

Invitation – seaman's visa

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Invitation form for seaman's visa applications

1. Information concerning the inviting company		PLEASE COMPLETE IN CAPITAL LETTERS	
Company name		CVR-no.	
Company address in Denmark			
Zip code	City		
Field of business		Homepage	
Telephone no.	Fax-no.	E-mail	

2. Information concerning the host company's contact person – the inviting party			PLEASE COMPLETE IN CAPITAL LETTERS
First name			
Surname			
Contact address if different from company address			
Telephone no./mobile	Fax-no.	E-mail	
Branch and position			

3. Information concerning the visa applicant – the seaman requiring the visa		PLEASE COMPLETE IN CAPITAL LETTERS
First name		
Surname		
Date of birth, dd-mm-yyyy	Gender <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	
Nationality		
Address in home country	Zip code	
City	Country	
Telephone no.	E-mail	

4. Information concerning an agency/bureau or similar representing the seaman

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Is the seaman affiliated with a company in his/her home country (agency/bureau or similar)?

Yes No

If **yes**, please complete the following:

Company name

Company address

Zip code

City

Country

Telephone no.

Fax-no.

E-mail

Homepage

Field of business

5. Information concerning the seaman and his/her employment

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Does the seaman have a Seaman's Book?

Yes No

If **yes**, please complete the following:

Seaman's Book no.:

Seaman's Book issued by (country):

How long is the seaman's contract valid?

How many days of visa are requested?

Is the seaman covered by health insurance?

Yes No

Has your company previously been visited by the seaman?

Yes No

If **yes**, during which period of time was the latest contract valid?

Has the seaman previously held a Schengen Visa?

Yes No

If **yes**, during which period of time was the latest Schengen Visa valid?

What is the name of the ship the seaman is to sign on?

Where is the seaman to sign on?

What is the expected date of signing on?

Where is the seaman expected to sign off?

What is the expected date of signing off?

What is the seaman's task (especially regarding cruise ships)?

Will you, the host, vouch financially for the seaman in connection with travel and stay in Denmark?

Yes No

If **yes**, please sign here _____
(Section 8 must be signed by the same person)

6. Additional comments or information concerning the invitation – including special circumstances that the visa authorities should take into consideration

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7. Declarations and information

A. Sworn declaration of correctness

I hereby confirm that the information I have given in this form is correct.

If the information is found to be false, I am subject to the following penalties cf. the Danish Criminal Code section 161, the Aliens Act section 40 and section 59-60:

- Fine or imprisonment of up to 2 years.
- Reimbursing any expenses incurred by the Danish state as a consequence of the false information.

B. Notification that the Danish authorities have registered information about you and your affairs

The information you supply or have supplied in connection with the application for a visa will be entered into, and stored in the Visa Information System (IVR-VIS and C-VIS) This also applies to information you may give in conjunction with an application to extend the applicant's stay. The registration is mandatory.

IVR-VIS is a computerised register maintained by the Danish Immigration Service. C-VIS is a computerised central visa register for the Schengen member states.

Any personal data concerning you which appear on the invitation form will be supplied to the relevant authorities of the Schengen Member States and processed by these authorities, for the purpose of a decision on the visa application. Such data will be entered into, and stored in the Visa Information System (IVR-VIS and C-VIS) for a maximum period of 5 years. During this period of time, it will be accessible to the visa authorities and the authorities competent for carrying out checks on visas at external borders and within the Member States. Furthermore, immigration and asylum authorities in the Member States will have access to the data for the purpose of verifying whether the conditions for the legal entry into, stay and residence on the territory of the Member States are fulfilled, of identifying persons who do not or who no longer fulfil the conditions, of examining an asylum application and on determining responsibility for such examination.

Under certain conditions the data will also be available to designated authorities of the Member States and to Europol (European Union's law enforcement agency) for the purpose of the prevention, detection and investigation of terrorist offences and of other serious criminal offences. You are entitled to right of access to the information registered about you in IVR-VIS and C-VIS and of the Member State which transmitted the data. Inquiries about this can be addressed to the Danish Immigration Service, Ryesgade 53, DK-2100 Copenhagen Ø, e-mail: visa@us.dk.

You can request that data relating to you which are inaccurate be corrected and that data processed unlawfully be deleted. On your request, the authority examining the visa application will inform you of the manner in which you may exercise your right to check the personal data concerning you and have them corrected or deleted, including the

related remedies according to Danish nation Law. The national supervisory authority in Denmark (the Danish Data Protection Agency) will consider claims concerning the protection of personal data. Inquiries about this can be addressed to the Danish Data Protection Agency, Borgergade 28, 5, DK-1300 Copenhagen K, e-mail: dt@datatilsynet.dk.

C. Information regarding possible verification by the authorities of the information you have supplied

The Danish Immigration Service may seek to verify the accuracy of the information you have given in this form. This may happen while the application is being reviewed or after the applicant has been granted a visa. Verification may be conducted at random and is not necessarily an indication that the Danish Immigration Service suspects you of providing false information.

Verification may involve the following:

- Checking public registers, such as the Central Person Register
- Contacting other authorities, such as municipalities

You may be asked to supply additional information as part of the verification process.

D. Information about the consequences connected to the applicants illegal stay in Denmark or another Schengen country

If the applicant is issued a visa, the applicant shall leave the Schengen region within the validity of the visa. The visa gives the holder the right to reside in the Schengen region for a predetermined number of days within a further defined period of validity. The period of validity is often longer than the number of days the visa is issued for.

The applicant may neither reside in the Schengen region for more than the permitted number of days, nor arrive or depart outside of the validity period.

If the applicant stays in Denmark or the Schengen region beyond the validity of the visa it may have serious consequences and the applicant may be given a penalty period. During this period the applicant will normally be unable to obtain a Schengen visa to enter Denmark. If the applicant exceeds the visa period by up to 30 days the applicant may be banned for 3 years, and if the applicant exceeds the visa period by more than 30 days a 5 year ban may be imposed.

E. Consequences if the applicant is expelled from Denmark or applies for asylum in Denmark or another Schengen country

If the applicant upon entering Denmark on a visa is expelled either by administrative decision or by court order, or if the applicant applies for asylum in Denmark or another Schengen country and does not leave voluntarily after the final rejection, the applicant will not be eligible for obtaining a new visa for a period of 5 years.

F. Information about possible consequences if the applicant applies for a residence permit while in Denmark on a visa (short term)

If the applicant is staying in Denmark on a visa (short term) and submits an application for a residence permit in this country, you need to be aware that the applicant can become ineligible for a visa for 5 years.

However, the abovementioned consequence does not apply in the following cases:

- Application for family reunification according to the Aliens Act section 9(1) (i) or (ii), or section 9 c(1).
- Application for a residence permit in order to study according to the Aliens Act section 9 c(1).
- Application for a residence permit in order to participate in the cities of refuge program according to the Aliens Act section 9 c(4).
- Application for a residence permit in order to work according to the Aliens Act section 9 a(2) (i-iv) or (vi).

Moreover, if there are decisive humanitarian reasons for allowing the applicant to remain eligible for a visa the abovementioned consequence will not apply.

Please note:

If the main purpose of the application for a residence permit is for the applicant to be allowed to remain in Denmark while the case is being processed, although it is evident that a residence permit cannot be granted, the applicant will become ineligible for a visa even though the kind of residence permit in question is included in the list above.

8. Signature

By signing below, I confirm that I have read, understood and accepted the terms laid out in section 7.

Date and place

Signature