

LINCOLN LEGAL SERVICES (MYANMAR) LIMITED

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Dear Readers,

Welcome to a new edition of our newsletter.

1. E-visa extension available again

On 29 August 2025, the Ministry of Immigration and Population under the National Defence and Security Council [announced](#) that starting from 1 September 2025, holders of embassy-issued business visas, business visas on arrival and business e-visas may apply again [online](#) for one extension of their visa for 3, 6 or 12 months.

Applications may be filed until the 10th day of overstay (but overstay fines of USD 3 per day apply, to be paid in cash at the Immigration Department's Stay Extension Section at No. 122, Pansodan Street, Kyauktada Township).

Only one extension is possible through this method; subsequent extensions must be applied for with a DICA (or MIC) recommendation letter.

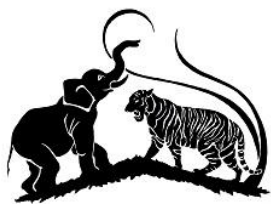
[Terms and conditions](#) apply.

Processing fees must be paid online with Visa, Master or JCB card within 10 days from the date of the payment notification (pre-approval letter) e-mail:

3-month stay permit	62 USD
6-month stay permit	114 USD
1-year stay permit	217 USD
Single re-entry visa	72 USD
Multiple re-entry visa	217 USD

The following must be attached to the online application:

- Passport photo;
- scanned copy of the bio-data page in the applicant's passport (still valid for at least 6 months);
- scanned copy of the passport page with the most recent entry stamp;
- extension request letter signed by a registered director of the sponsoring company ([template](#));



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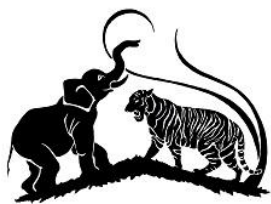
- scanned copy of the certificate of incorporation;
- Scanned copy of the company extract (status must be “registered”);
- if the company’s business is related to a ministry, recommendation letter from this ministry;
- if the business is classified as a small and medium enterprise, business licence and recommendation letter from the Immigration Department’s Head in the relevant Region or State ([template](#)), to be issued only after a field inspection;
- scanned copy of the applicant’s Form C (“Report of Arrival”);
- scanned copy of the applicant’s Foreigner Registration Certificate (FRC). If the applicant does not have an FRC, he must obtain it from the Foreigner Registration Section at No. 122, Pansodan Street prior to the stay permit/re-entry visa stickers being affixed.

Successful applicants must visit the Stay Extension Section at 122, Pansodan Street within 14 working days from the date of payment confirmation to have the stay permit/re-entry visa stickers affixed in their passports.

2. **Export/import seminar**

Our firm is in the fortunate position of having a customs officer as an external advisor. Drawing on his expertise, we will hold a seminar on export and import procedures on 2 October 2025, tentatively covering the following topics:

- Obtaining export and import licences
- Export and import handling at Yangon International Airport
- Criteria for selecting passengers and cargo for screening
- Handling of exports and imports by sea
- Export and import of foreign currency
- Repatriation of foreign currency by exporters
- Import of medicines and medical supplies
- Points CMP manufacturers need to be aware of



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Date and time	Thursday, 2 October 2025, 2:30pm - 4:00pm
Place	Rose Garden Hotel, 171 Upper Pansodan Road, Yangon
Speaker	Sebastian Pawlita
Language	English
Participation fee	MMK 25,000 per person, payable in cash at the reception desk
Registration	Please register by sending an e-mail to info@lincolnmyanmar.com , stating the name of your organisation and the names of the participants.
Suggesting a topic	If you wish us to discuss a particular topic at the seminar, please do not hesitate to include this in your registration e-mail; we will be happy to amend the agenda.

We hope that you have found this information useful.

Sebastian Pawlita
Managing Director

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Lincoln Legal Services (Myanmar) Limited provides the full range of legal and tax advisory and compliance work required by investors. We pride ourselves in offering result-oriented work, high dependability and a fast response time at very competitive prices. Please do not hesitate to contact us:

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