



Approved Guarantors for Passports Applications Lodged in Switzerland (when using a PC8 application form)

To qualify the guarantor must meet **ALL** of the requirements listed below. If your guarantor does not fulfil all of the requirements listed below you will be required to provide a new guarantor, new guarantor page and new endorsed/signed photos.

Eligible Guarantor Requirements:

- be **18 years** or over, be able to satisfy and complete either **section 11A or 11B** of the PC8 application form
- not be related** to the applicant by birth or marriage
- not be in a de facto or registered relationship** with the applicant or parent of a child applicant (this includes a same sex relationships)
- not live** at the **same address** as the applicant, or either parent of a child applicant
- have known** the applicant for at least **12 months** or, for children under 1 year old, since birth

1. An **Australian Citizen** currently holding a valid Australian passport that was issued with a validity of at least 2 years

OR

Foreign National who currently works as:

2. Accountant (must be an eligible member of a professional association)
3. Attorney / Lawyer / Barrister / Solicitor / Patent Attorney
4. Bank Manager (includes department heads with accountancy qualifications)
5. Dentist
6. Doctor / Registered medical practitioner
7. Engineer (must be an eligible member of a professional association)
8. Judges
9. Optometrist
10. Pharmacist
11. Police Officer (with 5 years continuous service)
12. Public servant (with 5 years continuous service with current employer)
13. Registered Nurse
14. Registered Veterinary Surgeon
15. Marriage Celebrant / Minister of Religion
16. Teacher (full-time, who has been teaching for more than 5 years at schools or tertiary educational institutions)