

RESIDENCE PERMIT - COHABITANT

Please be informed that a joint electronic archive for the entire immigration administration will gradually replace the current paper archive. This means that all documents which are listed in the checklist below will be electronically scanned at the Embassy from January 2011. It is therefore very important that all original documents must be submitted with a perfect copy in A4 format. Please do not staple or glue any documents together as this will delay the scanning process.

Please check the boxes below and sign to confirm which documents you have submitted.

- Cover letter from the Application Portal signed by the applicant + **1 copy**
- Two passport photos (not older than 3 months, 2 inches in size, white background, with no glasses and glued to the cover letter.)
- Passport (both new and old passport(s) if any).
- Copy of the applicant's passport (Place and date of issue, expiration date, previous visas, valid resident/- work permit in Thailand etc – all the used pages in passport).
- Supplementary Questionnaire - Application for Resident Permit
- Legalised translation and copy of your birth certificate * + **1 copy**
- Legalised translation and copy of your ID card * + **1 copy**
- Legalised translation and copy of all pages of your Household Registration * + **1 copy**
- Legalised translation of documentation proving change of name (if any) * + **1 copy**
- Legalised translation of divorce certificate or death certificate, if previously married. + **1 copy**
- Legalised translation of Certificate of single status + **1 copy**
- If you are under 20, you must also submit a legalised translation of a letter of consent signed by both parents * + **1 Copy**

Documentation from the reference person (cohabitant) in Norway:

- Documentation of income** The documentation must show **former and future income** (by certified copy of three recent pay slips and employment contract and the last available tax receipt (ligningsattest). The minimum requirement is equivalent to civil service pay grade 8. Documentation showing that the applicant's spouse **has not received social welfare the last 12 months** must also be submitted (by a written confirmation from The Norwegian Labour and Welfare Administration (NAV) in Norway).
- If it is a requirement that the reference person has worked or studied for four years in Norway, this must be documented. For more information see UDI's website: <http://www.udi.no/Norwegian-Directorate-of-Immigration/Central-topics/Family-immigration/Requirements-of-the-citizenshippermit-held-by-the-person-in-Norway-the-sponsor/Requirement-for-four-years-employment-or-education-in-Norway/>
- Certificate of single status (ugifteattest)
- Certified copy of all the used pages of the reference person's passport
- Original or certified copy of divorce certificate or death certificate + 1 copy** (if previously married).
If the reference person in Norway has previously been married to a foreign citizen, and this spouse has had a permit in family immigration in Norway, the reference person in Norway must present documentation that the parties are not registered as married in the former spouse's country of origin or in the country in which the previous marriage was contracted, before a new spouse/-cohabitant from the same country may be granted a permit.
- Documentation of co-habitation**, for example a certificate of residence from the Population Register in Norway or abroad, or a deed/rental contract on a dwelling you have shared for at least two years + **1 copy**, or
- Birth certificate of a common child or if pregnant, a medical certificate confirming the pregnancy + **1 copy**
- Copy of photos documenting the relationship**; may be submitted if you think that they are important to substantiate that the relationship is genuine. Please do not submit photo albums and/or DVDs/CDs
- UDI's form 'Description of the relationship'**. This form may also be downloaded from the Embassy's website: <http://www.emb-norway.or.th/>

***The translation shall be in English and the legalisation made by Thai Ministry of Foreign Affairs.**

I, the undersigned, hereby confirm that I have personally submitted the application and that all the information I have provided is correct and complete. I am aware that providing incorrect information or falsified documents will lead to my application being rejected. I am also aware that I may be deemed liable to a penalty by giving false information pursuant to the Immigrations Regulations and the Norwegian Penal Law. I have been informed that the case processing time will increase if the application submitted is incomplete and the immigration authorities have to obtain further documentation. I have also been informed that there is an increased risk of the application being rejected if the requested information is not provided within the deadline stipulated by the immigration authorities.

Date:

Place:

Signature: