

# Journalist Visa Checklist

**\*\* Applicants are requested to submit and upload ALL the documents even if it is optional choices \*\***

## Section A: Standard Documents

※ Please contact the Public Affairs Section of the Embassy of India in Korea in advance to verify the latest requirements and procedures regarding the documents needed for obtaining journalist visa

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- ❑ Journalist should apply for a Journalist Visa even if their visit to India is for purposes other than Journalism (e.g. general tourism). However, the type of visa may be subject to change based on the embassy's request
- ❑ Verification of your filming [ ! ] **Interview is required**
  - (a) Journalist Certification
  - (b) Press Accreditation Card copy
  - (c) Employer's Letter stating the purpose of travel, the places to be visited for journalism purposes, and detailed information about your program.
  - (d) Invitation letter from India company or organization.
  - (e) Form-2
  - (f) (JV) Information Detail
- ❑ Bank balance or statement (Minimum USD 10,000)-The issue date must be within 1 week at the time of submission.
- ❑ A round-trip[return] plane ticket
- ❑ Undertaking
  - ; Must include : purpose of visit, duration, place of staying, and a statement stating that he/she will responsibility of his/her action. (The issue date, signature must be included.)

### \* Please Note :

- New visa regulations (since Jan 2022)

All applicants should upload all the necessary documents (PDF) on the India-government Website

(<https://indianvisaonline.gov.in>)

\* This Checklist is not exhaustive and does not guarantee a visa. The India visa application center or its Consulates reserve the right to ask for additional documents if required. Furthermore, you should upload and submit all the necessary documents.

Please understanding The India visa application center could not provide accurate guidelines for any type of visa.

## Section B: Important Reminders

Please note **the validity of the visa begins from the date of issue** (NOT from the date of arrival in India)

Visa fees and other service fees cannot be refunded once your application is submitted.