

Relaxation of Visa Requirements for Holders of HKDI / Macau Travel Permit

The Government of Japan has decided to relax the visa requirements for holders of the HKSAR Document of Identity for Visa Purposes issued by the HKSAR (hereinafter referred to as “HKDI”), and the Macau Travel Permit issued by the Macau SAR from January 1, 2019.

Specifically, holders of the HKDI or Macau Travel Permit with Chinese nationality who have been granted only single entry visas up to now, can apply for a multiple entry visa.

1. Eligibility

Those who hold a general IC (with microchip) or an ordinary Machine-Readable HKDI or Macau Travel Permit (limited to those whose nationality is stated as “CHINESE” on the bio-data page) that is in compliance with the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) standards, who wish to apply for a Multiple Visa and meet one of the following criteria are eligible to apply:

- (1) Individual who has a travel record as temporary visitor to Japan in the last three years and who has the ability to pay the travel expenses
- (2) Individual with sufficient financial capacity
- (3) Spouse or children of the individuals who are mentioned (2) above

2. Necessary documents

Please refer to the [“Application Procedure for a Multiple Entry Temporary Visitor Visa \(Applicants with HKDI / Macau Travel Permit\)”](#) on our official website.

3. Link

- [Relaxation of Visa Requirements for Holders of HKDI \(Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan\) 【Japanese】](#)
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