remain.	£3,029.00	£3,029.00
2.	Student.	£524.00	n/a
3.	Minister of religion, missionary or member of a religious order.	£885.00	£885.00
4.	Investor.	£2,000.00	£2,000.00
5.	Establishing, taking over or joining a business.	£1,590.00	£1,590.00
6.	Leave to remain for a period of 30 months, under Appendix HK British National (Overseas) to the Immigration Rules, as a BN(O) Status Holder or a BN(O) Household Member.	£193.00	£193.00
7.	Leave to remain for a period of five years, under Appendix HK British National	£268.00	£268.00

	Type of Application	Fee for Applicant	Fee for Applicant's Dependant
	(Overseas) to the Immigration Rules, as a BN(O) Status Holder or a BN(O) Household Member.		
*8(a).	Leave to remain for a limited period not exceeding three months where the application is made in relation to a person who holds a work permit.	£75.00	£75.00
*8(b).	Leave to remain for a limited period exceeding three months but not exceeding six months where the application is made in relation to a person who holds a work permit.	£150.00	£150.00
*8(c).	Leave to remain for a limited period exceeding six months but not exceeding nine months where the application is made in relation to a person who holds a work permit.	£225.00	£225.00
*8(d).	Leave to remain for a limited period exceeding nine months but not exceeding 12 months where the application is made in relation to a person who holds a work permit.	£300.00	£300.00
*8(e).	Leave to remain for a limited period longer than 12 months where the	£885.00	£885.00

	Type of Application	Fee for Applicant	Fee for Applicant's Dependant
	application is made in relation to a person who holds a work permit.		
9.	Leave to remain (or variation of leave to remain) for a limited period in any case not falling within any of items 2 to 8 above.	£1321.00	£1321.00

*Items 8(a) to 8(e) of the table above relate to leave to remain that does not fall within any of items 2 to 7 of that table.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order prescribes the fees payable in respect of applications for work permits and leave to remain in the Bailiwick for a limited or indefinite period.

It revokes and replaces the Immigration (Fees) (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Order, 2019 (including amendments to that Order).

This Order comes into force on 16th June, 2025.