



2 Period, extension, change, permanent residence, permission to engage in an activity other than that permitted by the status of residence previously granted, re-entry, and acquisition

2-4 Change of status of residence

Persons whose status of residence is “Spouse or Child of Japanese National” “Long-Term Resident” “Permanent Resident” or “Spouse or Child of Permanent Resident” have no restrictions on their activities. There is therefore no need for them to change their status of residence according to their occupation. However, persons with other types of status of residence need to change their status of residence, in the event of changing occupation or starting to work, to a status which fits their occupational activities. They must put in an “Application for changing status of residence” at their regional immigration bureau. The necessary documents vary depending on your status of residence and period of stay, so please enquire at the regional immigration bureau in the area where you live.

Necessary documents	Where to submit application/enquiries	From when/ until when	Fee
1 Application for change of status of residence 2 Photograph 3 Documents required for content of activities and living circumstances in Japan 4 Passport or residence status certification 5 Residence Card or special permanent resident certificate 6 Permission to engage in an activity other than that permitted by the status of residence previously granted (if permission to engage in an activity other than that permitted by the status has been granted) etc.	Where to submit application: Regional immigration bureau in the area where you live Enquiries: Regional immigration bureau in the area where you live, or a foreign residence general information center (please refer to “ 4 Inquiries concerning status of residence ”)	From the time when the reason for change in status arises, and before the expiry of the period of stay	4,000 yen (stamp) when permission is given

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Sample

別記第三十号様式(第二十条関係)
申請人等作成用 1
For applicant, part 1

日本国政府法務省
Ministry of Justice, Government of Japan

在留資格変更許可申請書 APPLICATION FOR CHANGE OF STATUS OF RESIDENCE		写真 Photo 40mm × 30mm				
To the Director General of 入国管理局長 殿 Regional Immigration Bureau						
出入国管理及び難民認定法第20条第2項の規定に基づき、次のとおり在留資格の変更を申請します。 Pursuant to the provisions of Paragraph 2 of Article 20 of the Immigration Control and Refugee Recognition Act, I hereby apply for a change of status of residence						
1 国籍・地域 Nationality/Region	2 生年月日 Date of birth	年 Year	月 日 Month Day			
Family name _____		Given name _____				
3 氏名 Name	_____					
4 性別 男・女 Sex Male / Female	5 出生地 Place of birth	6 配偶者の有無 有・無 Marital status Married / Single				
7 職業 Occupation	8 本国における居住地 Home town/city					
9 居住地 Address in Japan _____						
電話番号 Telephone No.		携帯電話番号 Cellular phone No.				
10 旅券 (1)番号 Passport Number	(2)有効期限 Date of expiration	年 Year	月 日 Month Day			
11 現に有する在留資格 Status of residence		在留期間 Period of stay				
在留期間の満了日 Date of expiration		年 Year	月 日 Month Day			
12 在留カード番号 Residence card number		_____				
13 希望する在留資格 Desired status of residence		_____				
在留期間 Period of stay		(審査の結果によって希望の期間とならない場合があります。) (It may not be as desired after examination.)				
14 変更の理由 Reason for change of status of residence _____						
15 犯罪を理由とする処分を受けたことの有無(日本国外におけるものを含む。) Criminal record (in Japan / overseas)						
有(具体的内容 Yes (Detail: _____)) ・ 無) / No				
16 在日親族(父・母・配偶者・子・兄弟姉妹など)及び同居者 Family in Japan (Father, Mother, Spouse, Son, Daughter, Brother, Sister or others) or co-residents						
続柄 Relationship	氏名 Name	生年月日 Date of birth	国籍・地域 Nationality/Region	同居 Residing with applicant or not	勤務先・通学先 Place of employment/ school	在留カード番号 特別永住者証明書番号 Residence card number Special Permanent Resident Certificate number
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※ 16については、記載欄が不足する場合は別紙に記入して添付すること。なお、「研修」、「技能実習」に係る申請の場合は記載不要です。 Regarding item 16, if there is not enough space in the given columns to write in all of your family in Japan, fill in and attach a separate sheet. In addition, take note that you are not required to fill in item 16 for applications pertaining to "Trainee" or "Technical Intern Training".						

(注) 裏面参照の上、申請に必要な書類を作成して下さい。 Note: Please fill in forms required for application. (See notes on reverse side.)

Source: Ministry of Justice [APPLICATION FOR CHANGE OF STATUS OF RESIDENCE](#)



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