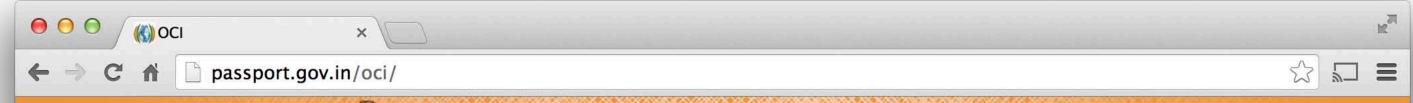


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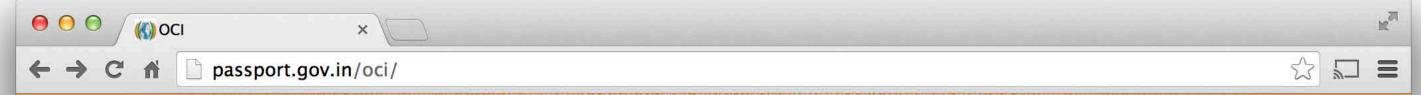
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A foreign national, who was eligible to become citizen of India on 26 th January 1950 or belonged to a territory that became part of India after 15 th August 1947 and his/her children and grand children are eligible for registration as OCI. However, if the applicant had ever been a citizen of Pakistan or Bangladesh, he/she will not be eligible for OCI. A person who may have been a citizen of Pakistan or Bangladesh, and is married to a person eligible for registration as OCI is not eligible for grant of OCI. However, their children are eligible as OCI. An OCI Registration Card will be issued by the Indian Missions/Posts abroad after scrutinizing the application and deciding eligibility.

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Application for registration as OCI can be made Online. Before filling the application, Instructions may be perused so that there is no mistake in submission of application. Further, the details regarding Fee and Offices where applications have to be filed may also be perused.

To apply for OCI Registration, please Click Here



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Online OCI Services

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO OCI CARD HOLDERS

OCI card holders traveling to India are advised to carry the Passport containing U Visa sticker and OCI Card to avoid problems at Immigration check points in India. In case registered OCI has obtained a new passport, kindly ensure to carry the passport containing U Visa sticker, new passport and OCI document during all visits to India.

ALTERNATIVELY, Miscellaneous Services can be availed for transfer of U Visa sticker to new passport. However, before applying for Misc Services kindly read the instructions posted under OCI Misc Service particularly the processing period. Since applications are processed in the order of their receipt in the Consulate, this service cannot be expedited. New OCI Registration can be done online.

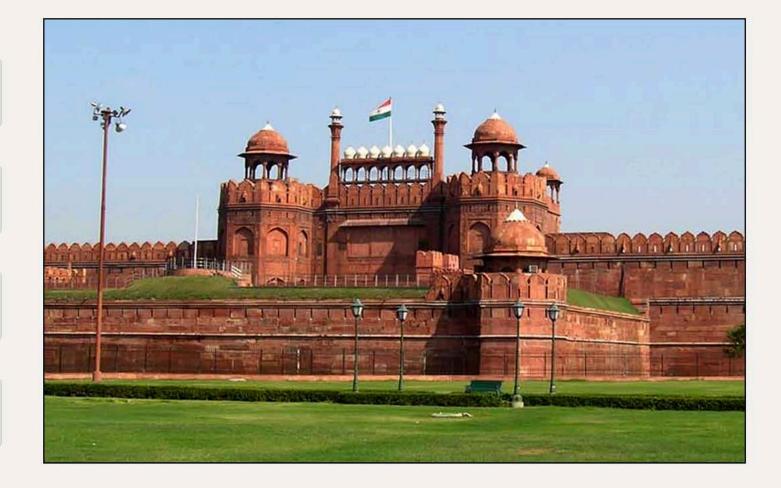
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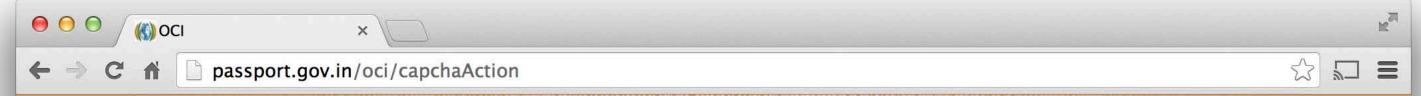
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Status Enquiry

Re-Print Submitted Applications







Overseas Citizenship Of India Services

OCI-Registration is an online process. Eligibles are supposed to register through the appropriate link given. Only after complete successful registration, an applicant will be considered as an OCI-Card Applicant

Steps for successful Registration

- 1. Read Instruction carefully before starting the registration process.
- 2. Make a list of family members who are willing to apply for OCI.
- 3. Start registration from Part-A, and keep registering Part-A for all the family members in one go.
- 4. Part-B Registration, which is a group registration, will require information of the family members who are applying for OCI-Card.
- 5. Documents to be enclosed alongwith application are given at the end of Part-B.
- 6. Completed application is to be submitted to the appropriate office.

