



# CITIZENSHIP BY INVESTMENT PROGRAMME

GUIDLINES FOR THE  
PURCHASE OF  
GOVERNMENT BONDS

*The following guidelines are made subject to Regulation 12 and schedule 2 of the Citizenship by Investment Regulations No. 89 of 2015 (“the Regulations”) which guide the operation of the Citizenship by Investment Unit (“the Unit”)*

## THE APPLICANT MUST:

- Satisfy a minimum qualifying investment for the purchase of non-interest bearing Government bonds.
- Keep Government bonds which have been purchased as a qualifying investment for a five year holding period.
- On approval of an application, fulfill the following minimum investment:

Applicant applying alone	\$500,000 USD
Applicant applying with spouse	\$535,000 USD
Applicant applying with spouse and up to 2 other qualifying dependents	\$550,000 USD
Each additional qualifying dependent	\$25,000 USD
Non-Refundable Administrative Fee	\$50,000 USD

## INVESTMENT PROCESS:

- Government of Saint Lucia’s Bonds are issued under the National Savings and Development Bonds Act Ch.15.25 of 2005 of the Revised Laws of Saint Lucia.
- Once an application for citizenship has been approved, the applicant must make their purchase of the non-interest bearing Government bonds through the Debt and Investment Unit in the Ministry of Finance at the address below;

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- Once the transaction is complete, the applicant would be provided with a Bond Certificate within 21 calendar days.
- A certified copy of the Bond Certificate must be submitted to the Unit as proof of having made the qualifying investment.
- Upon receipt of the Bond Certificate, the Unit shall process the issuance of a Citizenship Certificate.

These Guidelines are issued by the Citizenship by Investment Board .