### **Appendix 9**

# **Visa-free Access for Holders of Macao SAR Passports** and Travel Permits

The following countries/territories had granted visa-free access to Macao SAR passport and travel permit holders (listed by continental regions):

#### Asia

Country	Macao SAR Passport Maximum Period of Stay	Macao SAR Travel Permit Maximum Period of Stay
Armenia	90 days Agreement*	90 days Agreement*
Bahrain	2 weeks to 90 days 1)	
Brunei	14 days	
Cambodia	30 days r)	
Indonesia	28 days	
Iran	21 days	
Israel	3 months	
Japan	90 days	
Jordan	c)	
Laos	30 days x)	
Lebanon	1 month <sup>q)</sup>	
Malaysia	30 days	14 days
Maldives	30 days c)	30 days c)
Mongolia	90 days Agreement*	
Nepal	e)	
Oman	10 days z)	
Philippines	14 days	
Qatar	30 days w)	
Singapore	30 days	
South Korea	90 days	
Sri Lanka	30 days v)	
Thailand	30 days Agreement*	
Turkey	30 days	
Timor-Leste	30 days <sup>u)</sup>	
United Arab Emirates	30 days	
Uzbekistan	10 days bb)	10 days bb)

# Europe

Country	Macao SAR Passport Maximum Period of Stay	Macao SAR Travel Permit Maximum Period of Stay
Albania	90 days	
Andorra	90 days	
Austria	90 days <sup>a)</sup>	
Belarus	30 days Agreement*	30 days Agreement*
Belgium	90 days <sup>a)</sup>	
Bosnia and Herzegovina	90 days	
Bulgaria	90 days Agreement*	
Croatia	90 days	
Cyprus	3 months	
Czech Republic	90 days	
Denmark	90 days a)	
Estonia	90 days Agreement*	
Faroe Islands	3 months	
Finland	90 days a)	
France	90 days a)	
Germany	90 days a)	
Gibraltar		
Greece	90 days a)	
Hungary	90 days Agreement*	
Iceland	90 days a)	
Ireland	90 days	
Italy	90 days <sup>a) g)</sup>	
Kosovo Area	90 days	
Latvia	90 days Agreement*	
Liechtenstein	90 days Agreement*	
Lithuania	90 days Agreement*	
Luxembourg	90 days a)	
Malta	90 days	
Moldova	90 days	
Monaco	90 days <sup>a)</sup>	
Montenegro	90 days	
North Macedonia	90 days	
Norway	90 days <sup>a)</sup>	
Poland	90 days Agreement*	

# Europe

(Cont.)

Country	Macao SAR Passport Maximum Period of Stay	Macao SAR Travel Permit Maximum Period of Stay
Portugal	90 days a)	
Romania	90 days	
Russia	30 days Agreement*	
San Marino	20 days	
Serbia	90 days Agreement*	
Slovak Republic	90 days Agreement*	
Slovenia	90 days	
Spain	90 days a)	
Sweden	90 days a)	
Switzerland	90 days Agreement*	
The Netherlands	90 days a)	
United Kingdom	6 months	

# Africa

Country	Macao SAR Passport Maximum Period of Stay	Macao SAR Travel Permit Maximum Period of Stay
Burundi	f)	
Cape Verde	90 days	90 days
Comoros	45 days c)	
Egypt	90 days	
Ethiopia	30 days x)	
Guinea-Bissau	90 days s)	
La Reunion	3 months b)	
Madagascar	90 days c)	
Malawi	30 days c)	
Mali	90 days Agreement*	90 days Agreement*
Mauritania	1 month i)	
Mauritius	90 days	
Mayotte	3 months b)	
Morocco	90 days Agreement*	
Mozambique	30 days c)	
Namibia	30 days Agreement*	30 days Agreement*

# Africa (Cont.)

Country	Macao SAR Passport Maximum Period of Stay	Macao SAR Travel Permit Maximum Period of Stay
Rwanda	30 days o)	
Seychelles	30 days	30 days
South Africa	30 days k)	
St. Helena	4-9 days	
Tanzania	90 days	
Togo	7 days <sup>p)</sup>	
Tunisia	30 days m)	
Uganda	c)	
Zimbabwe	30 days to 3 months <sup>n)</sup>	

