

Dominica

CITIZENSHIP BY INVESTMENT PROGRAMME



Overview



Established in 1993



Type: citizenship



Processing time: around 3 months

Benefits of Citizenship



The right, but not the obligation, to live and work in Dominica



Citizenship may be passed to future generations



Dual citizenship allowed under the laws of Dominica



Visa-free travel, including visas-onarrival, to around 140 destinations

Main Requirements

- ✓ Over the age of 18
- ✓ Good character
- √ No residence requirement
- ✓ No travel requirement
- No interview requirement
- No English language requirement

Ranked no. 1 in the 2020, 2019, 2018, and 2017 CBI Index (published by the Financial Times' Professional Wealth Management (PWM) magazine).

Family Inclusion



The following family members may be included in an application for citizenship by investment:

- Spouse
- Children of the main applicant or of the spouse, if:
 - Aged under 18
 - Aged 18-30 and substantially supported by the main applicant or his or her spouse
 - Aged above 18, physically or mentally challenged, and substantially supported by the main applicant or his or her spouse
- Parents or grandparents of the main applicant or of the spouse who are substantially supported by the main applicant or his or her spouse
- Spouses of eligible parents or grandparents of the main applicant or of the spouse
- Siblings of the main applicant or of the spouse aged 18-25, single, childless, and substantially supported by the main applicant or his or her spouse
- Siblings of the main applicant or of the spouse aged under 18, single, childless, substantially supported by the main applicant or his or her spouse, and in receipt of consent to make an application from all persons with parental responsibility

The Investment

There are two investment options in Dominica: (1) a contribution to the Government's Economic Diversification Fund (EDF) and (2) the purchase of pre-approved real estate.

1. EDF Option











Main applicant, spouse, and two other dependants other than a dependent sibling US\$175,000

2. Pre-Approved Real Estate Option

Minimum investment is **US\$200,000** for all applications. Pre-approved real estate must be held for at least 3 years, which increases to 5 years if the purchaser is also an applicant for citizenship by investment. Most real estate options available are shares in high-end tourist accommodation.

Additionally, the following Government Fees apply:





Main applicant and up to three dependants other than a dependent sibling US\$35,000



Main applicant and up to five dependants other than a dependent sibling US\$50,000



Main applicant and at least six dependants other than a dependent sibling US\$70,000





The following basic fees apply to both options:

Due Diligence Fees





Spouse US\$4,000



Other family members aged 16 or above US\$4,000 each

Processing Fee

Per application: US\$1,000

- Bank Due Diligence Fees
- Naturalisation Certificate Fees
- Passport Fees