

Notification regarding visas to Australian Diplomats/Officials

High Commission of India has adopted a new procedure of processing applications for Diplomatic/Official Personnel travelling on official purposes as a matter of reciprocity. Applicants holding Diplomatic/Official Passports would now have to lodge their applications directly at VFS Centres in Canberra, Melbourne, Sydney, Perth, Brisbane and Adelaide w.e.f. 12th October 2015. Details of the VFS Centres can be seen at: http://www.vfsglobal.com/india/australia/contact_us.html

It is advised to mention the purpose of visit and details of visit in India along with application form. The High Commission and its Consulates will continue to provide Gratis visas. However, the service provider will charge the applicable service fee.