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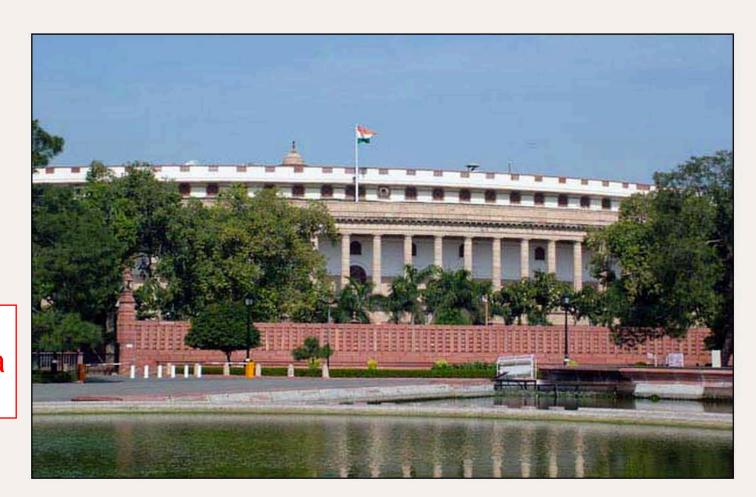
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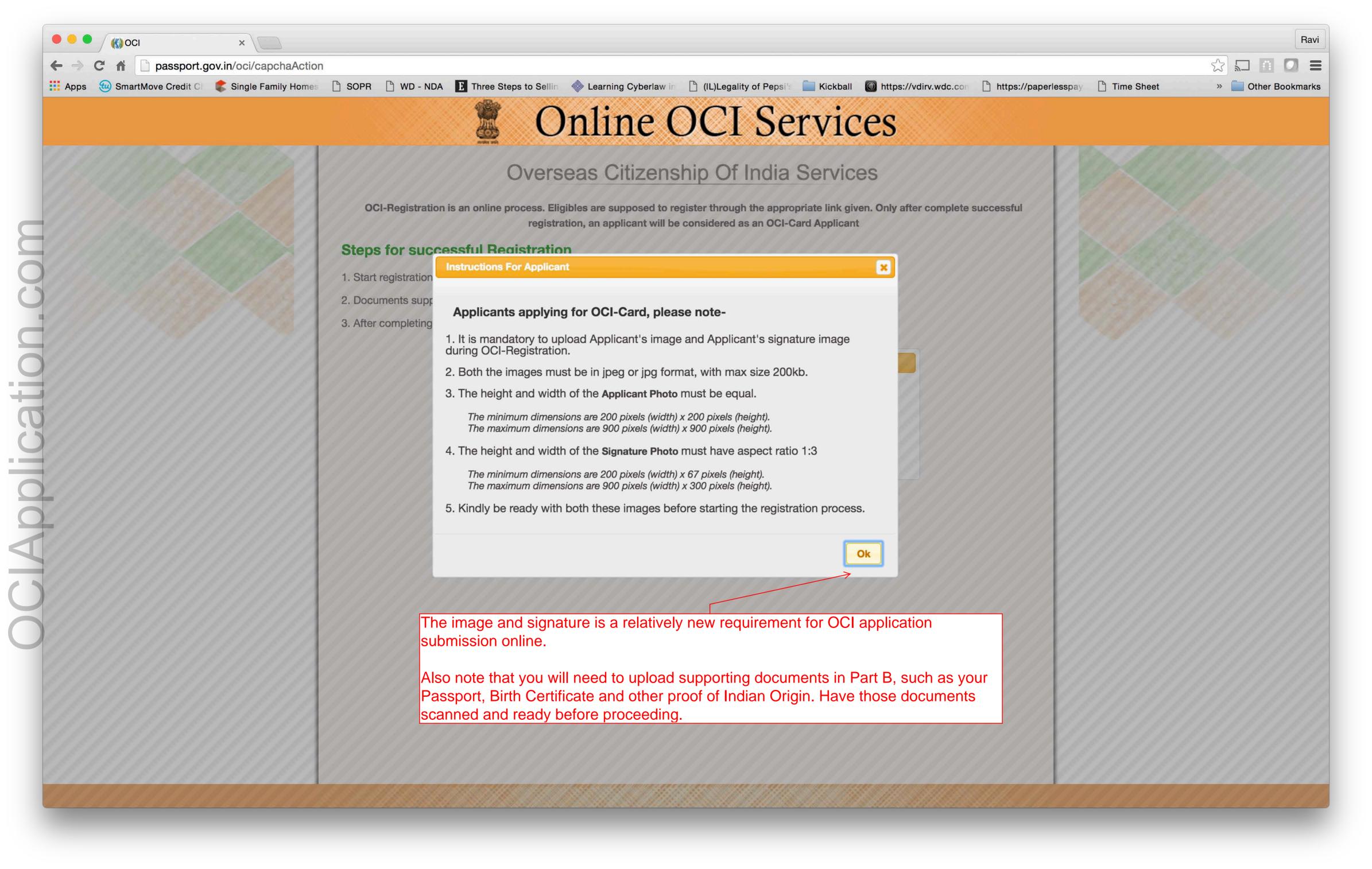
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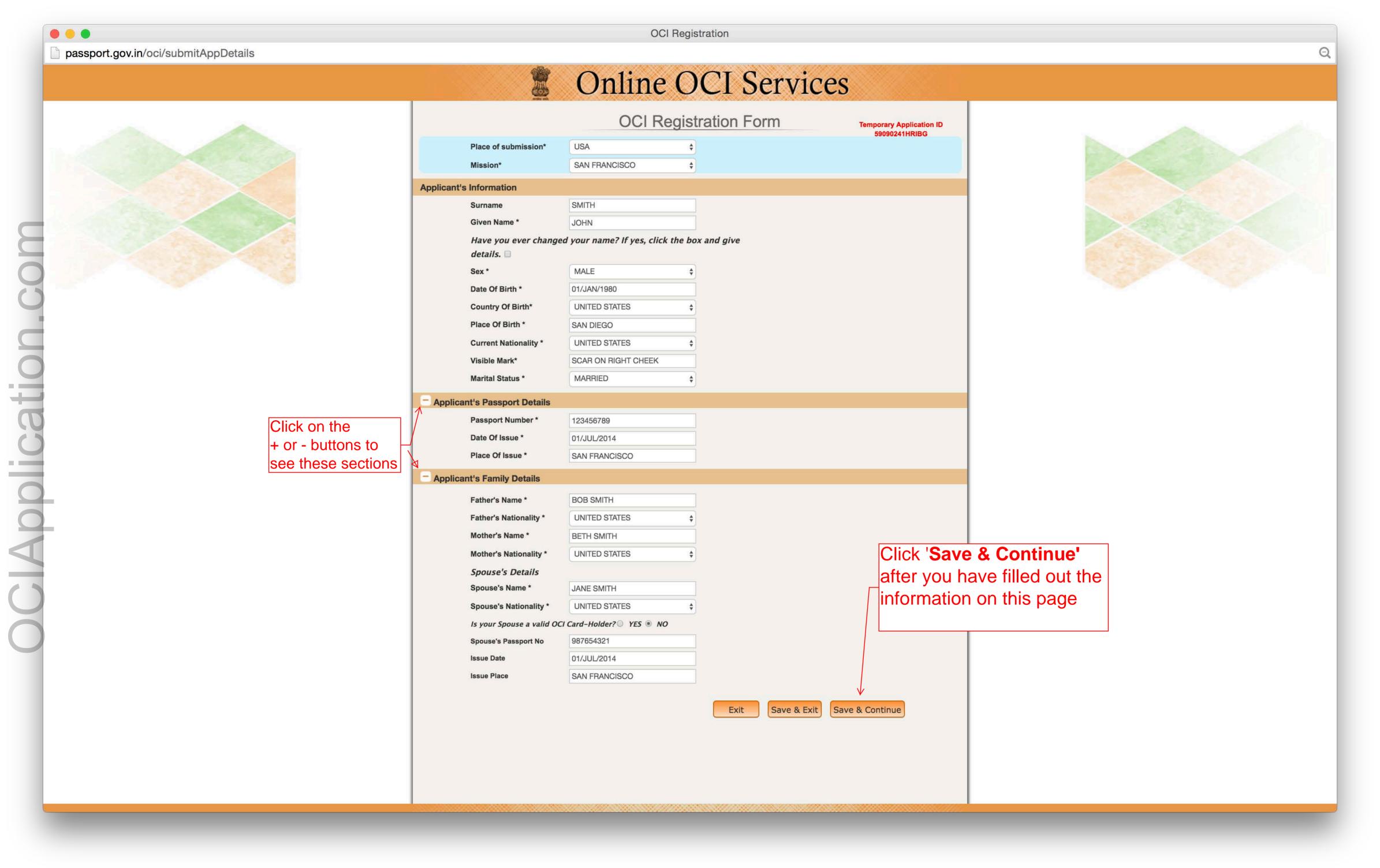
Complete Partially-Filled Application

