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La Paz

VISA: *FAMILY REUNIFICATION* VISA WITH NULLA OSTA

SPECIFICATIONS

- Applicant's nationality: Non-EU
- Applicant's residence: Bolivia
- Duration of stay: More than 90 days
- Purpose of travel: Family reunification with a foreign family member residing in Italy
- Main destination country: Italy
- Visa type: National visa type D – Long stay
- Place of application: Embassy of Italy in La Paz, Bolivia

REQUIREMENTS

1. Original receipt confirming payment of the consular fee.
2. Valid passport, with at least 15 months of remaining validity from the intended date of entry into the Schengen Area, issued less than 10 years ago. The passport must contain at least two consecutive blank pages for the affixing of the visa and entry/exit stamps.
3. National visa application form.
4. Photograph measuring 35 × 40 mm, with a white background, compliant with the current ICAO standards: https://www.icao.int/sites/default/files/FAL/Annex_APhotograph_Guidelines.pdf
5. Reservation for a one-way flight ticket from Bolivia to Italy.
6. Family reunification clearance (Nulla Osta), issued by the One-Stop Immigration Desk (Sportello Unico per l'Immigrazione).
7. Residence permit of the family member residing in Italy who is requesting family reunification.
8. Documentation proving the family relationship with the family member residing in Italy.

   8.1. In the case of a marital relationship: marriage certificate, apostilled and translated into Italian.

   8.2. In the case of a parent-child relationship: birth certificate (full copy of the birth record), apostilled and translated into Italian.

8.3. In the case of family reunification with the father or mother: birth certificate of the family member residing in Italy (full copy of the birth record), apostilled and translated into Italian.
Pursuant to Article 29, paragraph 1, of the Consolidated Immigration Act (TUI), a foreign national may apply for family reunification with the following family members:
a) Spouse, provided that the spouses are not legally separated and the spouse is at least eighteen years of age;
b) Minor children, including children of the spouse or children born outside marriage, who are unmarried, provided that the other parent, if any, has given consent;
c) Adult dependent children, where, for objective reasons, they are unable to meet their essential needs due to a health condition resulting in total disability;
d) Dependent parents, provided that they have no other children in their country of origin or last residence; or parents over the age of sixty-five, where their other children are unable to support them due to documented, serious health reasons.

9. Photocopy of the identity card and passport.

MINORS

1. Documentation required under items 1 to 9 of the "Requirements" section of this document.
2. Authorisation to submit the application and, where applicable, for the issuance of the visa, given in person and in the presence of all persons who hold sole parental responsibility for the minor.

a) If both parents reside in Bolivia: both parents are required to be present during the interview.
b) If one parent resides abroad: an authorisation for the minor to travel abroad, issued and legalised by the Bolivian Consulate in the country where that parent resides, is required.
c) The provisions set out in points a) and b) may only be replaced by a court judgment granting sole parental responsibility for the minor. The judgment must be apostilled and translated into Italian.

3. Photocopy of the identity cards of both parents or of the person or persons who hold sole parental responsibility for the minor.

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Documents must be translated by official translators recognised by this Embassy. Please consult our website to view the list of recognised translators. Recognised Translators – Embassy of Italy in La Paz
- Please note that the Nulla Osta (item 6 of the "Requirements" section) is valid for 6 months from the date of issue and must be submitted to the Consular Office – Visa Section of this Embassy within that period.
- Persons entering Italy with a long-stay visa must, within 8 working days of entry, contact the locally competent Police Headquarters (Questura) and apply for a residence permit. They may also apply for registration with the National Health Service.

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