



GOVERNMENT OF FIJI ISLANDS  
IMMIGRATION DEPARTMENT  
APPLICATION FOR CITIZENSHIP OF FIJI

Photograph

2 copies of a recent full face photograph of the applicant should be attached here. The reverse of one copy should be endorsed by an adult (not the applicant) as being a correct likeness

APPLICANT'S FULL NAME	SURNAME	GIVEN NAMES
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INSTRUCTIONS: A number of categories of persons are entitled to be or may apply to be registered/naturalised as Fiji citizens. This form is to be used for all such applications which are categorised below. Please tick the category under which you are applying and complete the relevant Sections of the form as indicated.

**CATEGORIES**

**1. REGISTRATION**

- |     |   |  |                          |
|-----|---|--|--------------------------|
| [a] | Child of a Fiji citizen born outside Fiji<br>[Decree, section 8(1)]                 | Complete sections A, B, C & I<br>& Certificate A | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| [b] | Adopted foreign child of a Fiji citizen<br>[Decree, section 8(2)]                   | Complete sections A, B, D & I<br>& Certificate A | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| [c] | A child either of whose parents becomes a<br>Fiji citizen<br>[Decree, section 8(3)] | Complete sections A, B & I<br>& Certificate A    | <input type="checkbox"/> |

[Note: Applicants under categories [a], [b] or [c] who are 18 years old or over must also complete section G. However, such applicants are not required to complete Certificate A.]

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|-----|--|--|--------------------------|
| [d] | Former citizen<br>[Decree, section 8(6)]                                     | Complete sections A, E & I<br>& Certificate B    | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| [e] | An adult who has been married to a<br>Fiji citizen<br>[Decree, section 8(7)] | Complete sections A, B, F & I<br>& Certificate B | <input type="checkbox"/> |

**2. NATURALISATION**

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|-----|---|--|--|
| [a] | An adult who has been lawfully resident in<br>Fiji for a total of 5 of the 10 years immediately<br>before the application for naturalisation is made.<br>[Decree, section 11] | Complete sections A, H, & I<br>& Certificate B |  |
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**WARNING**

THE INCLUSION OF FALSE INFORMATION ON THIS FORM OR IN SUPPORT  
OF THIS APPLICATION CAN LEAD TO IMPRISONMENT OR A FINE.

COMPLETED FORMS SHOULD BE SUBMITTED WITH APPROPRIATE FEES TO: THE DIRECTOR OF IMMIGRATION, IMMIGRATION DEPARTMENT, SUVA. OR POST TO: P O BOX 2224, GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS, SUVA, FIJI.

## NOTES

1. Application must be made by persons over 18 years of age or over
2. For the purpose of categories 1{a}, 1{b} and 1{c} where the applicant is a minor (ie under the age of 18 years), the forms should be completed by the applicant's parent or guardian
3. Present nationality: Evidence of the applicant's present citizenship or nationality status must be attached ( eg birth certificate, passport, citizenship certificate, etc)
4. Where a question in a particular section you are answering does not apply to you please put NONE or N/A as appropriate
5. Declaration and Certificates (pages 8&9): The declaration on page 9 of this form (Certificates B, Part C ) is only required of an applicant who is not a Commonwealth citizen or a British Protected Person. If it does not apply to you, delete it by putting a diagonal line through it

		For Office, Use Only	
		Tick	File Page
i]	Birth Certificate of applicant or equivalent		
ii]	Birth Certificate of + parent/husband		
iii]	Marriage Certificate:		
iv]	Death Certificate of husband:		
v]	Passport:		
vi]	Certificate of Registration of Citizenship:		
vii]	Medical Report		
viii]	Other		

# **PARTICULARS OF APPLICANT**

## **SECTION A** (All Applicants must complete this Section)

A1. Surname

A2. Given names

A3. Date of birth

A4. Country of birth

A5. Present nationality

A6. Passport No.

A7. Sex

MALE    FEMALE

A8. Marital status

A9. Residential address

Telephone No.: \_\_\_\_\_

A10. Postal address

Telephone No.: \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

A11. Occupation

**SECTION B****PARTICULARS OF FIJI CITIZEN PARENT/ADULT**

B1. SURNAME:  GIVEN NAMES:

B2. DATE OF BIRTH

B3. Country of Birth

B4. Present nationality

B5. Passport No.

