



CITIZENSHIP BY INVESTMENT

São Tomé & Príncipe Citizenship

One of the most affordable second citizenships available — a \$90,000 contribution, handled entirely remotely, with a decision in about two to three months.

MINIMUM INVESTMENT

\$90,000

PROCESSING TIME

2–3 months

VISA-FREE ACCESS

50 countries

PASSPORT RANK

#90

OVERVIEW

São Tomé and Príncipe, a two-island nation off the west coast of Africa, launched its citizenship by investment programme in 2025. It is among the newest — and cheapest — options on the market, built around a single contribution to the country's National Transformation Fund.

INVESTMENT ROUTES

National Transformation Fund Donation

USD 90,000 (single) / 95,000 (family of up to 4)

A single non-refundable contribution to the National Transformation Fund, plus a \$5,000 submission fee and a small document fee. No property to buy and nothing to manage.

KEY BENEFITS

- One of the most affordable citizenships available anywhere
- A brand-new programme (launched 2025) with a fast, remote process
- No travel to São Tomé required at any stage
- Family-friendly — children up to 30 and parents over 55 can be included
- Best seen as a low-cost Plan B rather than a strong travel document

HOW THE PROCESS WORKS

1 Eligibility & Pre-Check

We run a confidential pre-assessment before filing, so you understand your position with this newer programme.

3 Submission & Due Diligence

The application is submitted and background checks are carried out — entirely remotely, with no travel required.

5 Citizenship & Passport

Citizenship is granted and your passport issued — typically within two to three months.

2 Document Preparation

We compile the application and supporting documents for you and any family members.

4 Approval & Contribution

On approval, the contribution to the National Transformation Fund is made and formalities completed.

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Speak to an advisor

Book a free, no-obligation consultation for a tailored plan and itemised quote.

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