### America

Country	Macao SAR Passport Maximum Period of Stay	Macao SAR Travel Permit Maximum Period of Stay
Anguilla	3 months	
Antigua and Barbuda	30 days	
Argentina	30 days Agreement*	
Aruba	3 months	
Barbados	30 days	
Belarus	30 days Agreement*	30 days Agreement*
Bermuda	90 days d)	
Bolivia	90 days <sup>y)</sup>	
Brazil	90 days	
British Virgin Islands	6 months	
Caribbean Netherlands	90 days	
Chile	30 days	
Curacao	3 months	
Dominica	90 days Agreement*	90 days Agreement*
Dominican Republic	30 days c)	
Greenland	3 months	
Grenada	90 days Agreement*	90 days Agreement*)
Guyana	30 days <sup>j)</sup>	
Haiti	3 months	
Mexico	90 days Agreement*	

### America

(Cont.)

Country	Macao SAR Passport Maximum Period of Stay	Macao SAR Travel Permit Maximum Period of Stay
French Guiana	3 months b)	
Guadeloupe	3 months b)	
Martinique	3 months b)	
Montserrat	6 months	
Saint-Barthelemy	3 months	
Saint-Martin	3 months	
Saint-Pierre and Miquelon	3 months b)	
Saint Lucia	c)	
St. Maarten	3 months	
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	1 month	
Uruguay	90 days	90 days
Ecuador	90 days	
St. Kitts and Nevis	1 month	

### Oceania

Country	Macao SAR Passport Maximum Period of Stay	Macao SAR Travel Permit Maximum Period of Stay
Cooks Islands	31 days	
Fiji	4 months	
French Polynesia	3 months b)	
Kiribati	30 days	30 days
Micronesia	30 days	
New Caledonia	3 months	
New Zealand	3 months <sup>aa)</sup>	
Niue	30 days	
Palau	30 days c)	30 days t)
Papua New Guinea	60 days h)	
Samoa	30 days Agreement*	30 days Agreement*
Tonga	31 days c)	
Vanuatu	30 days	
Wallis and Futuna	3 months <sup>b)</sup>	

#### **Indian Ocean**

Country	Macao SAR Passport Maximum Period of Stay	Macao SAR Travel Permit Maximum Period of Stay
French Southern Hemisphere and Antarctic Lands	3 months <sup>b)</sup>	

#### Remark:

- \* Visa-Waiver Program between Macao SAR Government and related countries or regions.
- a) According to the Regulation of the Council of the European Union no539/2001 of 15 March 2001, published in the Gazette of European Union of 21 March 2001, the above European countries have granted Visa-free access to Macao SAR passport holders. This privilege is only applicable within the local territories in Europe.
- b) Effective from 1 January 2002, holders of the Macao Special Administrative Region Passports would be granted visa-free access to the Overseas Departments of the French Republic (Guadeloupe, Martinique, French Guiana, La Reunion), the Territory of Mayotte, the Territory of Saint-Pierre et Miquelon, French Polynesia, the Territory of the Wallis and Futuna Islands as well as French Southern Hemisphere and Antarctic Lands.
- c) Visa-on-arrival
- d) If visitors are required to have a visa to travel through America, Canada or the United Kingdom, the visas should be valid at least 45 days after their departure date.
- e) Visa granted upon arrival and 2 recent photos are required.
- f) Visitors should be holding a return/onward ticket to apply for a visa on arrival at the International Bujumbura Airport.
- g) The immigration regulations of Italy are applicable to Vatican City, so it is visa-free to enter Vatican City.
- h) Visitors should apply visa upon arrival at Port Moresby and Port Rabaul.
- i) Visitors should apply visa upon arrival at the Nouakchott International Airport.
- *j)* Tourists can obtain a visa on arrival provided:
  - holding a letter of invitation from sponsor or host; and
  - contact details of sponsor, host or hotel; and
  - 2 photos; and
  - evidence of finances to cover expenses for 30 days.
- k) The Department of Home Affairs of the Republic of South Africa has announced a new immigration policy for minors who arrived from visa exempted countries/territories. The new requirements, effective from 1 June 2015, requested that minors aged less than 18 years need to present their birth certificates in English with parent(s) particulars when enter and depart from South Africa. A consent letter is required if parent(s) not accompany with the minors (Please refer to the article for further details).
- l) Visa obtain upon arrival or apply e-visa online. Staying period is as follows:
  - (i). Single entry visa
    - maximum 2 weeks
  - (ii). 3-months multi-entry visa
    - maximum 1 month and an extension of 2 weeks.
  - (iii). 1-year multi-entry visa (e-visa only)
    - maximum 90 days
- m) Visa exempted for tourist group of 5 people or above, and possess valid travel documents as well as coupon voucher (prepaid hotel accommodation and round trip air tickets).

