



OCI REQUIREMENTS FOR FOREIGN SPOUSE



- **PHOTOGRAPH** - Please provide 2 most recent passport size color photos (**not older than 6 months**) of the applicant (hard copies).
- **SIGNATURE** on a piece of plain paper (required for digital upload).
- **PROOF OF ADDRESS**

Proof of address must match with the present address as per application: (**any ONE of the below documents**)

- State Issued ID **OR**
- Driving license **OR**
- Utility Bill - Water (should be recent, no more than 3 months old) **OR**
- Utility Bill - Gas (should be recent, no more than 3 months old) **OR**
- Utility Bill - Electricity (should be recent, no more than 3 months old) **OR**
- Valid Lease Agreement **OR**
- Mortgage **OR**
- Income Tax return

- **PHOTOCOPY OF PASSPORT**

Information page that contains the picture and personal details of the holder of the Passport.

- **APOSTILLED BIRTH CERTIFICATE OF APPLICANT AND APPLICANTS PARENTS**
- **APOSTILLED MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE**
- **SWORN AFFIDAVIT FOR FOREIGN SPOUSE** – we will prepare this and send you for Signature/Notary
- **Copy of the US passport of the spouse;**
- **Copy of OCI card of the spouse** (**should have spouse's name on it**)
- **Copies of documents upon which OCI card was issued to the spouse**

PROOF OF EMPLOYMENT

If applicant is employed, a letter from the employer describing job profile of the applicant may be provided. • If applicant is self-employed / doing business, some documentary proof of self-employment/business may be provided.

- **Copy of Indian visa, if ever obtained and available**
- **Affidavit in lieu of originals:** A notarized affidavit needs to be submitted that the documents in support of the OCI application are true copies of the original documents, where only copies are being provided.
- **Undertaking by the OCI applicant.**
- **Consent Letter:** authorizing Indian Embassy/Consulate to make necessary corrections on observing errors in the OCI application.
- **Undertaking required from Spouse for Surrender of Indian Voter Card and Ration Card if their Previous Nationality was Indian**

Please note that for Spouse based applications the Consulate may insist that the applicant and spouse visit the concerned consulate/mission personally with Original documents.