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SECTION 1 – TYPE OF APPLICATION

On what basis are you applying for settlement in the UK?

- As the spouse of someone settled, or going to settle, in the United Kingdom
As the fiancé/fiancée of someone settled, or going to settle, in the United Kingdom
As the unmarried partner of someone settled, or going to settle, in the United Kingdom
As the child of someone settled, or going to settle, in the United Kingdom
As the adopted child of someone settled, or going to settle, in the United Kingdom
As an elderly dependant of someone settled, or going to settle, in the United Kingdom
As the dependant of someone with refugee status in the United Kingdom
Other – Please specify

Please attach three recent (not more than six months old) photographs of the applicant(s) in this box.

SECTION 2 – ABOUT YOU

Please tell us your:

2.1 Full name, as it appears in your passport. Please underline your family name.
2.2 Any other names you have been known by
2.3 Date of birth 2.4 Place of birth. 2.5 Nationality
2.6 Sex 2.7 Current marital status
2.8 Passport number 2.9 Dates of issue and expiry 2.10 Place of issue
2.11 What is your father's full name?
2.12 What is your mother's full name?



• **Your contact details**

2.13 Your permanent home address		2.14 Your correspondence address if different from 2.13	
2.15 Any home telephone number	2.16 Any home fax number	2.17 Your personal e-mail address	

2.18 When do you intend to travel to the UK? (please give a date) _____

2.19 If it is necessary to interview you, what language would you like the interview to be conducted in? _____

SECTION 3 – YOUR FAMILY

3.1 Have you ever been married, or in a relationship like a marriage? Yes No

*If you have answered **yes** to question 3.1, please give details, including dates, below. If you have been widowed or divorced please indicate here.*

3.2 Have you ever been engaged to be married? Yes No

*If you have answered **yes** to question 3.2, please give details, including dates, below.*

3.3 If you are married, or in a relationship like a marriage, to someone other than your sponsor, what is your partner's name?	
3.4 What is his/her date of birth?	3.5 Where is he/she now?
3.6 Is he/she travelling with you? Yes, on my passport <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, on his/her own passport <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	

• **Children**

3.7 Do you or your sponsor (if you are applying as a fiancé(e), spouse or partner) have any children from your marriage or relationship, or from previous relationships? Yes No

*If you have answered **yes** to question 3.7, please give their details below. Otherwise please go to question 3.10.*

Please continue on a separate sheet, if necessary.

	1 st child	2 nd child	3 rd child
Name			
Date of birth			
Sex			
Place of birth			
Nationality			
Relationship to applicant			
Relationship to sponsor			
Travelling with applicant	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

	4 th child	5 th child	6 th child
Name			
Date of birth			
Sex			
Place of birth			
Nationality			
Relationship to applicant			
Relationship to sponsor			
Travelling with applicant	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

SECTION 4 – YOUR SPONSOR

4.1 Your sponsor's full name, as it appears in his/her passport. Please underline his/her family name.		
4.2 What is your sponsor's normal country of residence?		4.3 Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/>
4.4 Date of birth	4.5 Place of birth.	4.6 Nationality
4.7 Your sponsor's passport number	4.8 Place of issue	4.9 Date of issue

• **Your sponsor's contact details**

4.10 Sponsor's permanent home address		4.11 Sponsor's correspondence address if different from 4.10	
4.12 Sponsor's home telephone number	4.13 Sponsor's home fax number	4.14 Sponsor's personal e-mail address	

4.15 Is your sponsor responsible for the financial support of anyone else? Yes No

*If you have answered **yes** to question 4.15, please give details below, otherwise please go to Section 5.*

SECTION 5 – YOUR RELATIONSHIP

- Complete this section only if you are applying as a fiancé(e), spouse or unmarried partner

5.1 Have you met your sponsor? Yes No

*If you have answered **yes** to question 5.1, please answer questions 5.2-5.7. Otherwise go to question 5.8.*

5.2 When did you first meet your sponsor? _____

5.3 Where did your meeting take place? _____

5.4 When did your relationship begin? _____

5.5 Where did your relationship begin? _____

5.6 When did you last see your sponsor? _____

5.7 Have you kept in touch since? Yes No

*If you have answered **yes** to question 5.7, please give details below (e.g. means and frequency of contact). Otherwise go to question 5.8.*

5.8 Is this an arranged marriage? Yes No

5.9 Are you and your sponsor related outside marriage? Yes No

*If you answered **yes** to question 5.9, please give details below.*

5.10 Do you intend to maintain a lasting relationship? Yes No

5.11 Have you lived with your sponsor in a relationship like a marriage at any time (including since a wedding)? Yes No

*If you answered **yes** to question 5.11, please give details below including when and where you cohabited with whom and for how long.*

