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Residence by Investment Programme

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The United States is the world's largest economy, offering unrivalled business, education and lifestyle opportunities. The EB-5 Immigrant Investor Program was introduced under the Immigration Act of 1990 to stimulate the American economy through job creation and capital investment, offering foreign investors a pathway to US permanent residency - the Green Card - and ultimately citizenship.

Country Facts

- Languages: **English**
- Currency: **United States Dollar (USD)**
- Population: **Approximately 340 million**
- Capital: **Washington, D.C.**



Programme Overview

- Minimum investment from USD 800,000
- Processing time at least 18 months
- Conditional Green Card issued for two years; conditions removed upon proof of job creation
- Citizenship possible after five years of permanent resident status
- Residency requirement: minimum 183 days per year; no more than 180 days' consecutive absence
- The right to live, work, study and settle anywhere in the US
- Access to comprehensive US banking services
- Investment returns possible after five to seven years
- Interview at a US embassy, consulate or with USCIS required before visa issuance



Family Inclusion

Spouse of the main applicant aged 18 or over; unmarried children of the main applicant or spouse aged 21 or under.



Investment Routes

Investment Route	Minimum Contribution	Due Diligence Fees	Post Approval / Government Fees	Additional Info
Targeted Employment Area (TEA) Project	USD 800,000	TBC	USD 3,675 Form I-526 filing fee USD 1,140 Form I-485 filing fee (USD 750 per applicant under 14 filing with a parent) USD 3,750 Form I-829 filing fee USD 345 visa application processing fee per person	Investment in a rural area or an area of high unemployment; must create or preserve ten permanent full-time jobs for qualified US workers
Non-Targeted Employment Area Project	USD 1,050,000	TBC	USD 3,675 Form I-526 filing fee USD 1,140 Form I-485 filing fee (USD 750 per applicant under 14 filing with a parent) USD 3,750 Form I-829 filing fee USD 345 visa application processing fee per person	Must create or preserve ten permanent full-time jobs for qualified US workers

DUE DILIGENCE FEES will apply: USD 7,500 per Main Applicant and USD 4,000 per dependant aged 16+, including spouses

Note: Other fees apply, such as entry visa application fees (dependent on country of choice), additional costs associated with the filing of application documents, and CS Global Partners professional fees.

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