



CYPRUS

CITIZENSHIP PROGRAM

Secure a better future for your next generation.



**TIME TO
CITIZENSHIP**
6 Months



**VISA-FREE
TRAVEL**
158 Countries



FAMILY
Investor, spouse, dependents
up to age 28 and parents
of main applicant



**RESIDENCY
REQUIREMENTS**
None



ABOUT CYPRUS

In 2013, the Cypriot government changed immigration policies to encourage foreign investment, making it possible to obtain Cypriot Citizenship by Investment in only 7 months.

Cyprus is the only European country to fast track secondary citizenship, making it an extremely attractive choice. Applicants and their dependents are not required to live in Cyprus to obtain citizenship, meaning you can apply for and receive secondary passports without having to relocate the entire family or renounce your original nationality.



EUROPEAN PASSPORT AND PERMANENT RESIDENCY

- Fast Track Approval 7 months
- Visa free travel to 158 countries
- Availability of Education and Health Care in Europe
- Safe, relaxed and stress-free environment
- No physical residency requirements
- Covers the investor, the spouse and dependent children up to the age of 28
- Cyprus permits dual citizenship

UPDATED PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

- The investment amount has been reduced to 2 Million Euros
- Permanent residency card is issued within 2 to 4 weeks
- Encourages investments in property sector
- Parents of the investor are entitled to apply

FINANCIAL ADVANTAGES

- 0% Inheritance, wealth and gift tax
- 0% on widow's pension
- 0% immovable property tax (from 2017)
- 12.5% corporate tax, one of the lowest in Europe
- NON-DOM residents have high exemptions from many taxes and rates for their Cyprus and non-Cyprus income



CONTINENT
Europe



CAPITAL
Nicosia



OFFICIAL LANGUAGE
Greek and Turkish



POPULATION
1,205,575



TOTAL AREA
9,251km²



- Better access to other EU based markets
- Dependents (including spouses, parents and children) can be included on the same citizenship application

INVESTMENT OPTIONS

Real estate investment is the qualifier for application to the Cypriot citizenship program. The total investment amount will be held on an Escrow account until the government has approved the citizenship application.

If the application is rejected (extremely rare), the total investment will be returned.

YEAR 1-3

Purchase of Real Estate Investment **EUR 2,000,000**

YEAR 3 ONWARDS

Original Investment can be sold and **EUR 500,000** must be kept in property indefinitely.

STEPS AND PROCEDURES

1. Sign Retainer Agreement for NGE to act as your Advisor for application, due-diligence & legal process.
2. Select a date to travel to Cyprus to complete a Cyprus property tour and benefit from preferential hotel rates through our exclusive NGE partnership network.
3. Review the properties and conduct due diligence on the developers and if satisfied select a property(ies) to a minimum value of €2,000,000.
4. Pay deposit and sign contracts.
5. Complete purchase of the property (can be completed once you are in your home country) by transferring money into an approved Escrow account with 100% refund status assigned to it, to protect you upon government citizenship approval or rejection after 3 months of Background Security Checks.
6. Submit the application for Permanent Residence & Citizenship (M127) and supporting documentation.
7. Permanent Residency issued with 3-4 weeks after property purchase.
8. Citizenship approval within 10 weeks.
9. Passport issued after a further 14-16 weeks (6 months after PR card issued).
10. After 3 years you may sell any property you have purchased as long as you maintain a property worth at least €500,000 on the island indefinitely.



GDP
\$19.8 billion



VISA-FREE COUNTRIES
158



PASSPORT RANK
10th



CURRENCY
Euro €

158 Visa Free Countries

Cyprus:

AFRICA

Angola
Botswana
Cape Verde
Comoros
Djibouti
Egypt
Guinea-Bissau
Gambia
Madagascar
Malawi
Mauritius
Mauritania
Morocco
Mozambique
São Tomé & Príncipe
Seychelles
Somalia
South Africa
St. Helena
Swaziland
Tanzania
Togo
Uganda
Zambia
Zimbabwe

ASIA

Armenia
Bahrain
Bangladesh
Brunei
Cambodia
Hong Kong
Indonesia
Iran
Israel
Japan
Jordan
Kazakhstan
Kyrgyzstan
Laos
Lebanon
Macau
Malaysia
Maldives
Nepal
Oman
Philippines
Singapore
South Korea
Solomon Isl.
Taiwan
Tajikistan
Thailand
Timor-Leste
Tuvalu
United Arab Emirates

AMERICAS

Argentina
Bahamas
Belize
Bolivia
Brazil
Chile
Colombia
Costa Rica
Ecuador
El Salvador
Guatemala
Honduras
Mexico
Nicaragua
Panama
Paraguay
Peru
Uruguay
Venezuela

CARIBBEAN

Antigua & Barbuda
Barbados
Dominica
Dominican Republic
Grenada
Haiti
Jamaica
St. Kitts & Nevis
St. Lucia
St. Vincent & The Grenadines
Trinidad & Tobago

EUROPE

Albania
Andorra
Austria
Belarus
Belgium
Bosnia & Herzegovina
Bulgaria
Croatia
Czech Republic
Denmark
Estonia
Finland
France
Georgia
Greece
Germany
Hungary
Iceland
Ireland (Rep.)
Italy
Kosovo
Latvia

Liechtenstein
Lithuania
Luxembourg
Macedonia
Malta
Moldova
Monaco
Montenegro
Netherlands
Norway
Poland
Portugal
Romania
San Marino
Serbia
Spain
Slovakia
Slovenia
Sweden
Switzerland
Ukraine
United Kingdom

OCEANIA

Cook Islands
Fiji
Kiribati
Marshall Islands
Micronesia
New Zealand
Palau
Papua New Guinea
Samoa
Solomon Islands
Tonga
Tuvalu
Vanuatu

E-VISA

Australia
Azerbaijan
Benin
Canada
Cote D'Ivoire
Ethiopia
Gabon
India
Kenya
Kuwait
Myanmar
Qatar
Rwanda
Sri Lanka
Tajikistan
Turkey