5.12 Has your sponsor ever been married, or in a relationship like a marriage? Yes No

*If you have answered **yes** to question 5.12, please give details below, including when and where he/she was married or cohabited, with whom and for how long. If he/she has been widowed or divorced please indicate here.*

SECTION 6 – YOUR CIRCUMSTANCES WHEN YOU GET TO THE UK

6.1 Please give the full address of where you intend to live in the UK (if different from that given at 4.10)

6.2 Is this property owned by your sponsor? Yes No

If you have answered no to question 6.2, please answer question 6.3. Otherwise go to question 6.4.

6.3 On what basis does your sponsor occupy the property? _____

6.4 How many bedrooms are there in the property? _____

6.5 How many other rooms are there (not including kitchens, bathrooms, toilets)? _____

6.6 Please give details of anyone else living in the property below.

Name	Age	Relationship to you or sponsor (if any)



6.7 Is your sponsor in employment, including self-employment, in the UK? Yes No

6.8 Your sponsor's work address

6.9 Employer's telephone number

6.10 Employer's fax number

6.11 Employer's e-mail address

6.12 How long has your sponsor been in this employment? _____

6.13 What is his/her annual income? _____

6.14 Do you intend to work in the UK? Yes No

If yes, please give details, including relevant qualifications, experience or specific job offers

6.15 Do you or your sponsor hold any savings? Yes No

If yes please give details

SECTION 7 – OTHER INFORMATION

- **Is there any other information you wish to give about your application**

SECTION 8 - DECLARATION

- **To be completed by all applicants**

Data Protection Statement

The Foreign and Commonwealth Office is processing the personal data on this form and related data for the purposes of promoting and protecting the interests of the United Kingdom and its citizens abroad. The data may be disclosed to other UK Government Departments and public authorities.

Declaration

You must now read the declaration below and sign it. This must be signed by the applicant personally and not by a representative or other person acting on his/her behalf. An application for a person under the age of 18 may be completed by the parent or legal guardian.

I hereby apply for an entry clearance for the United Kingdom for myself and any dependants listed in this form. The information I have given is complete and is true to the best of my knowledge. I also declare that the photograph(s) submitted with this form is/are a true likeness of myself and any dependants included in the application. I confirm that if, before this application is decided, there is a material change in my circumstances or new information relevant to this application becomes available, I will inform the United Kingdom diplomatic post at which I have applied.

I am aware that it is an offence under the Immigration Act 1971, as amended by the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999, to make to a person acting in execution of the Act a statement or representation which the maker knows to be false or does not believe to be true, and to obtain or seek to obtain leave to enter in the United Kingdom by means which include deception.

I declare that the information given on this form is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Applicant's signature: _____

Date: _____

GENERAL GUIDANCE

1. When should this form be used?

This form should be used if you are applying for a visa or entry certificate to settle in the United Kingdom, that is, if you wish to live there permanently. The different categories under which you can apply are listed on the front of the form.

Please note: if you wish to apply as a **Returning Resident** you should use the non-settlement application form, VAF1.

2. Completing the form

Please answer all the questions as indicated. The form is designed to help determine whether applicants meet the requirements of the UK Immigration Rules, and to assist applicants in demonstrating that they meet those requirements. If you do not understand any of the questions, or require additional guidance, please contact the British diplomatic post at which you will be applying.

3. What documents should I provide?

In completing the application and providing documents, you will need to demonstrate that you meet the requirements of the UK Immigration Rules. Specific advice about the Rules for each category can be obtained from either the UKvisas website: www.ukvisas.gov.uk or your local British diplomatic mission.

➤ All applicants should provide:

- The appropriate fee.
- A valid passport or travel document and 3 passport size photographs. Photographs should be no more than six months old.
- Evidence to substantiate information given, including about their or their sponsor's income, finances and accommodation.

4. Further guidance

Further guidance about the requirements of the Immigration Rules, including a range of leaflets about specific categories, can be obtained from our website: www.ukvisas.gov.uk . You can also obtain information from your local British diplomatic mission.



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	ISSUE	tick	REFUSE	tick	TIER/ TIME	Number or letter		
	Authorised by (ECO)		Name				Date	
	Category		Code					
	Endorsement							
	Pol. Reg.	Y/N	Effective from		Expiry date			
	Vignette number							
	Checked by (ECM)		Name				Date	