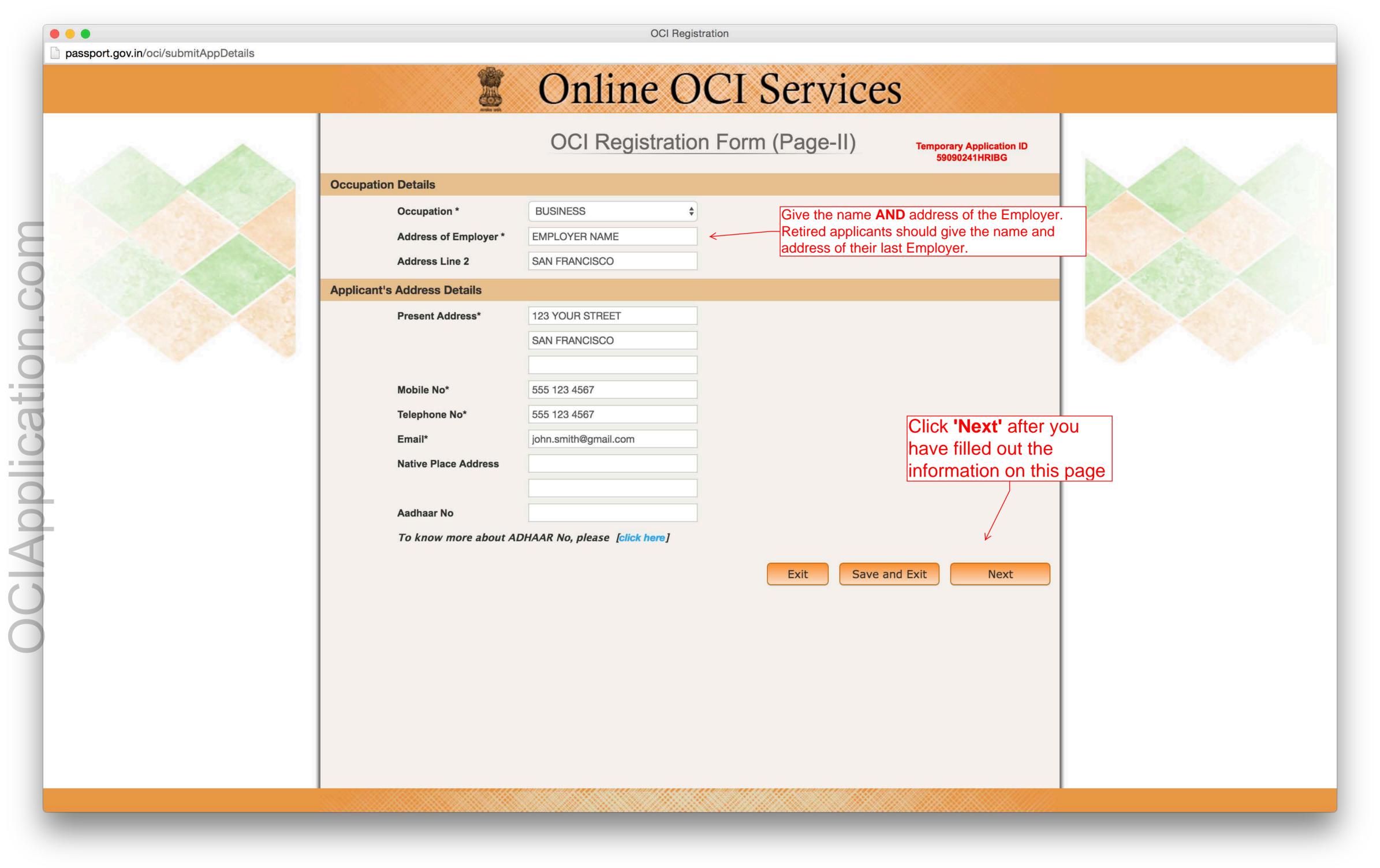
Click There if you already started an application online AND have a 'Temporary Application ID'



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Verify Information

Temporary Application ID 07022135XTG21

Please verify information provided by you. Submission of this form will never allow you to change your information for this application. If you need to change the information provided, click on Modify button provided below.

