



MOZAMBIQUE

**POLICY QUESTIONS FOR “*TRAVEL
FACILITATION FOR ENHANCING MOBILITY IN
THE OIC MEMBER COUNTRIES*”**

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Policies and instruments about travel facilitation in Mozambique

- Any foreigner who wants to enter in Mozambique with ordinary passport shall obtain the entry visa in officially places designated as Diplomatic and Consular Missions of the Republic of Mozambique abroad, the Immigration Service and border crossing authorized .
- The people, who don't have Mozambican Embassy or Consulate in their country, must contact the Embassy or Consulate which is located in neighboring countries to obtain visa.



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- The SADC region where Mozambique is located we don't need to use visa, because all the countries have signed the agreements are exempt of visas, except RDCongo.



Types of Visa in Mozambique

The visa in Mozambique can be individual or collective

- a) Diplomatic Visa;
- b) Courtesy Visa;
- c) Official Visa;
- d) Residence Visa;
- e) Touristic Visa;
- f) Transit Visa;
- g) Visit Visa;
- h) Business Visa; and i) Student Visa



Borders Cross

- Mozambique has 44 borders, but Ressano Garcia is assumed as the main point of entry and exit of people. However, there are eight more points of entry and exit, distributed throughout the country.
- The transport and communications sector, have been receiving various investments, with the implementation of rehabilitation of ports and airports (domestic and international), with objective to enable new projects, new investments and create space for the rapid movement of people and products.



Borders Cross

- A well laid out airport system make domestic air travel within Mozambique quick and safe. The airports of Maputo, Beira and Nacala are open to international traffic. For regional traffic uses Pemba and Vilankulo.
- Although widely used for transporting products, Mozambique has a total of 3.750 kilometers of navigable river, and there are the country's three main ports, Beira in the center , Maputo in south of Mozambique and Nacala in north.



Challenges faced facilitating travel in Mozambique

We have works with other institution to improve:

- Infrastructure to develop the tourism sector,
- Conectivity Air Linkages
- It means that the tourism sector should work together with the Home Affairs Sector to facilitation the reduction of burocratic procedures we found in visa application



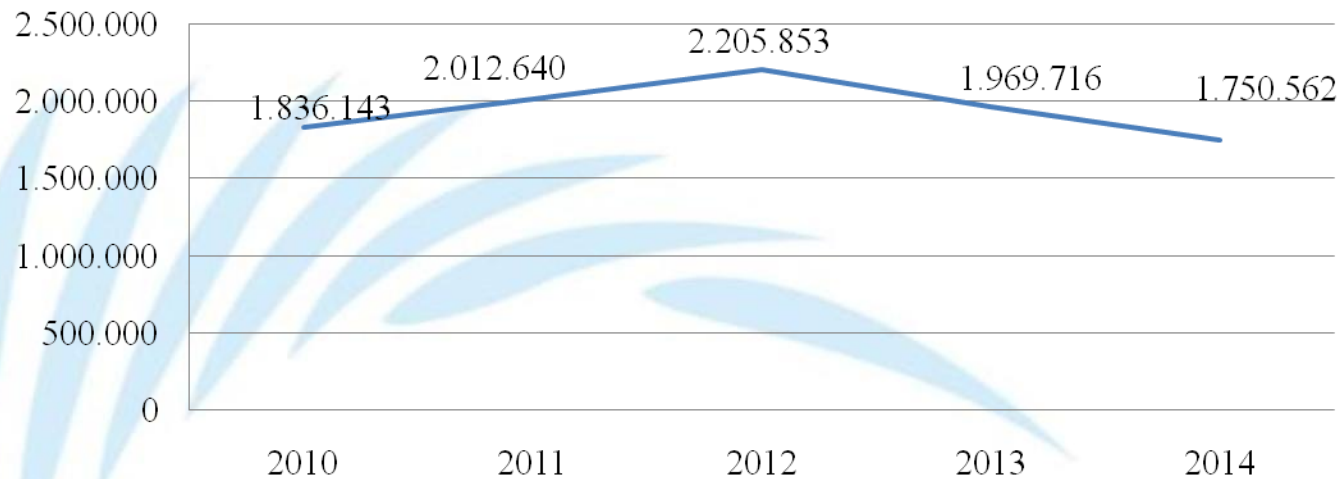
Important the visa policies in Mozambique

- As result of the visa policies we planned between 2010-2014, the entrance of 4.2 million of international arrivals, but the sum of annual values obtained exceeds the prevision reaching 9.7 million international arrivals.



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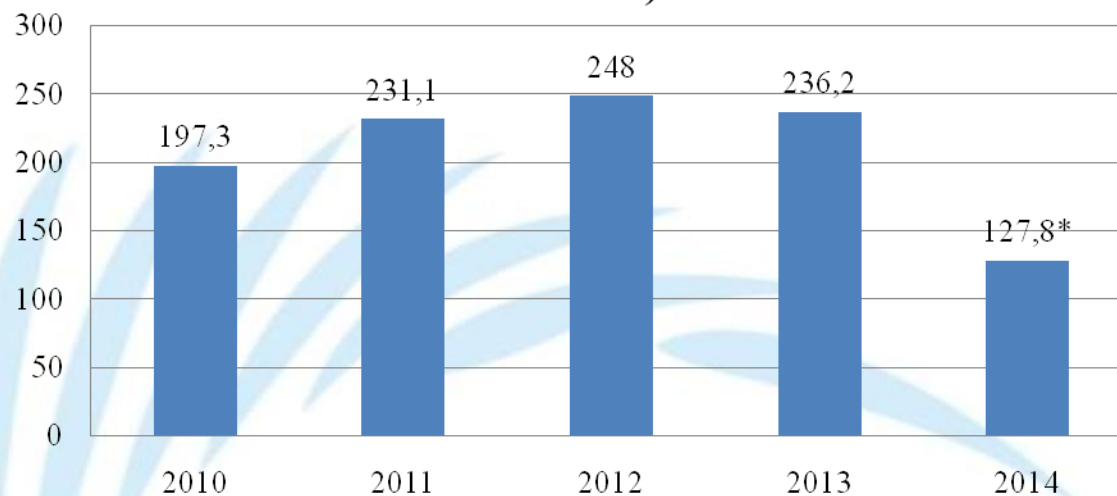
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General conditions for obtaining entry visas general conditions for obtaining entry visas in Mozambique

- a) Passport or similar document, with a validity not less than six (6) months / 180 (one hundred eighty) days;
 - b) Form entitled APPLICATION FOR ENTRY TO MOZAMBIQUE duly completed and signed by the applicant.
 - c) One recent passport size photo;
 - d) Not being forbidden to enter the Republic of Mozambique, have been expelled or declared "persona non grata";
 - e) No involvement in activities that might result in the expulsion from the Republic of Mozambique;
 - f) Payment of visa fees.
- After the visa is issued, it must be used within 60 days from the date of issue.



Revenue International Tourism

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THANK VERY MUCH!