



## New South Wales welcomes business migrants

New South Wales (NSW) welcomes business migrants who plan to set up a business or invest in Australia's leading economy. With its global capital Sydney, NSW offers business migrants a wealth of opportunities in a thriving economy, supported by world-class facilities and a quality lifestyle.

Most business migrants enter NSW firstly on a Provisional (Temporary Residence) visa for two to four years and then apply for a visa as a Permanent Resident.

Business migrants who meet the selection criteria for one of the visas listed below can apply to the NSW Department of State and Regional Development for State sponsorship of their visa application. Guidelines for State sponsorship can be downloaded from: [www.business.nsw.gov.au/migration](http://www.business.nsw.gov.au/migration)

Business migrants must then apply to the Commonwealth Department of Immigration and Multicultural Affairs (DIMA) for visa approval.

### NSW Sponsored Visas

NSW invites applications for sponsorship for the following visas:

#### Business Owner (Provisional) 163

For people who are less than 55 years of age with a successful business career including senior management or business ownership.

#### Investor (Provisional) 165

For people who are less than 55 years of age who have a successful business record and will make a Designated Investment with NSW Treasury Corporation for four years and will live in NSW for no less than two years.

#### Senior Executive (Provisional) 164

For people who are less than 55 years of age and who are employed in top management of a business with a turnover of at least A\$10 million a year.

#### Business Owner (Permanent) 892

For holders of a qualifying provisional visa or Business (Long Stay) Independent Executive visa who have operated a business for at least two years with a turnover of at least A\$200,000 a year.

#### Investor (Permanent) 893

For holders of a qualifying Investor (Provisional) visa who have been resident in NSW for at least the past two years and have a commitment to continue business or investment activity in NSW.

#### Regional Established Business (Permanent) 846

For holders of a qualifying Business (Long Stay) visa who have owned a business in a regional area of NSW for the past two years.

#### Business Talent 132

For people with an outstanding record of success in business and a proposal for a significant investment that generates exceptional benefits for the State.

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