

## OTHER FAMILY REMAINING RELATIVE VISA CLASS – 115 APPLICATION CHECKLIST

The Remaining Relative visa (subclass 115) allows someone outside Australia whose only near relatives are living in Australia to live in Australia as a permanent resident.

You might be eligible for this visa if:

- your (and your partner's) only near relatives live in Australia
- an eligible near relative or their partner will sponsor you and all family members included as applicants in your application
- you have someone who will provide an assurance of support
- you and your family members meet health and character requirements.

### How to use this checklist

1. Use this checklist to ensure that you have included all necessary documentation to support your claims.
2. Ensure that your application form is completed including residential address, signature and date.
3. Include this completed checklist when you lodge your visa application form and supporting documentation.

### Other important information

Please be aware that the decision on your visa application may be decided based on the information and documentation included with your application at time of lodgement.

Please ensure that you;

- Do not include original documents. Should original documents be required you may be requested to provide.
- Do not include your passport. Only provide a copy of your photo page and any stamps from previous travel.
- If handwriting the answers in the application form ensure they are written in a clear manner and able to be understood.

Please refer to the following page to determine the average processing time for this visa.

See: [http://www.philippines.embassy.gov.au/mnla/Visa\\_Processing\\_Times2.html](http://www.philippines.embassy.gov.au/mnla/Visa_Processing_Times2.html)

To ensure that your visa application is finalised in a timely manner we strongly encourage applications with all supporting documentation to be included at time of lodgement.

FORM AND VISA APPLICATION CHARGE (FEE)	Tick the documents you are including	Official use only
Completed and signed Form 47OF – <i>Application for Migration to Australia by Other Family Members</i> See: <a href="http://www.immi.gov.au/allforms/pdf/47of.pdf">http://www.immi.gov.au/allforms/pdf/47of.pdf</a> (URL)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Completed Form 40 – <i>Sponsorship to Migration to Australia</i> – signed by the sponsor See: <a href="http://www.immi.gov.au/allforms/pdf/40.pdf">http://www.immi.gov.au/allforms/pdf/40.pdf</a> (URL)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Completed Form 47A - <i>Details of child or other dependent family member aged 18 years or over</i> See: <a href="http://www.immi.gov.au/allforms/pdf/47a.pdf">http://www.immi.gov.au/allforms/pdf/47a.pdf</a> (URL)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Visa application charge See: Visa charges; <a href="http://www.immi.gov.au/Visas/Pages/Pricing-Estimator.aspx">http://www.immi.gov.au/Visas/Pages/Pricing-Estimator.aspx</a> A manager's cheque addressed to 'Australian Embassy' OR a receipt issued by DIBP in Australia Additional Service charges will apply for application handling through VFS Global. See: Service charge <a href="http://www.vfsglobal.com/australia/philippines/additional_services.html">http://www.vfsglobal.com/australia/philippines/additional_services.html</a>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

PERSONAL DOCUMENTS		
A copy of the passport including the photo page of your passport and any pages with amendments, endorsements, visas and entry/exit stamps for all applicants included in the application.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
1 passport sized photo of each applicant included in the application attached to the front of the application form.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Copy of the live birth certificates for each applicant included in the application issued by NSO <i>Please note: if you do not have NSO documents please wait until your case officer requests the documents as there is a separate prescribed process to obtain NSO documents for the Australian Embassy</i> <b>See:</b> <a href="http://www.philippines.embassy.gov.au/mnla/National_Statistics_Office2.html">http://www.philippines.embassy.gov.au/mnla/National_Statistics_Office2.html</a>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Evidence that the sponsor is an Australian citizen, permanent resident, or eligible New Zealand citizen	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
For children under the age of 18 who are travelling without one or both parents or legal guardians, provide: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• copy of each non-travelling parent's ID card</li> <li>• signed written authorisation (or form 1229, refer below) by non-travelling parent(s) advising: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) their agreement to permit their child to travel</li> <li>b) the approximate date and duration of travel</li> <li>c) whether a single visit or multiple trips are permitted</li> <li>d) their contact information</li> </ol> </li> </ul> <b>See:</b> Form 1229 Consent form to grant an Australian visa to a child under the age of 18 years <a href="http://www.immi.gov.au/allforms/pdf/1229.pdf">http://www.immi.gov.au/allforms/pdf/1229.pdf</a> (URL)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Evidence of Legal Custody of Children (If applicable)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Legal Adoption document from Court (If applicable)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Divorce/death/name change certificate (If applicable)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
SUPPORTING DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE		
Copy of death certificates (issued by the NSO) or divorce or annulment court decisions (If applicable) <b>See:</b> <a href="http://www.philippines.embassy.gov.au/mnla/National_Statistics_Office2.html">http://www.philippines.embassy.gov.au/mnla/National_Statistics_Office2.html</a>		
Identification documents, for e.g. birth recognition letter, reference letter from hospital, baptism letter	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Evidence of relationships (official documents such as: birth/marriage/death/adoption/ family status certificates) <b>See:</b> <a href="http://www.philippines.embassy.gov.au/mnla/National_Statistics_Office2.html">http://www.philippines.embassy.gov.au/mnla/National_Statistics_Office2.html</a>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Copy of a 'Certificate of no marriage' (CENOMAR) for all applicants over 18 issued by NSO <b>See:</b> <a href="http://www.philippines.embassy.gov.au/mnla/National_Statistics_Office2.html">http://www.philippines.embassy.gov.au/mnla/National_Statistics_Office2.html</a>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Evidence of dependency for additional applicants over the age of 18	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

I acknowledge that:

- I have provided all supporting documentation as requested on this checklist OR
- I have not provided information requested on this checklist that is relevant to my visa application and I am aware that a decision may be made based on the information I have provided.

I also acknowledge that I am responsible for any related mail and courier charges, including cost for providing any additional information that may be requested by the department.

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Applicant Name:

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Signature:

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Date