



Consulate General of Italy, Lagos

REQUISITE DOCUMENTS FOR RE-ENTRY VISA

(Subject to prior authorization "Nulla Osta" by Italian QUESTURA)

All the documents here listed are compulsory and no application will be accepted if one or more document(s) is/are missing

- Application form duly filled in block capitals. Application must be signed and dated by applicant on submitting the application. The visa application form can be downloaded from the web site www.italy-ng.com .
- Two recent colour passport-size photographs (white background), size 3,5 x 4,5 cm. As to the technical specification see the relevant document. 1 photograph should be glued to the visa application and the second one, bearing on the reverse side the applicant's full name, should be attached to the application with a paper clip.
- Passport valid for at 18 months from the date of visa application. Only biometric passports are accepted. Passport valid for at least 3 months after the expiry date of visa plus clear photocopy of passport's ID page
- Photocopy of Residence Permit (Permesso di soggiorno)
- Colour photocopy of the passport page containing holder's bio-data
- Original (or photocopy) of the last air-ticket which was used by the applicant

to come to Nigeria from Italy

- A sheet containing the applicant's bio-data, phone number and active e-mail address. This information must be typed.
- Sworn Affidavit detailing reasons for the re-entry visa application:
 - a) If the "Permesso di soggiorno" (Residence permit) has expired since less than **6 months** (and applicant had not requested its renewal), are to be stated the reasons for not having applied for its renewal.
 - b) if the application for renewal was submitted but, for personal reasons, applicant had to leave Italy before its issuance, original of the receipt of renewal application (given to him/her by the Questura - Police Headquarters) is to be submitted
 - c) If the valid "Permesso di soggiorno" has been stolen or lost while in Nigeria, original Police Report, attesting loss/theft of "Permesso di soggiorno" (Residence Permit), is to be submitted in original.

APPLICANTS SHOULD NOTE THE FOLLOWING :

- Additional documents may be required in certain cases.
- All the documents should be provided in original and copy. Original documents will be returned to applicants while copies will be kept with the visa application.
- Any **forged/fake document or passport** submitted will not be returned to the applicant who might be prosecuted in both the Italian and the Nigerian Court.