

**Application for a Letter of Endorsement under
Appendix X of the Isle of Man Immigration Rules
Business Migrant (Start-up)**

Send completed form with required additional information to: Business Migrant Endorsement,
Department for Enterprise, St Georges Court,
Douglas, Isle of Man, IM1 1EX

Please complete in **BLOCK CAPITALS**

e-mail: endorsement.dfe@gov.im

Prior to completing this form, the applicant or their Agent should refer to the Department's Endorsement Policy which is available here: <https://s3-eu-west-1.amazonaws.com/locate.im/business-migrantendorsementpolicyisleofman.pdf>

Applicants, or their Agent, should also refer to **Appendix X** of the Isle of Man Immigration Rules for full information on the Business Migrant Route: <https://www.gov.im/categories/travel-traffic-and-motoring/immigration/immigration-rules/>

Part 1—Migrant Personal Details

Title (Mr, Mrs, Ms, Miss, etc.)	<input type="text"/>
Forename (s)	<input type="text"/>
Surname	<input type="text"/>
Current home address	<input type="text"/>
<small>If you have lived at this address for less than 3 years, please provide previous address(es) in Part 5 on Page 3)</small>	<input type="text"/>
Telephone number	<input type="text"/>
Email address	<input type="text"/>
Date of Birth	<input type="text"/>
Nationality	<input type="text"/>
Passport Number	<input type="text"/>
Passport expiry	<input type="text"/>

Part 2—Appointed Agent

Are you appointing an Agent to act on your behalf (if No, proceed directly to Part 3) **Yes** **No**

Name of Agent	<input type="text"/>
Agent Address	<input type="text"/>
Agent Contact number	<input type="text"/>
Agent Email address	<input type="text"/>

By appointing an Agent you permit the Department to enter into any necessary communication with the Agent, or any of their appointed representatives, which may include sharing your personal information.

Part 3—Business Proposal

Please provide a brief description of the proposed business for which Endorsement is sought

A full business plan must accompany this application covering, as a minimum, the following:

- (a) full details of the business idea, demonstrating an innovative business proposition which will complement existing market needs;
- (b) business model, together with short and long term objectives, key customers, confirmed orders or customer interest etc.;
- (c) employment structure including expected numbers of employees, types of jobs, wage rates etc.;
- (d) details of expected premises, including whether the intention is to rent or purchase commercial premises;
- (e) marketing plan including whether customers are off-Island or on-Island;
- (f) analysis of why the business is suitable to be established and developed in the Isle of Man.

Confirm YES or NO

Has the Migrant previously established a business in the UK or Isle of Man? (If NO, proceed to Part 4)

Confirm YES or NO

If YES, was the Migrant's last grant of leave either under the Start-up or Tier 1 (Graduate Entrepreneur) categories in the UK or the Isle of Man

Please provide further details of previous leave held by the Migrant in relation to the previously established business

Part 4—Further information / documentation to be provided

The following must be provided with this application

A high quality, colour copy of the photo page of the your passport

A full business plan as detailed in Part 3 of the Application Form

Your CV / resume demonstrating your relevant skills, knowledge and experience

Please tick to confirm inclusion

The following declarations must be completed by the Migrant

Please tick to confirm

I declare, to the best of my knowledge, that the information contained in this application is correct.

I confirm that, subject to the issuing of a Letter of Endorsement and subsequent Visa approval, it is my intention to become resident in the Isle of Man for the purposes of Income Tax and to spend the majority of my day to day working time developing my business ventures.

I acknowledge that the Department for Enterprise collects and processes personal information to allow public authorities to respond to requests for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2015. Should my personal information be subject to such a request, information will not be released into the public domain without your prior notification. The Department will, where appropriate uphold all applicable exemptions in accordance with the [Freedom of Information Act 2015](#), [Data Protection Act 2018](#) and [Law Enforcement Directive 2018](#).

I acknowledge that the Department for Enterprise may undertake necessary due diligence checks as part of the assessment of my application and that information provided by me, including personal information, may be shared with the Department of Home Affairs, Isle of Man Treasury, Isle of Man Financial Intelligence Unit, Isle of Man Financial Services Authority, Isle of Man Passport Office, Isle of Man Immigration Office, Isle of Man Nationality Office and WorldCheck.

I understand that information provided in this application will be used by the Department for Enterprise in accordance with the [Data Protection Act 2018](#) and that the Department will not share my personal information with other parties not listed above, or any Agent not explicitly listed by me as part of this application. To view a copy of the Department’s Privacy Notice, [click here](#).

I authorise the Department for Enterprise to enter into any necessary dialogue or correspondence which it deems necessary, including the sharing of personal information, with the Agent (or a nominated representative of the Agent) listed in Part 2 of this application. I authorise the Agent (or a nominated representative of the Agent) to act on my behalf in respect of this application, unless that explicit consent is subsequently withdrawn by me in writing to the Department. *(Only tick if applicable)*

Migrant Signature

Print Name

Date

To be completed by the Agent listed in Part 2 (if applicable)

Agent Signature

Print Name

Organisation

Position

Date