# NON-IMMIGRANT VISA "O-A" (LONG STAY)

Holder of this type of visa is allowed to stay in Thailand for 1 year. Employment of any kind is strictly prohibited.

## ELIGIBILITY

- Applicant must be aged 50 years an over (on the day of submitting application).
- Applicant not prohibited from entering Thailand as provided by the Immigration Act B.E. 2522 (1979).
- Having no criminal record in Thailand and the country of the applicant´s nationality or residence.
- Having the nationality of or residence in the country where applicant´s application is submitted.
- Not having prohibitive diseases (Leprosy, Tuberculosis, drug addiction, Elephantiasis, third phase of Syphilis) as indicated in the Ministerial Regulation No. 14 B.E. 2535.

## DOCUMENTS REQUIRED

- Passport with validity of not less than 18 months from arrival to Thailand.
- Copy of passport or travel document.
- Copy of Polish residence card (karta pobytu) - in case of foreigners.
- 2 visa application forms completely filled out.
- 2 passport size photographs of the applicant, taken within the past 6 months.
- A personal data form/additional application form. The form can be downloaded at:
- A copy of a bank statement showing a deposit of the amount equal to and not less than 800,000 Baht on the day of submitting application (in English) or an income certificate (an original copy) with a monthly income of not less than 65,000 Baht (in English).
- A letter verification issued from the country of applicant´s nationality or residence stating that the applicant has no criminal record. The verification shall be valid for not more than three months, it must be officially translated into English.
- A medical certificate issued from the country where the application is submitted, showing no prohibitive diseases as indicated in the Ministerial Regulation No. 14 (B.E. 2535). Certificate shall be valid for not more than three months. The form can be downloaded at:
- Proof of accommodation in Thailand such as copy of housing contract, rental contract, hotel reservation - original and 1 copy.
- 2 copies of air ticket.
- CV of the applicant.

- **Travel Health Insurance** for the period covering the whole stay in Thailand with the insurance limit for OPD (Outpatient departments) equivalent to 40,000 Thai Baht and for IPD (Inpatient departments) equivalent to 400,000 Thai Baht.

  In case of:

  - Polish Health Insurance Company: The applicant shall submit original Travel Health Insurance Certificate in English and 2 copies. The original document will be returned to the applicant after the visa is issued.
  - Thai Travel Health Insurance Company – can be arranged at: http://longstay.tgia.org/home/companiesoa The applicant shall submit 2 copies of the Travel Health Insurance Certificate.

*Consular officer reserves the right to request additional documents, or an interview with the applicant, as deemed necessary, without prior notice. The Royal Thai Embassy reserves the right to reject any visa application with insufficient documents or if the reasons given are not fully supported.*
*Documents in foreign languages must be officially translated into Thai or English.*

**Visa Fee:** 750 PLN per Multiple Entry Visa. We accept cash only. (Visa fee may be changed without prior notice)

**Visa Processing Time:**
Applying in person: Applications will be processed and ready in **2 days.** (For example, if you apply a visa on Monday morning, your visa can be collected on Wednesday morning.)

Collection date for visa is specified on a payment receipt. Always bring the receipt and ID card when collecting a visa.

Note: Do not apply visa more than 3 months in advance.

**Visa Opening/Collecting hour:**
Monday-Friday between 9.00-12.00. Please note that the visa application must be submitted from 9.00-12.00 hrs. Applications submitted after that will not be received. Collection of processed documents is from 9.00-12.00 hrs. Closed on Thai and Polish Public holidays. Please check our holidays list before visiting.

**Validity of visa and Period of stay:**
Visa is valid for 12 months from the date of issue. Travelers with this type of visa will be permitted to stay in Thailand for a period not exceeding 1 year. Period of stay is granted by an immigration officer upon arrival to Thailand.

# Recommendations for foreigners with Non-Immigrant Visa "O-A" (Long Stay) while staying in the Kingdom

Upon arrival, holder of this type of visa will be permitted to stay in Thailand for 1 year from the date of first entry.

At the end of the 90-day stay, the foreigner must report to the immigration officer in his or her residence area and report again every 90 days during his or her stay in Thailand. The foreigner may report to the police station if there is no immigration office in his or her residence area.

Foreigner may report to the competent authority by post and should provide the following:

- A report form (*Tor Mor* 47).
- A copy of passport pages showing the foreigner's photo, personal details, and the latest arrival visa stamp.
- A copy of the previous receipt of acknowledgement.
- A self-addressed envelope with postage affixed.

Such documents must be sent to the Immigration Division 1, 120 Moo 3, Government Center B, Chaengwattana Soi 7, Laksi, Bangkok 10210 and must be submitted 7 days before the end of every 90-day period. A receipt of acknowledgement will be given and should be used for future correspondence.

## EXTENSION OF STAY

Foreigner who wishes to extend his or her stay shall submit a request for extension of stay at the Office of the Immigration Bureau with documented evidence of money transfer or a deposit account in Thailand or an income certificate showing an amount of not less than 800,000 Baht **or** an income certificate plus a deposit account showing a total amount of not less than 800,000 Baht. A one-year extension of stay shall be granted at the discretion of the immigration officer to the foreigner as long as he or she meets the above requirements.