Applicant Information

Country Selected USA

Mission Selected SAN FRANCISCO

SMITH Surname **Given Name** JOHN

Previous Name Never Changed

MALE

Date Of Birth 01/JAN/1980 Place Of Birth SAN DIEGO UNITED STATES **Current Nationality** Visible Mark SCAR ON RIGHT CHEEK

> **Marital Status** MARRIED

Family Information

Father's Name **BOB SMITH UNITED STATES** Mother's Name **BETH SMITH UNITED STATES** Mother's Nationality JANE SMITH Spouse Name Spouse Nationality UNITED STATES

Passport Information

Passport Number 123456789 **Date Of Issue** 01/JUL/2014 Place Of Issue SAN FRANCISCO

PIO card information

Are you a PIO card holder? NO

Occupation Details

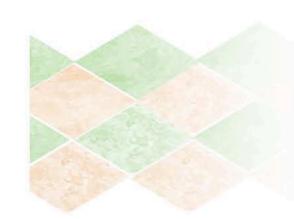
Occupation **BUSINESS** Address of Employer 123 MAIN STREET SAN FRANCISCO

Residential Address Details

Present Address 123 YOUR STREET

Mobile

Click 'Submit' after you verify all the information on this page is correct. If you need to make any changes, click 'modify'.

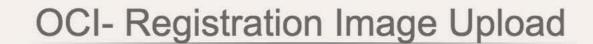


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SAN FRANCISCO 555 123 4567

Modify





Temporary Application ID 59090241HRIBG

Your File Reference Number is

USAS07635N16

Till now you have successfully registered Part-A. After uploading image and signature, you will be redirected to fill the Part B to complete the registration.

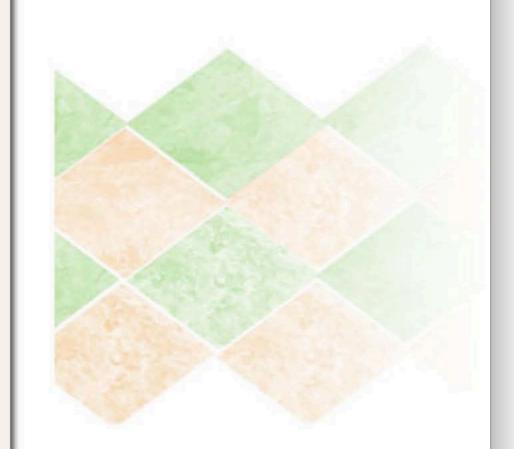
Please ensure following points before uploading photo

- Applicant's Image and Applicant's Signature Image should be of jpeg or jpg format.
- · Applicant's Image and Applicant's Signature Image size should not be larger than 200KB.
- Applicant's Images must be square; i.e, aspect ratio must be 1:1
- Applicant's Signature Images should have aspect ratio(height:width) must be 1:3
- If you don't want to upload photograph. You can click the "Exit Now" button below.

Yes i am ready with the image

Exit Now

Click 'Yes I am read with the image' when ready to proceed





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Applicant Photo/Signature Upload

To upload applicant's image

Choose File No file chosen

TIPS:

The size limit on the image / signature file is very restrictive. If having trouble with the size, here are some tips:

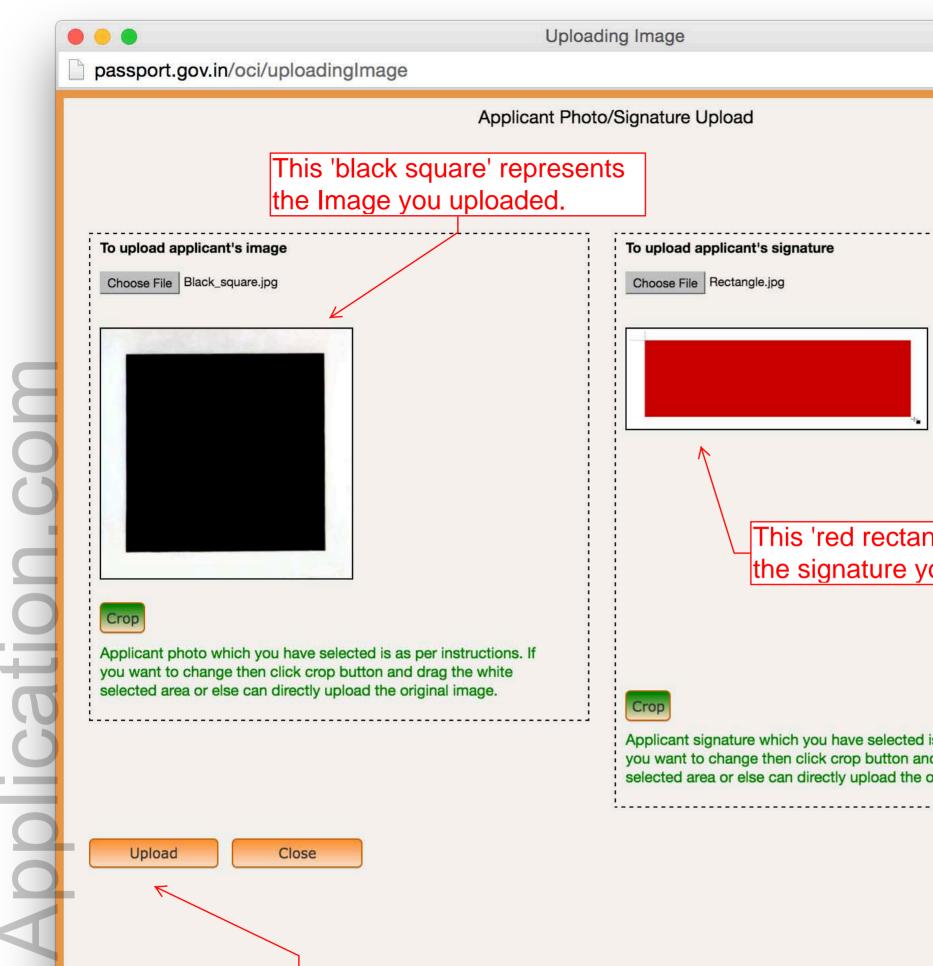
- 1. Open the scanned image / signature in MS Paint.
- 2. Click on re-size option within MS Paint. Click on pixel radio button.
- 3. For the image, change the pixel size to 360 X 360. For the signature, change the pixel size to 300 X 900.
- 4. Save the image / signature. If it is above 30KB then open MS Paint, insert picture-> then click on compress -> it will reduce the picture size by maintaining the pixel ratio.

