

Police Checks from Overseas

The following is guidance on the types of Overseas checks that we will accept as part of the Overseas vetting process.

Australia – Federal Police check

South Africa – South African Police Service check (SAPS)

New Zealand – Ministry of Justice check

West Indies – Police Headquarters check

Sri Lanka – Police Headquarters in Colombo (application form can be found in Additional Information)

Pakistan – Police Clearance certificate

India – Police Clearance certificate

Namibia & Tanzania – Government check on watermarked letterhead (original required)

U.S.A – State Police check (this will need to be stamped & notarised)

All checks must be:

- Clear and readable (photocopies are acceptable)
- For entire life, from birth to date
- On official letterhead with stamp (stamp to be in English)
- Signed by official
- Date stamped
- Issued within the 3 months prior to date of receipt of GBE application (older checks will not be processed)

Please ensure:

- That the address on the Police check is the same as the address stated on the Overseas Vetting Form and that this address is the persons main, residential address.
- That any passport numbers recorded on the Police check is both the same as stated on the Overseas Vetting Form and that they match the actual passport.
- That names are recorded as they appear on the persons passport and NOT as what they are known as.