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### Indonesia APEC Business Travel Card

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Directorate General of Immigration





## **ABTC in Indonesia**

- Indonesia has confirmed participation in APEC Business Travel Card scheme on August 15<sup>th</sup> 2002 in Acapulco Mexico;
- Indonesia has been issuing ABTC since May 1<sup>st</sup> 2004;
- Only Indonesian citizens are eligible
- Government Officials (Minister/equivalent or High level bureaucrat and Indonesian bonafide business people.

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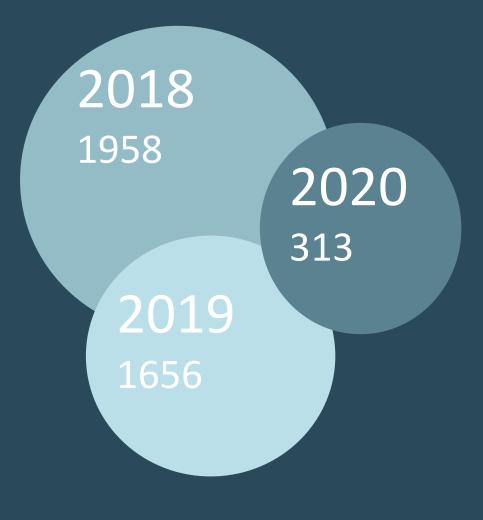
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# Indonesian ABTC holders

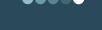


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### Requirements

- Fill application form;
- Application letter from company or relevant agency;
- Recommendation letter from Business/Profession Association;
- Bank reference letter with information of sufficient fund min. 500,000,000 IDR (approx. 35,000 USD);
- Passport with min. 2 years validity;
- Proof of travel in the last 6 months;
- Police Certificate;
- ID copy;
- Photo;
- Application fee.







- For Indonesian residing abroad, attach the copy of resident permit accompanied with recommendation letter from local business/proffesion association and bank statement legalized by Indonesian Embassy;
- Attach signature specimen;

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### Benefit for ABTC holders

- Dedicated lane at designated Immigration checkpoints;
- Treated as multiple visa holders (allowed to stay up to 60 days per visit) during the validity of ABTC .





## Designated checkpoints



### Airports:

- Soekarno-Hatta, Jakarta
- Ngurah Rai, Bali
- Kualanamu, Medan
- Juanda, Surabaya



### Seaport:

### Batam Center, Batam

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## **ABTC Business Process**

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Lodge requirements	<ol> <li>Verification</li> <li>Background Check</li> <li>Blacklist Check</li> </ol>	Pay the fee	<ol> <li>Data Input</li> <li>Check approval from other economies</li> </ol>	Receive card

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# Virtual ABTC Implementation

- Indonesia has transitioned to Virtual ABTC on July 1<sup>st</sup> 2021;
- Director of Immigration Mobility circular letter:
  - Virtual ABTC is considered equal as the physical ABTC and foreigners who wish to enter Indonesia using Virtual ABTC are only required to show their Virtual card through the apps on their mobile device;
  - Immigration clearance for Virtual ABTC holders complies with the existing regulation regarding Immigration clearance at Immigration checkpoint.
- Virtual ABTC implementation still need to disseminated to business people;
- Indonesian ABTC holders who have verified their emails are yet to receive their virtual card;





# **Thank you** Terima Kasih

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