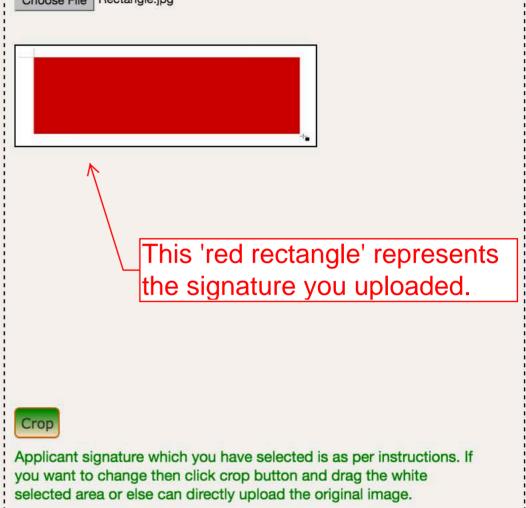
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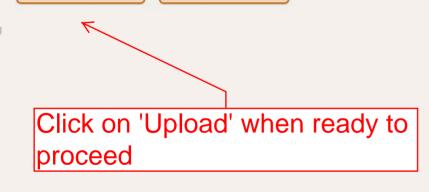
Choose File No file chosen

Upload Close

Click on 'Upload' after selecting the image and signature files above.





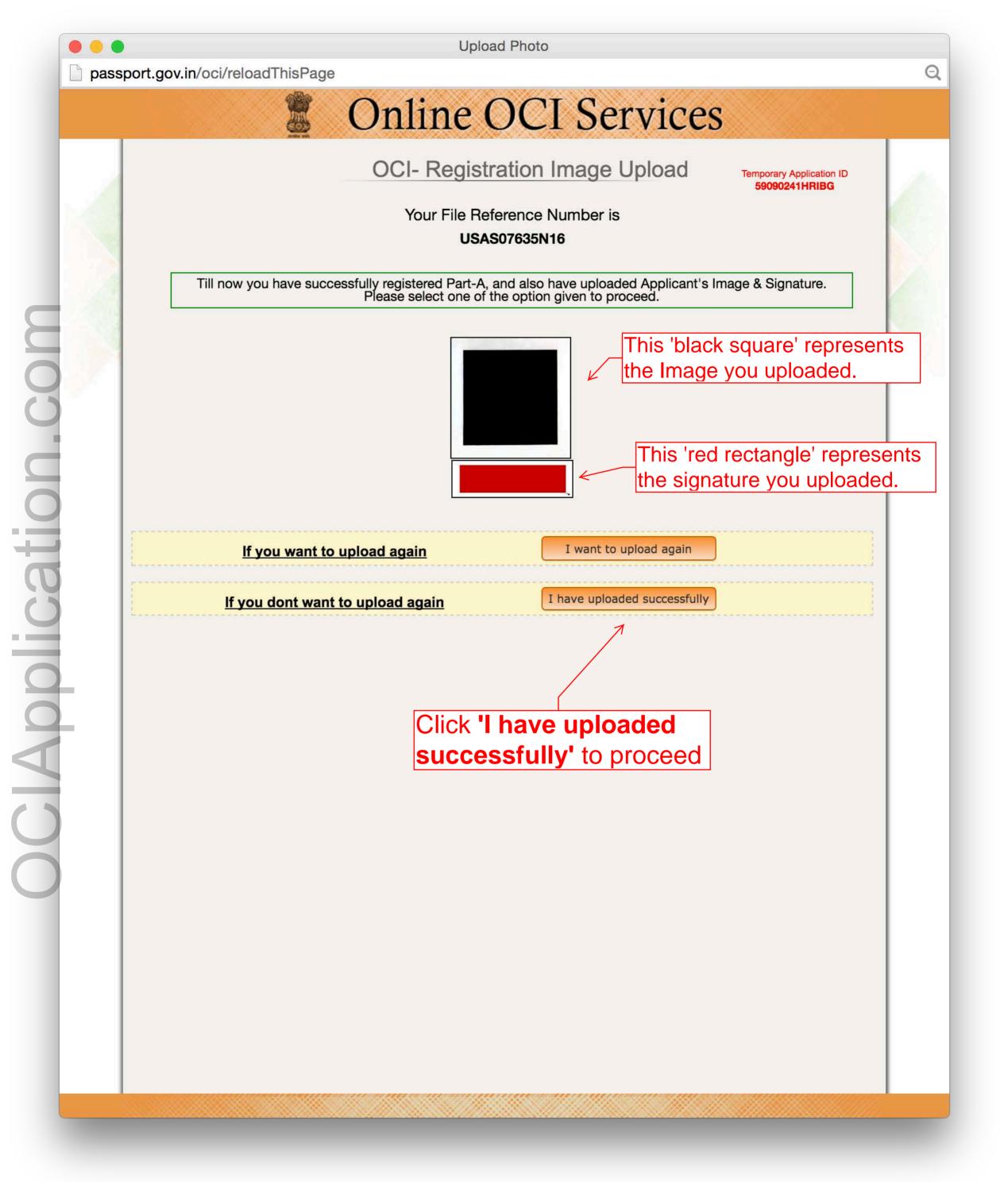


Close

Applicant photo which you have selected is as per instructions. If you want to change then click crop button and drag the white selected area or else can directly upload the original image.

Crop

Upload





Click 'Continue' to

proceed to Part B.

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Your File Reference Number is USAS07635N16

Till now you have successfully registered Part-A, and have also uploaded Applicant's Image & Signature.