- n) Travelling for business purpose:
  - maximum 30 days

*Travelling as tourist:* 

- maximum 3 months
- o) (i). Effective from 1 January 2018, visitors can obtain visa upon arrival at Kigali International Airport and all land ports.
  - (ii). E-visa can be obtained online.
- p) Visitors can obtain visa upon arrival at Gnassingbe Eyadema International Airport.
- q) Visitors should apply visa upon arrival at the Beirut International Airport.
- r) Visa granted upon arrival, or E-visa can be obtained online.
- s) Visitors can obtain visa upon arrival at Osvaldo International Airport.
- t) Visitors can obtain visa upon arrival with a staying period of 30 days, and can be extended to a maximum of 90 days.
- u) Visitors can obtain visa upon arrival at Dili Presidente Nicolau Lobato International Airport. Visa can extend to a maximum of 90 days.
- v) There are unpredictable factors on the approval of visa -on -arrival at the airport. In addition, the fees required are much higher than obtaining an ETA. As a result, it is recommended to obtain an ETA online in advance.
- w) (i). Travellers can obtain visa upon arrival when fulfilling the requirements below:
  - A passport valid for at least 6 months
  - Round trip air ticket
  - Hotel booking voucher
  - Possess credit card or fulfill minimum cash requirement defined by the Oatar authorities.
  - (ii) E-visa can be obtained online.
- x) (i). Visa granted upon arrival. Applicants have to provide 2 photos and pay for the Visa fee.
  - (ii) E-visa can be obtained online.
- y) Visa granted upon arrival. Applicants have to fill in the visa application form online, print it, sign it, and submit it in original when applying for visa on arrival at Bolivia 's airport or land immigration ports.
- z) Travellers holding a passport with a validity of 6 months or more can enter Oman without visa for a maximum stay of 10 days. Besides, travellers are also required to have a return ticket, proof of hotel reservation and health insurance.
- aa) From 1 October 2019, some International visitors and transit passengers who are eligible for a visa waiver (including Macao SAR passport holders) will need to hold a New Zealand Electronic Travel Authority (NZeTA) before travelling to New Zealand. More information can be found at http://www.immigration.govt.nz/nzeta.
- bb) Starting from 1 March 2021, travellers can enter Uzbekistan without visa by holding a return ticket in 10 days or an onward ticket to the third country. Travellers are required to present a return ticket in 10 days of any airline company or an onward ticket to the third country to the border checkpoint officials when entering Uzbekistan.

#### Notes:

- 1. The decision to approve or refuse a passenger's entry to a country or region and the duration of stay given are usually determined on individual merits by the immigration authorities on arrival.
- 2. Visa policy of each country or region may vary. Please enquire the latest visa information at the nearby embassy or consulate of the relevant country or region before departure.
- 3. Some countries require passports or travel permits to be valid for 6 months beyond the date of entry into such a country.
- 4. The following country does not issue visa for holders of Macao SAR Travel Permit: Morocco.

For more information, please visit the website of the Identification Services Bureau of the Macao SAR Government.