

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- Register – Register yourself with the Movie Shooting website to start your application process.
- Fill Application Form - Fill out the application Form for seeking permission for film shooting in Chhattisgarh.

The Movie Shooting portal/dashboard accepts online applications from filmmakers who wish to film in various locations in different District of Chhattisgarh. However, it is mandatory to apply through these portal applicants can apply directly.

Movie Shooting portal set up by the Ministry of Culture Department, Government of Chhattisgarh, acts as a single window clearance and facilitation point for producers and production companies with a view to assist them in getting requisite filming permissions. The Movie Shooting portal also disseminates information on shooting locations and the facilities available with the Indian film Industry for production/post production and works closely with State Governments in assisting them to set up similar facilities.

Filmmakers desirous of shooting their Feature Films, TV/Web shows and series & Reality TV/Web shows and series in India, may apply online at the Movie Shooting portal website, <https://movieshoot.cgculture.in/Default.aspx>

I. STEPS FOR FILLING AN ONLINE APPLICATION (National/International/Inter State Level Filmmakers)

Below are the steps to apply for permission from Ministry of Culture for Movie Shooting.

- 1) Register – Register yourself with the (Movie Shooting) <https://movieshoot.cgculture.in/Default.aspx> website to start your application process.
- 2) Fill Application Form - Fill out the application Form for seeking permission for film shooting in Chhattisgarh.
- 3) Upload Documents – The application form will ask for the following information/documents.
 - Detailed script and synopsis in case of a Feature Film, TV/Web show and series and detailed concept in case of TV/Web Reality shows and series.
 - Passport details of the crew in tabular format along with copy of the passport

- Details of shooting locations in Chhattisgarh and the period of shooting
- A list of equipment to be temporarily imported for filming in Chhattisgarh.
- No Objection Letter - In case any living personality is portrayed in the film as a Character, we suggest that you share the script with that personality or his/her legal heirs, before applying for permission, and obtain a 'No Objection Letter'. This letter will expedite the clearance of your application, and also guard against the possibility of any defamation or libel suits.
- Co-Production - If you propose to shoot your film as an international co-production under the official treaty, a copy of the agreement between the foreign producer/production company and the Indian producer/production Company indicating the role of each party, financial commitments, responsibilities and liabilities etc., in accordance with the respective co-production agreement, must be uploaded.

4) Pay Fees – There is no fee required for the application process regarding the Movie Shooting. According to location/sites fees details can see at Fees menu in website.

5) Undertaking – At the time of receiving permission for shooting in Chhattisgarh from the Movie Shooting Portal/Dashboard, you have to submit an undertaking to the Ministry of Culture for Foreign movie making who has applied for the filming permission.

II. APPLYING FOR VISA - WHAT THE INDIAN MISSION IN YOUR COUNTRY WILL DO FOR YOU?

Do submit the detailed particulars of all the members of the shooting team, along with the Permission Letter issued by the Ministry of I&B, to the Indian Mission in the country from which they would be departing for India at the time, indicating your intention to shoot in India. Indian Missions/Posts abroad will grant Film Visa '(F) Visa' to such applicants who are coming to shoot Feature Films, TV/Web show and series & Reality TV/Web show and series in India, Chhattisgarh provided that Ministry of I&B has approved the proposal.

III. IMPORTANT POINTS TO REMEMBER

i) On submission of all requisite documents, your permission to shoot will normally time to process. The permission letter issued by the Ministry of I&B, Government of India will facilitate your permission from other local authorities, which may, in some cases, need to be obtained directly from these authorities.

ii) As part of the application processing, your script will be evaluated by an expert from a panel constituted by the Ministry of Culture, Movie Shooting Cell.

iii) During the shooting of the film, if it is felt that any material changes or deviation from the approved script is necessary; permission must be taken from the Ministry of Culture through Movie Shooting Cell before shooting these scenes.

iv) Subsequent to the completion of the shoot in Chhattisgarh, the Movie Shooting Cell shall seek and collect feedback from the applicants with regards to their experience of filming in Chhattisgarh, including a request for information pertaining to shooting related data. The producer/line producer is required to submit the feedback form.

v) The Movie Shooting Cell shall also seek trailer and Hi-res poster images of the film for display in the Movie Shooting Web portal and other marketing collaterals that the Movie Shooting Cell may create to promote filming in India, after the release of the said project.