Applicant Name

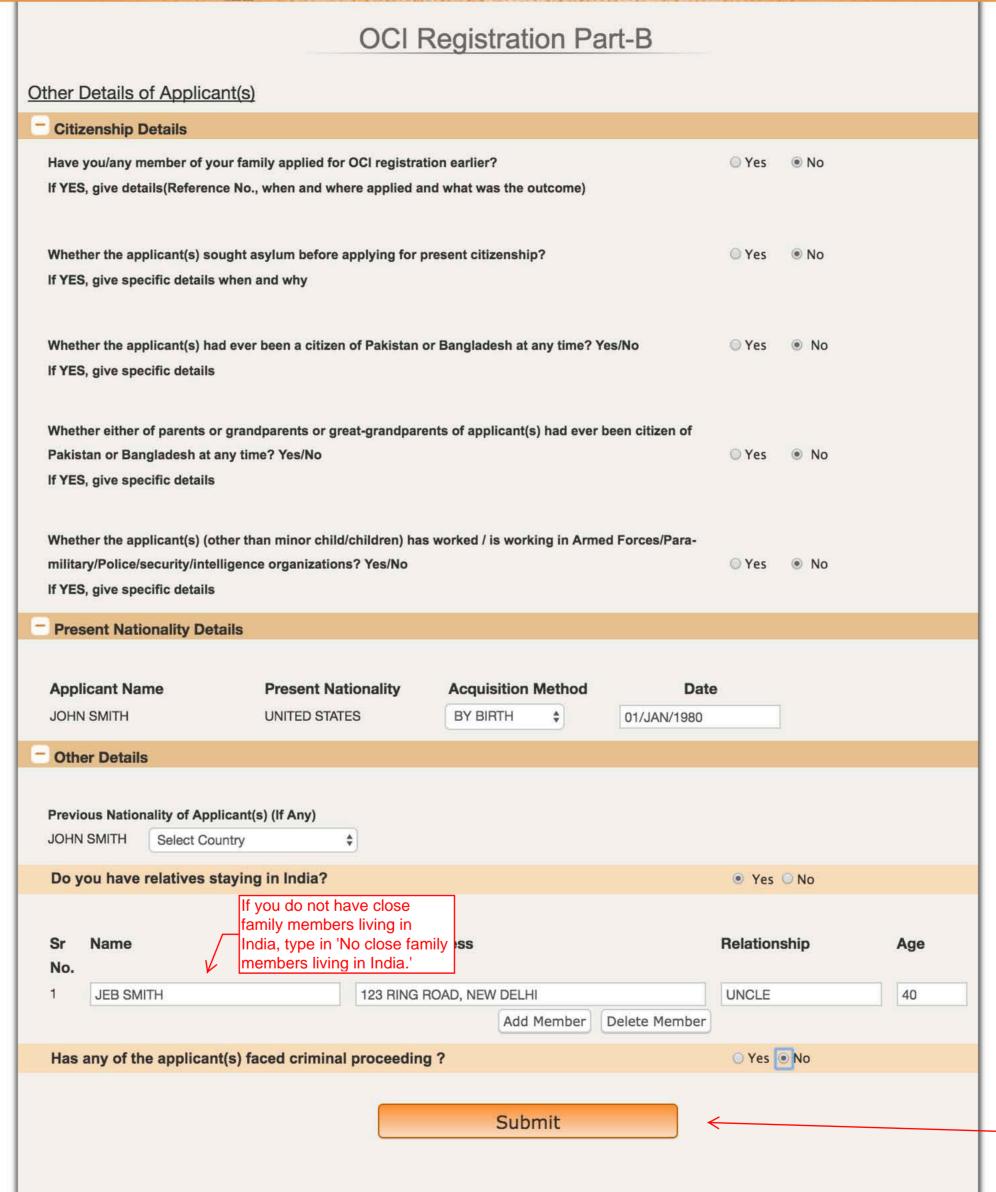
JOHN SMITH

USAS07635N16

Proceed To Part-B

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Online OCI Registration

YOU HAVE BEEN SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED BOTH PART-A & PART-B OF ONLINE OCI REGISTRATION FOR THE FOLLOWING APPLICANT.

YOU ARE REQUESTED TO UPLOAD APPROPRIATE DOCUMENTS. OTHERWISE YOUR APPLICATION WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

Applicant Name

Web File-Number

JOHN SMITH

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To upload supporting documents (Mandatory)

Upload Documents

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Review the Checklist available on OCIApplication.com to identify supporting documentation needed for proof of Indian origin, such as a

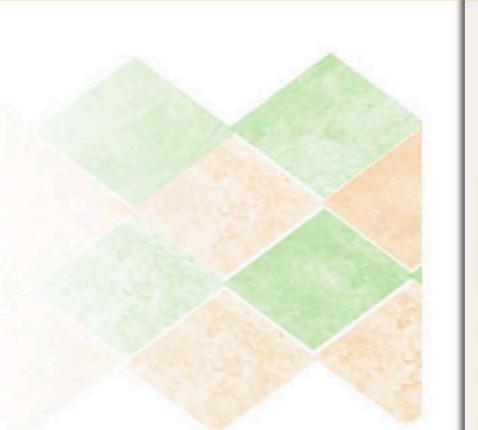
Passport, Birth Certificate, Marriage

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Online OCI Document Upload

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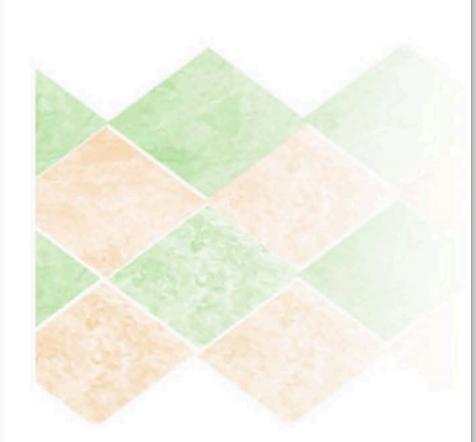
Applicant Name	Web File-Number		
JOHN SMITH	USAS07635N16		
Document Upload			
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INDIAN ORIGIN PROOF	Uploaded	Re-Upload	
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UPLOADING OF INDIAN ORIGIN PROOF FOR JOHN SMITH HAS SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED

