

## **Transit Visa Category “S-TS-C”**

**Purpose of Visit:** This type of visa is issued to applicants who wish to enter the Kingdom for the following purposes:

1. To travel in transit through the Kingdom in order to proceed to the country of destination or to re-enter his/her own country: (Category “TS”) (Travellers who wish to transit at the international airports in Thailand less than 12 hours, only in the transit area at the airport, do not need to obtain a visa.)
2. To participate in sports activities (sportsmen, sportswomen, etc.): (Category “S”)  
\* Those who are scheduled to stay in Thailand longer than one month can apply for Non-Immigrant Visa category “O”.
3. The person in charge or crew of a conveyance coming to a port, station or area in the Kingdom: (Category “C”)

### **Documents Required:**

- Passport or travel document with validity at least 6 months from the intended date of arrival to Thailand.
- Visa application form completely filled out.
- 1 passport size photograph of the applicant, taken within the past six month.
- Copy of Polish residence card (karta pobytu) - in case of foreigners.
- Copy of return ticket (to and out of Thailand). In case of category “TS” (**transit**), copy of ticket from Thailand to the third country (country of final destination) has to be presented as well.
- Copy of hotel reservation or other evidence of accommodation reservation.
- Copy of visa of a third country in a passport or travel document.

### **ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS**

In case of applying for Visa Category “S” (**Sport**)

- Letter of invitation from the organizer in Thailand.
- Supporting letter in English from sending institution in the Republic of Poland stating the applicant’s participation in sports activities in Thailand.

In case of applying for Visa Category “C” (**Crew**)

- Supporting letter from the company in the Republic of Poland and in Thailand.

*Consular officer reserves the right to request additional documents, or an interview with the applicant, as deemed necessary, without prior notice. The Royal Thai Embassy reserves the right*

*to reject any visa application with insufficient documents or if the reasons given are not fully supported.*

*Documents in foreign languages must be officially translated into Thai or English.*

**Visa Fee:** 135 PLN per entry. We accept cash only. (Visa fee may be changed without prior notice)

**Visa Processing Time:**

Applying in person: Applications will be processed and ready in 2 days. (For example, if you apply a visa on Monday morning, your visa can be collected on Wednesday morning.)

Collection date for visa is specified on a payment receipt. Always bring the receipt and ID card when collecting a visa.

Note: Do not apply visa more than 3 months in advance.

**Visa Opening/Collecting hour:**

Monday-Friday between 9.00-12.00. Please note that the visa application must be submitted from 9.00-12.00 hrs. Applications submitted after that will not be received. Collection of processed documents is from 9.00-12.00 hrs. Closed on Thai and Polish Public holidays. Please check our holidays list before visiting.

**Validity of visa and Period of stay:**

Transit Visa is valid for entering Thailand within 3 months from the date of issuance. The period of stay is up to 30 days. Period of stay is granted by an immigration officer upon arrival to Thailand.

**Extension of stay:**

Those who wish to stay longer or may wish to change their type of visa must file an application for permission at the Office of Immigration Bureau located on Government Center B, Chaengwattana Soi 7, Laksi, Bangkok 10210, Tel 0 - 2141 - 9889 (or at <http://www.immigration.go.th>). The extension of stay as well as the change of certain type of visa is solely at the discretion of the immigration officer.