Sponsored Family 600 bond record

Applicant-owned worksheet - no email or upload required

Use this only after checking the current **Visitor 600 stream** and any written Home Affairs bond request. It is **not Form 1149**, a bond invoice, legal advice, or a promise of a visa. Keep completed names, references and receipts on your own device.

1 | CHOOSE THE ACTUAL STREAM

- [ ] Confirm whether the application is Tourist with an invitation or the separate Sponsored Family stream with formal sponsorship.
- [ ] A Tourist-stream host does not become a formal sponsor merely by inviting or funding a visit.

Visitor / application reference (private): _____

Stream selected: _____

2 | CHECK THE SPONSOR AND EACH APPLICANT

- [ ] Check the current sponsor status, age, settlement, relationship and any previous-sponsorship limits on Home Affairs.
- [ ] For Sponsored Family, the sponsor completes official Form 1149; each applicant attaches it to their own online visa application.
- [ ] Keep genuine relationship evidence for each applicant. Form 1149 or a bond does not guarantee a grant.

Relationship evidence to obtain: _____

3 | RESPOND ONLY TO A WRITTEN BOND REQUEST

- [ ] Check whether Home Affairs has actually sent a written bond request for this applicant.
- [ ] Read its amount, who must lodge it, where to lodge it and the refund arrangements. Follow that request, not an agent's demand.
- [ ] The published usual range is AUD 5,000-15,000 per person, but Home Affairs may request another amount; do not assume one amount for all applicants.
- [ ] Form 1149 says a third party aged at least 18 may provide a bond. Verify the actual Department payment instructions.

Request date and reference: _____

Amount for this applicant / due date: _____

Receipt stored privately at: _____

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Conditions, follow-up and official sources

4 | READ THE DECISION AND STAY CONDITIONS

- [ ] A paid bond is not a visa grant. Read each written decision, permitted stay, entries and conditions; check the actual visa in VEVO.
- [ ] Home Affairs says condition 8503 No Further Stay will apply to Sponsored Family; condition 8531 must not be breached. Record the last permitted stay day from the grant and VEVO.
- [ ] Form 1149 warns that waiving 8503 does not waive 8531. Remaining after the permitted Sponsored Family stay can still lead to sponsor consequences or bond forfeiture, even if another visa is granted.

Actual grant / refusal and notice date: _____

Permitted stay end and planned departure: _____

5 | KEEP COMPLIANCE AND REFUND RECORDS

- [ ] Keep departure and visa-compliance records privately. Check the Department's written request for its refund steps and timing.
- [ ] Home Affairs says refund depends on compliance with conditions and leaving before visa expiry. A waiver request alone does not extend lawful stay.
- [ ] If a waiver, further-visa or expiry issue arises, use current Home Affairs instructions and seek qualified case-specific advice promptly.

Follow-up action and date: _____

OFFICIAL INSTRUCTIONS TO RECHECK

Use the live stream and Form 1149 alongside the applicant's own written request and grant. This worksheet contains no payment channel and is not sent to MyAusVisa.

Home Affairs Sponsored Family 600:
https://immi.homeaffairs.gov.au/visas/getting-a-visa/visa-listing/visitor-600/sponsored-family-stream

Official Form 1149: https://immi.homeaffairs.gov.au/form-listing/forms/1149.pdf

MyAusVisa stream comparison: https://myausvisa.com/visitor-visa-600-tourist-vs-sponsored-family