B6. Do you hold citizenship of another country? Yes  No

If yes, of which country or countries?

**SECTION C****CHILD BORN OUTSIDE FIJI**

C1. Was at least one of the child's parents a Fiji citizen at the date of the child's birth?  Yes  No  
[Attach documentary evidence]

C2. Did either parent hold citizenship of another country at the date of the child's birth?  Yes  No  
[Attach documentary evidence]

**SECTION D****FOREIGN CHILD ADOPTED BY A FIJI CITIZEN**

D1. Has the child been legally adopted either in Fiji or Overseas?  
Yes  No

D2. Date of adoption

D3. Court Order Number

D4. Name of Court/Authority granting adoption

D5. Name of person in whose favour adoption was granted.

**SECTION E**

**FORMER CITIZEN**

**PARTICULARS OF APPLICANTS PRESENT CITIZENSHIP**

E1. Country of Citizenship

E2. Date Obtained

**PARTICULARS OF APPLICANT'S PREVIOUS FIJI CITIZENSHIP**

E3. How obtained  
(Birth/Naturalisation/Registration)

E4. Date obtained  
Day Month Year

E5. Provide proof of your former citizenship e.g.  
Passport.

E6. Have you been convicted of any crime?

YES

NO

**SECTION F**

**AN ADULT WHO HAS BEEN MARRIED TO A FIJI CITIZEN**

**PARTICULARS OF APPLICANT**

F1. Date of first entry into Fiji

F2. Type of Permit Granted  
(e.g. visitors/residential/ work/ exemption)

F3. Date of Marriage

F4. Place of Marriage



**SECTION H**

**CITIZENSHIP BY NATURALIZATION**

(THE APPLICANT MUST BE AN ADULT PERSON WHO HAS BEEN RESIDENT IN FIJI FOR A TOTAL OF 5 OF THE 10 YEARS IMMEDIATELY BEFORE THE APPLICATION FOR NATURALIZATION IS MADE)

**DETAILS OF APPLICANT**

H1. Date of first entry into Fiji  
(Provide Proof e.g. Passport)

H2. Type of entry Permit issued on arrival  
eg. Visitor, Residential, Exemption

H3. Date first work/residence/exemption  
Permit issued

H4. Employer/Organisation

H5. Any change/variation of Permit/Employer  
Yes  No   
If Yes, give details

H6. Have you been convicted of any Crime  
Yes  No   
If Yes, give details.

H7. Have you ever suffered from any  
Contagious or infections disease?  
Yes  No   
If yes, give details.

H8. Indicate any language (s) which you can  
read and write

H9. If this application is approved, do you intend to live in Fiji?  
Yes  No

H10. In your opinion, what are some of the responsibilities of a Fiji Citizen?  
a. \_\_\_\_\_  
b. \_\_\_\_\_

H11. Give details of work/residence permit held during the last five years.

ADDRESS	DATE FROM	DATE TO

**SECTION I**

Declaration

I hereby declare that the information I have supplied in this form is complete, truthful and correct.

Signature of Applicant ..... Date

**CERTIFICATES**

**Certificate A**

**(To be completed only where the applicant is under 18 years of age by the applicant's parent or guardian)**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ the + parent/legal guardian of \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ hereby apply for his/her registration as a citizen of Fiji.

If the legal guardian, I am authorised by (a) the Court at \_\_\_\_\_ to act or (b) by the minor's

+ Father/mother whose consent to my action is attached.

Signature .....

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**Certificate B**

**(To be completed by persons acting as the applicants referees)**

A

Referee's Surname \_\_\_\_\_ Forenames \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_

Full Residential address \_\_\_\_\_

I, the undersigned, hereby state that I am a citizen of Fiji, and that I am not the barristers and solicitor or agent or relative of the applicant \_\_\_\_\_ I support this application from my personal knowledge and close acquaintance with the applicant for \_\_\_\_\_ years (not less than 3 years), I vouch for the applicant's good character and loyalty and I am prepared to furnish full details of my knowledge of and acquaintance with the applicant. I have read the warning on the front of this form.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signed)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

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B

Referee's Surname \_\_\_\_\_ Forenames \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_

Full Residential address \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signed)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

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(A third referee is only required when applicant is NOT a Commonwealth citizen or British Protected Person)

Referee's Surname \_\_\_\_\_ Forenames \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_

Full Residential address \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signed)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)