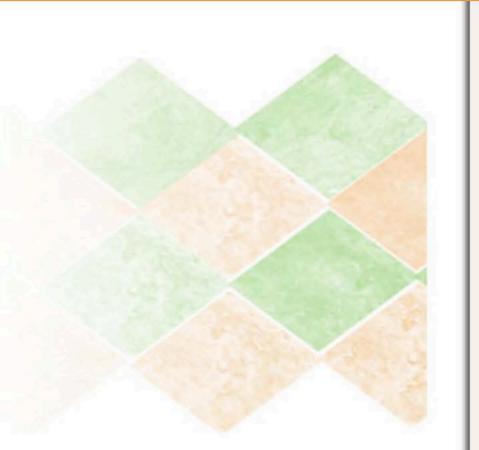
Final Submit

After you have uploaded your supporting documents, click on 'Final Submit' to generate your registration form.

NOTE: You should still send self-attested copies of the documents you have uploaded when you submit your registration form to your local Indian Mission.







Online OCI Document Upload

Welcome to Document-Upload Section of Online OCI- Registration

Applicant Name JOHN SMITH	Web File-Number USAS07635N16		
Document Upload			
CURRENT PASSPORT	Uploaded	Re-Upload	
INDIAN ORIGIN PROOF	Uploaded	Re-Upload	
Select a Document Type to upload Select Document	\$		

UPLOADING OF INDIAN ORIGIN PROOF FOR JOHN SMITH HAS SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED

To generate filled Registration Form

Generate Registration Form

Click 'Generate Registration
Form' to download your
completed OCI Application that
you will submit to your local
Indian Mission / Embassy /
Consulate.

Save this number to track your OCI Application

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OCI Application Tracking

Consulate General Of India

SAN FRANCISCO 540 ARGUELLO BLVD. SF, CA. 94118

www.cgisf.org 4156680662

OCI Registration Form

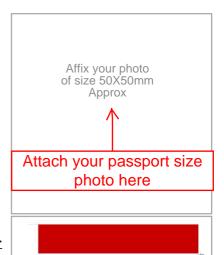
FORM XIX (See Rule 25B)

Application for registration as an Overseas Citizen of India under section 7A of the Citizenship Act,1955

5. Date of Birth

7. State (Birth)

Signature >



01-JAN-1980

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Personal Particulars (As in Passport)

JOHN

1/Surname **SMITH**

3. Previous Name

Given Name

4. Sex MALE

6. Country(Birth) **UNITED STATES**

8. Place of Birth SAN DIEGO

9. Marital Status **MARRIED**

UNITED STATES 10. Nationality

SCAR ON RIGHT CHEEK 11. Visible Distinguishing Mark

Family Details

File Ref No: USAS07635N16

12. Father Name **BOB SMITH**

13. Father Nationality **UNITED STATES**

14. Mother Name **BETH SMITH**

15. Mother Nationality UNITED STATES

16. Spouse Name JANE SMITH

17. Spouse Nationality UNITED STATES

18. Spouse Passport No 987654321 01-JUL-2014 19. Spouse Passport Issue Date

20. Spouse Passport Issue Place SAN FRANCISCO

Passport Details

21. Passport No 22. Date Of Issue 01-JUL-2014 123456789

23. Place of Issue SAN FRANCISCO

Occupation Details

24. Occupation **BUSINESS**

25. Employer Address **EMPLOYER NAME SAN FRANCISCO**

Applicant's Contact Details

26. Present Address 123 YOUR STREET, SAN FRANCISCO

27. Email 28. Phone No john.smith@gmail.com 555 123 4567

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	Part B (Ot	her Details Of App	olicant(s))					
29. Have you/any member of your family applied for OCI Registration earlier?								
30. Whether the applicant(s) sought asylum before applying for present citizenship?								
31. Whether the appl	icant(s) had ever beer	n citizen of Pakistan	or Bangladesh at any	time? No				
32. Whether either of	32. Whether either of parents or grandparents or great-grandparents of applicant(s) had ever No							
been citizen of Pakis	tan or Bangladesh at a	any time?	,					
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Applicant Name	Acquisition Metho		Previous	Nationality				
JOHN SMITH	BY BIRTH	01-JAN-1980	N	IA .				
35. Details of Family M	embers who are staying	in India if any						
Sr No	Name	-	Present Address R					
1 JEB SMITH	Namo		123 RING ROAD, NEW DELHI					
	al Proceedings agains							
Applicant(s) Name Date Of Incidence Pla			Nature Of Incidence	Outcome				
JOHN SMITH	NA	NA	NA	NA				
37. I/We do solemnly and sincerely declare that the foregoing particulars stated on this application are true ,and I/We make the solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true.								
Date			Use a	Thumbprint if				
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I am a parent/guardian of particulars relate. I hereby apply on behalf of my/the child (children) for his/her/their registration as an								
Overseas Citizen(s)	of India.							
Date		Signature of Fat	her/Guardian					
Date	Date							
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** To be filled only fo	r minor applicant(s)							
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Instructions For Filling Application Form

Valid PIO card of the applicant.

- **1.** Please write/print fields in BLOCK LETTERS.
- 2. A person who has not attained the age of 18 years is considered as minor. In case of minor who cannot sign, his/her left thumb impression may be placed in the signature box. Parents should not sign in behalf of the children.
- **3.** Signature/Thumb impression should be confined in the prescribed box. In case of minor applicants, parent should NOT sign in the box.
- 4. Photograph to be affixed on the application should be a square shape of size not less than 51*51mm (with 80% coverage of face). It should have plain light color background (not white) without the border with front view of person's head and shoulders showing the full face in middle of the photograph. It should not be stapled and not have any signature.
 Photographs that do not conform to these standards will be rejected and may cause a delay in
 - Photographs that do not conform to these standards will be rejected and may cause a delay in processing the applications. Please see standards of acceptable photographs as Photo Link.
- Status Enquiry. Please follow the instructions and send requisite documents to the Indian Mission/
 Office where you have applied quoting the File (or Acknowledgement) Number.
- **6.** After successful registration, copy of Part A and Part B with an online registration number will be printed. Application form on Parts A and B, complete in all respects, along with all relevant enclosures may be submitted to the appropriate office.
- 7. Enclosures to be attached with the application:
 - I. In case of applications for registration as Overseas Citizen of India Cardholder in lieu of PIO card, only copies of the following documents to be attached:-
 - 1. Valid passport of the applicant
 - 2. Valid PIO card of the applicant.

