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eVisa – The Antigua & Barbuda Experience

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INTRODUCTION

- **Electronic Entry Visa (eVisa), is an official document, electronically produced that permits travel to the country.**
- **Persons obtain their approved visas electronically, via email, after completing the required information online and making payments by credit card.**
- **eVisa is verified in the Immigration's Border Management upon the person's arrival and biometrics taken. Visa is issued, once again electronically.**



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Ministry of Foreign Affairs, International Trade and Immigration.

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Welcome

Immigration is the movement of people into another country or region to which they are not native in order to settle there, especially as permanent residents or future citizens. Immigrants are motivated to leave their countries for a variety of reasons, including a desire for economic prosperity, political issues, family re-unification, escaping conflict or natural disaster, or simply the wish to change one's surroundings.



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Welcome to the Antigua and Barbuda eVisa website

This site will allow foreigners to apply and pay for an Electronic Entry Visa (EEV) that is valid for travel to and entry into the country. For information regarding different visa types and fees, please refer to the [Official Website for the Government of Antigua and Barbuda](#).

Before Starting Your Application

You will be required to complete the online application in a single web browser session. Before starting the application process, please ensure you have all of these required elements:

- A valid email address
- A valid travel document (e.g. passport)
- A recent digital photograph
- Supporting documents (scanned)
- A valid credit card to pay for the application

The Application Process

- Click the 'Apply Now' button below.
- Enter details about your visa request and personal information.
- Upload your photo and supporting documents.
- Review your details.
- Pay for your online visa application.
- Receive an email confirming receipt of your application and payment.
- Receive an email containing your EEV travel letter and print a copy for your records.

Please do not submit more than one application for each EEV request. Wait for the email confirmation. Multiple EEV applications for the same time period may delay the processing of your application.

Start a new application.

[Apply Now](#)

Check the status of an existing application.

[Check Status](#)



Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Trade and Immigration
Electronic Entry Visa (EEV)

Dear: **LEYDI MERCEDES PEREZ GARCIA**

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs, International Trade and Immigration is pleased to advise you that your visa application has been approved.

You have been issued an Electronic Entry Visa (EEV), which is valid for **MULTIPLE ENTRY** to Antigua and Barbuda until **17/02/2017**.

This EEV contains important information. Upon arrival in Antigua and Barbuda, you must present this EEV and your passport to the Immigration Officer for verification at the 'Visa-on-Arrival' counter. Your passport details must be consistent with the details provided on your application as listed below.

Passport Details		EEV Details	
Surname	PEREZ GARCIA	Application Date: (dd/mm/yr)	18/02/2016
Given Name(s)	LEYDI MERCEDES	Visa Number	
Gender:	FEMALE	Visa Type	ENTRY Evisa - WORK
Date of Birth: (dd/mm/yr)	10/07/1981	Number of Entry(ies)	MULTIPLE ENTRY
Nationality:	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	Issue Date: (dd/mm/yr)	18/02/2016
Passport Number:	SF0774173	Expiry Date: (dd/mm/yr)	17/02/2017
Country of Issuance:	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		
Issue Date: (dd/mm/yr)	10/09/2011		
Expiry Date: (dd/mm/yr)	20/09/2017		

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:

- Print and retain a copy of this EEV for your records. This document is required upon entry to Antigua and Barbuda.
- Possession of this EEV does not automatically grant entry to Antigua and Barbuda. This EEV must be accompanied with the passport submitted with the original application file.
- Holders of an EEV may be required to submit other biometric upon entry to Antigua and Barbuda.
- The Government of Antigua and Barbuda reserves the right to revoke and/or cancel this EEV at its sole discretion.
- The EEV is not valid with other identification documents and is non-transferable.
- This EEV is valid exclusively for entry into Antigua and Barbuda. EEV holders should verify if transit visas are required when traveling through other countries en route to Antigua and Barbuda.
- For urgent matters, contact the EEV help line at: 1-268-562-1387 or by email: immigrationanu@candw.ag

Carriers: For additional information, refer to the IATA TIMATIC or visit immigration.gov.ag.



Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Trade and Immigration
Electronic Entry Visa (EEV)

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Dear: **AMILA RUWAN SINHAGE**

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs, International Trade and Immigration is pleased to advise you that your visa application has been approved.

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Passport Details		EEV Details	
Surname	SINHAGE	Application Date: (dd/mm/yr)	11/02/2016
Given Name(s)	AMILA RUWAN	Visa Number	22072
Gender:	MALE	Visa Type	ENTRY Evisa - WORK
Date of Birth: (dd/mm/yr)	26/12/1982	Numbr of Entry(ies)	MULTIPLE ENTRY
Nationality:	SRI LANKAN	Issue Date: (dd/mm/yr)	18/02/2016
Passport Number:	N5187587	Expiry Date: (dd/mm/yr)	17/02/2017
Country of Issuance:	SRI LANKA		
Issue Date: (dd/mm/yr)	23/05/2014		
Expiry Date: (dd/mm/yr)	23/05/2024		

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KEY OBJECTIVES FOR THE eVISA

- **Eliminate waiting time for the processing of a visa. No need to visit an embassy or consulate.**
- **Enhance the tourism product by facilitating quick turn over in visa processing.**
- **Maintaining and enhancing the security & integrity of Antigua & Barbuda's borders by electronic biometric processing. Full integration with the Border Management System.**
- **Eliminate the need to mail passport to embassy. Reduces possibility of loss or theft.**



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ADVANTAGES OF THE EVISA

- eVisa system introduced in January 2016.
- The eVisa Unit has processed approximately 1,500 applications – 52 nationalities. Total of 107 nationalities require entry visas for Antigua & Barbuda.
- Application made with an active internet connection in a virtual environment via a secure web based portal.
- No decals in passports, cutting down on waiting time.
- Networking with other law enforcement agencies to rapidly identify persons of interest and criminals.



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