



## eVisitor Fact Sheet

October 2008

From late October 2008, eVisitor will be available, free of charge, to citizen passport holders of European Union member states and European ETA eligible countries.

eVisitor is a 'label free' authority to visit Australia for tourism or business purposes. eVisitor holders can enter Australia multiple times over a twelve month period, staying for up to three months on each occasion.

The eVisitor application is an online service available to eligible clients.

See: [www.immi.gov.au](http://www.immi.gov.au)

Most applications for eVisitor will be auto-granted. Those that require further assessment will be manually processed within two to ten working days by the Hobart eVisitor Global Processing Centre.

To be eligible to apply for an eVisitor applicants must:

- be intending to visit Australia for tourism or business purposes,
- hold an eVisitor eligible passport, and
- be located outside Australia at the time of application and to be eligible for the grant of an eVisitor.

Applicants of all ages who hold a valid citizen passport from one of the following 35 countries are eligible to apply for an eVisitor.

Andorra	Austria	Belgium	Bulgaria
Cyprus	Czech Republic	Denmark	Estonia
Finland	France	Germany	Greece
Hungary	Iceland	Ireland	Italy
Latvia	Liechtenstein	Lithuania	Luxembourg
Malta	Monaco	Netherlands	Norway
Poland	Portugal	Romania	San Marino
Slovakia	Slovenia	Spain	Sweden
Switzerland	United Kingdom	Vatican City (Holy See)	

It is a condition of holding an eVisitor that clients:

- be in good health (and are free from tuberculosis), and
- have no criminal convictions for which they have been sentenced for a total of 12 months or more, whether or not the sentence/s were served.

More information is available on the departmental website.

See: <http://www.immi.gov.au/visitors/tourist/whats-new.htm>