

RETIREMENT VISA

NON-IMMIGRANT VISA “O-A“ (LONG STAY)

Effective from 12 January 2017

Holder of this type of visa is allowed to stay in Thailand for 1 year. Employment of any kind is strictly prohibited.

ELIGIBILITY

- Applicant must be aged 50 years or over (on the day of submitting application).
- Applicant is not prohibited from entering Thailand according to the Immigration Act B.E. 2522 (1979).
- Having no criminal record in Thailand and the country of the applicant's nationality or residence.
- Having the nationality of or residence in the country where applicant's application is submitted.
- Not having prohibitive diseases (Leprosy, Tuberculosis, drug addiction, Elephantiasis, third phase of Syphilis) as indicated in the Ministerial Regulation No. 14 B.E. 2535.

DOCUMENTS REQUIRED

- Passport with validity at least 18 months from arrival to Thailand.
- Copy of passport / travel document data page.
- 3 copies of completed visa application form.
- 3 passport size photographs of the applicant, taken within the past 6 months.
- A personal data form/additional application form, can be downloaded at:
<http://thaiembassy.cz/uploads/download/idSz82mQKzjRIwqDa4N.pdf>
- A copy of a bank confirmation showing a deposit of the amount equal to and not less than 800,000 Baht on the day of submitting application (in English) or an income certificate (an original copy) with a monthly income of not less than 65,000 Baht (in English).
- A letter verification issued from the country of applicant's nationality or residence stating that the applicant has no criminal record. The verification shall be valid for not more than three months, it must be notarized by Ministry of Foreign Affairs, the Czech Republic and officially translated into English.

- A medical certificate issued from the country where the application is submitted, showing no prohibitive diseases as indicated in the Ministerial Regulation No. 14 (B.E. 2535). Certificate shall be valid for not more than three months. The form can be downloaded at

<http://thaiembassy.cz/uploads/download/K6h5eTn1fCD9CsZS21P.pdf>

After the medical certificate is confirmed by the medical doctor, the applicant shall go to the public notary who will confirm the applicant's written statement that the data on the medical certificate are truthful and valid. Subsequently the notary's signature shall be legalized by the Czech Ministry of Justice and finally the medical certificate shall be legalized by the Czech Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

- Proof of accommodation in Thailand such as copy of housing contract, rental contract.
- Copy of air ticket.

Consular officer reserves the right to request additional documents as deemed necessary.

VISA FEE

4,000 CZK for multiple entries.

- Visa fee (exact amount) shall be paid in cash when submitting visa application.
- Visa fee is not refundable.
- Visa fee may be changed without prior notice.

PERIOD OF STAY

Not exceeding 1 year. Period of stay is granted by an immigration officer upon arrival to Thailand.

<p>In case the accompanying spouse is not eligible to apply for the Category "O-A" (Long Stay) visa, he or she will be considered for temporary stay under Category "O". A marriage certificate must be provided as evidence. It must be notarised by Ministry of Foreign Affairs, the Czech Republic and officially translated into English.</p>