No registration fee is payable for registration as OCI Cardholder in lieu of PIO Card. However, postage charges and service fee wherever applicable will be payable by the applicant.

- **II.** In case of fresh applications for registration as OCI Cardholder, following documents to be attached:-
 - (A) Proof of present citizenship Copy of present valid passport (applicable in all cases), with validity of minimum 6 months at the time of submission of application.
 - **(B)** In case application is submitted in India, copy of any type of Visa (other than Missionary Visa and Mountaineering Visa)/ Residential Permit with 3 months validity as on the date of application.
 - (C) Evidence of self or parents or grandparents or great grandparents being a citizen of India at the

time of, or at any time after the commencement of the Constitution i.e. 26.01.1950 or being eligible to become a citizen of India at the time of commencement of the Constitution i.e. 26.01.1950 or belonging to a territory that became part of India after 15th August, 1947:-

These could be:

- (a) Copy of the Indian Passport; or
- (b) Copy of the Domicile Certificate issued by the Competent Authority; or
- (c) Copy of Nativity Certificate from the Competent Authority; or
- (d) OCI Card/ PIO card of parents/ spouse along with the base papers/ documents upon which the OCI/ PIO card was issued; or
- (e) Any other proof substantiating the request. Usually applicants are able to submit a certificate of residence or place of birth of self/parents/grandparents from First Class Magistrate/District Magistrate (DM) of the concerned place.
- **(D)** Evidence of relationship as parent/grandparent/ great grandparent, if their Indian origin is claimed as basis for registration as OCI Cardholder: The document of relationship could be "Birth Certificate" issued from competent authority mentioning both parents' name. In case the birth certificate is issued by a foreign authority, it is to be Apostled or endorsed by the concerned Indian Mission abroad
- **(E)** In case of minor child whose both parents are citizens of India or one of the parents is a citizen of India:
 - (a) Copy of child's birth certificate
 - (b) Copy of Indian passport of the parents / one of the parents or copy of the Domicile Certificate or Nativity Certificate issued by the Competent Authority in respect of the parents/ one of the parents or any other proof substantiating the status of the parents/ one of the parents as being Indian citizen(s).
 - (c) If the parents are divorced, court order of dissolution of marriage, which specifically mentions that the legal custody of the child is with the parent who is applying for the OCI card.
- **(F)** Evidence as spouse of foreign origin of a citizen of India or spouse of foreign origin of an OCI Cardholder:
 - (a) Registered marriage certificate; and
 - (b) In the case of spouse of an Indian citizen Copy of the Indian Passport of the spouse or copy of the Domicile Certificate or Nativity Certificate issued by the Competent Authority in respect of the Indian spouse or any other proof substantiating the status of the spouse as being an Indian citizen.
 - (c) In the case of spouse of an OCI Cardholder Copy of the present valid Passport of the spouse and copy of the OCI Card of the spouse and copies of the documents upon which the OCI Card was issued to the spouse.

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- (a) In case of applications submitted to the Indian Mission/ Post abroad, OCI registration fee of US\$ 275 for each applicant in local currency to be paid by way of Demand Draft (till online payment facility is introduced).
- (b) In case of applications submitted in India, a fee of Rs.15,000/- by way of Demand Draft drawn in favour of "Pay and Accounts Officer (Secretariat), Ministry of Home Affairs" payable at New Delhi(till online payment facility is introduced).

- **8.** The documents enclosed with the application should be self attested.
- 9. This form when completed should be submitted in **original along with photograph**, **signature and requisite documents**.
 - In India to the Foreigners Regional Registration Officer (FRRO), Mumbai, Kolkata, Delhi, Amritsar, Chennai, Hyderabad, Bangalore, Lucknow, Kochi, Kozhikode, Thiruvananthapuram (Trivandrum) and Goa.
 - **II.** Outside India, to the Indian Mission/Post having jurisdiction over the country of which the applicant is a citizen or if he/she is not living the country of his/her citizenship, to the Indian Mission/Post having jurisdiction over the country of which the applicant is ordinarily resident
- **10.** After receipt of application in concerned office, a File (or Acknowledgement) Number would be issued to the applicant by way of acknowledgement
- 11. The applicant can verify the status of his/her application online by quoting the online Registration Number or File (or Acknowledgement) Number.
- 12. Please contact Mission/Office where you have applied for OCI registration after 10 days from the date of dispatch of documents from Delhi or any day after receipt of documents at the Mission/Office whichever is earlier. Please produce your passports(s) and PIO card, if applicable, in person/through authorized person for affixing OCI visa sticker and issuance of registration certificate. In case of applications filed in India with FRRO, applicants should go to the FRRO office in person/through authorized person.
- **13.** For collection of OCI document, the applicant is required to be present at the concerned Indian Mission / FRRO Office in person or he/she can send a duly authorized person, along with his/her passport & PIO card (if any) and the original documents for which self-attested copies were attached at the time of submitting application, for verification purposes.
- 14. Please check that all fields in the form are filled in and all necessary enclosures are attached before submission of the form to Indian Mission/Post abroad or FRRO in India.
- 15. Concealment of any material fact or false representation etc. will lead to cancellation of registration as Overseas Citizen of India (Please refer to section 7D of the Citizenship Act, 1955).
- A. For Re-print this application, visit: https://passport.gov.in/oci
- **B.** For status Enquiry about your application, visit: https://passport.gov.in/oci