

EMBASSY OF SPAIN

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VISAS FOR NON-EU SEAMEN WHO INTEND TO ENTER SCHENGEN AREA

Detailed below are the requirements for the seaman's visa to board vessels in the Schengen Area. This Consular Section issues this visa to <u>Jamaican citizens living in Jamaica</u> and <u>other nationals with legal residence in Jamaica</u> who will board in one of the following Schengen States: **Spain**, **Austria**, **France**, **Greece**, **Hungary**, **Latvia**, **Malta**, **Poland**, **Portugal**, **Slovenia**, **The Czech Republic** and **The Slovak Republic**.

Requirements:

- 1. Schengen visa application form completed with signature and date of application
- 2. One passport size photograph
- 3. Valid passport (if passport has been issued less than one year the previous expired passport is also required. Passport must be valid for at least 3 months after validity of the visa).
- 4. Seaman's passbook
- 5. Travel Itinerary
- 6. A letter of employment from relevant company

<u>Visa Processing Fee</u>: JMD 13,441.00 (The fee is **non-refundable** and is to be paid **in cash** upon submission of visa application). **Please, bring exact change.**

Processing time: 5 calendar days

You may submit the application within 180 days of arrival in the Schengen Zone, no earlier.

IMPORTANT!

NO firearms or weapons allowed! Persons carrying firearms or weapons will NOT be permitted entry.