

Citizenship fees - SEPTEMBER 2007

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Form 1300t

Application for Australian citizenship by conferral – General eligibility Fee concession* Child under 16 years applying on the same form as a parent	\$240 \$40 Nil		
		Fee exemption for certain former child migrants and Australian Defence Force (ADF) personnel	Nil
		Form 1290	
Application for Australian citizenship by conferral – Other situations	\$120		
Fee concession*	\$20		
Child under 16 years applying on the same form as a parent	Nil		
Fee exemption for certain former child migrants and Australian Defence Force (ADF) personnel	Nil		
Form 118			
Application for Australian citizenship by descent	\$110		

Form 119

at the same time

Application for evidence of Australian citizenship

Second and subsequent siblings applying

Form 128

Application for renunciation of Australian citizenship \$260

Form 132

Application to resume Australian citizenship

All fees are listed in Australian dollars (AUD) and correct at time

Method of payment

In Australia

of release.

To make a payment, please pay by credit card, debit card, bank cheque or money order made payable to the Department of Immigration and Citizenship. Debit card and credit card are the preferred methods of payment.

Outside Australia

Before making a payment outside Australia, please check with the Australian Government office where you intend to lodge your application as to what methods of payment and currencies they can accept and to whom the payment should be made payable.

Fees

Fees are specified in the Australian Citizenship Regulations 2007.

* Fee concessions for Australian citizenship by conferral

Centrelink

Holders of a Pensioner Concession Card (PCC) or Health Care Card (HCC) who are in receipt of the following payments:

- Age (PCC, Code AGE or AGE BLIND);
- Carer Payment (PCC, Code CAR);
- Disability Support (PCC, Code DSP or DSP BLIND);
- Mature Age Allowance (PCC, Code MAA or NMA); and
- Wife (PCC, Code WFA, WFD or WFW).

A Centrelink card with the relevant payment code is generally sufficient evidence of eligibility for a fee concession. Recipients of Special Benefit, Older Benefit-Parenting Payment Single or Partner Allowance need to provide a letter from Centrelink confirming that they meet the requirements below.

- Special Benefit (HCC, Code SL). Must have been receiving Special Benefit for at least 46 of the previous 52 weeks.
- Older benefit recipients (PCC, Codes WDA, PPP, PPS, NSA, SAL, PTA or SPL). Must be over 60 years of age and in receipt of Widow Allowance, Parenting Payment, Newstart Allowance, Sickness Allowance, Partner Allowance or Special Benefit, for more than 9 months.
- Partner Allowance (HCC, Code PA). Must be the partner of a recipient of Age, Wife or Disability Support Pension, Carer Payment, Mature Age Allowance, or long term Special Benefit.

Department of Veterans' Affairs

Holders of a Pensioner Concession Card for Age Service, Invalidity Service, Income Support Supplement or Partner Service. The Concession Card is generally sufficient evidence of eligibility for a fee concession.

Fee exemptions for Australian citizenship by conferral

No fee is payable by British and Maltese former child migrants who came to Australia between 22 September 1947 and 31 December 1967 under the Commonwealth Child Migration Scheme OR persons who have served for 3 months in the permanent forces of the Commonwealth.

Home page Citizenship information line

www.citizenship.gov.au

Telephone **131 880** during business hours in Australia to speak to an operator (recorded information available outside these hours). If you are outside Australia, please contact your nearest Australian mission.

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