

Original Documents needed for Certificate of Recognition

- Qualification
- Birth Certificate/ Deed Poll
- Marriage Certificate/ Divorce Absolute (if applicable)
- Passport Sized Photograph
- CARICOM Passport
- Letter of Citizenship (if applicable)
- Police Clearance



Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Takuba Lodge  
254 South Road and Shiv Chanderpaul Drive  
Bourda  
Georgetown,  
Guyana  
Tel #: 226-1606/ 225-3982  
Email: [minfor@guyana.net.gy](mailto:minfor@guyana.net.gy)  
Website: [minfor.gov.gy](http://minfor.gov.gy)

## Caribbean Community (CARICOM) Free Movement of Skills





## CARICOM Free Movement of Skills

The Free Movement of Skills includes the right of a CARICOM National, under Article 46 of the Revised Treaty; the Caribbean Community Skilled National's Act and the Immigration Laws of CARICOM Member States, to seek work and/or to engage in gainful employment in all CARICOM Member States, without the need to obtain a work permit in the Member State in which he/she desires to work.

### **BENEFITS FOR THE HOLDER OF THE SKILLS CERTIFICATE**

The benefits of being issued with a Skills Certificate are:

1. No restriction on freedom of movement,
2. Wider pool of opportunities available for employment,
3. Spouses and immediate dependent family members are allowed to move with the holder of the Skills Certificate,
4. No need to obtain a Work Permit.

## Categories for Free Movement

1. University Graduates
2. Registered Nurses
3. Trained Teachers (who have the Permanent Teacher's Certificate from C.P.C.E)
4. Artistes
5. Musicians
6. Media Workers (must be a member of the Press Association)
7. Sports Persons
8. Holders of Associate Degrees or equivalent:
9. Artisans  
\*A skilled workman or craftsman with a CARICOM Vocational Qualification or equivalent
10. Household Domestic Workers  
\*A skilled person in the field with a CARICOM Vocational Qualification or equivalent

## Steps in Applying for Certificate

1. Visit the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Co-operation official website.
2. Print and fill out Application form with required data.
3. After completing the application, visit the Ministry of Foreign Affairs to verify your documents.
4. Payment of (GY\$1500 which is paid to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs) is required to process documents.

The process takes 3-6 weeks for completion.



*How to apply???*