



The United Arab Emirates welcome visitors from all over the world and in order to achieve the strategic objectives that support the government's direction in providing the best electronic and smart services to all customers in the country, the Ministry of Interior offers a service of recognition and exchanging of driving licenses within "Markhoos" initiative, which allows the UAE citizens to drive with their national license in different countries around the world and exchange it for the purpose of residency. The initiative also grants visitors of the UAE the right to drive with their national driving licenses and exchange it with an Emirati license for the purpose of residency by the following conditions.

❖ **Terminology :**

- **Recognition :** Use of national driving licenses in the United Arab Emirates **not** for the purpose of residence.
- **Exchange:** Exchange the national driving licenses with the UAE driving license for the purpose of residence **only**.



Republic of Estonia



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold Republic of Estonia nationality.
2. Hold a valid residence permit.
3. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Republic of Estonia.
4. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
5. Categories to be exchanged: Motorcycles & Light Vehicles (Motor vehicle whose tare weight does not exceed 2.5 tons (empty) and carrying no more than 14 seats, excluding the driver's seat).
6. Pass the required medical examination.
7. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Republic of Albania



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold Republic of Albania nationality.
2. Hold a valid residence permit.
3. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Republic of Albania.
4. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
5. Categories to be exchanged: Motorcycles & Light Vehicles (Motor vehicle whose tare weight does not exceed 2.5 tons (empty) and carrying no more than 14 seats, excluding the driver's seat).
6. Pass the required medical examination.
7. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
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Portuguese Republic



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid residence permit.
2. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Portuguese Republic.
3. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
4. Categories to be exchanged: Motorcycles & Light Vehicles (Motor vehicle whose tare weight does not exceed 2.5 tons (empty) and carrying no more than 14 seats, excluding the driver's seat).
5. Pass the required medical examination.
6. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
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People's republic of China



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold People's Republic of China nationality.
2. Hold a valid residence permit.
3. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of People's Republic of China.
4. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
5. Categories to be exchanged: Light Vehicles (Motor vehicle whose tare weight does not exceed 2.5 tons (empty) and carrying no more than 14 seats, excluding the driver's seat).
6. Pass the required medical examination.
7. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Hungary



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold Hungary passport.
2. Hold a valid residence permit.
3. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Hungary.
4. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
5. Categories to be exchanged: Motorcycles & Light Vehicles (Motor vehicle whose tare weight does not exceed 2.5 tons (empty) and carrying no more than 14 seats, excluding the driver's seat).
6. Pass the required medical examination.
7. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Hellenic Republic



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold Hellenic Republic nationality.
2. Hold a valid residence permit.
3. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Hellenic Republic.
4. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
5. Categories to be exchanged: Light Vehicles (Motor vehicle whose tare weight does not exceed 2.5 tons (empty) and carrying no more than 14 seats, excluding the driver's seat).
6. Pass the required medical examination.
7. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Ukraine



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold Ukraine nationality.
2. Hold a valid residence permit.
3. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Ukraine.
4. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
5. Categories to be exchanged: Motorcycles & Light Vehicles (Motor vehicle whose tare weight does not exceed 2.5 tons (empty) and carrying no more than 14 seats, excluding the driver's seat).
6. Pass the required medical examination.
7. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
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Republic of Bulgaria



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold Republic of Bulgaria nationality.
2. Hold a valid residence permit.
3. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Republic of Bulgaria.
4. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
5. Categories to be exchanged: Motorcycles & Light Vehicles (Motor vehicle whose tare weight does not exceed 2.5 tons (empty) and carrying no more than 14 seats, excluding the driver's seat).
6. Pass the required medical examination.
7. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



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1. Hold a valid driving license.
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Slovak Republic



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold Slovak Republic nationality.
2. Hold a valid residence permit.
3. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Slovak Republic.
4. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
5. Categories to be exchanged: Light Vehicles (Motor vehicle whose tare weight does not exceed 2.5 tons (empty) and carrying no more than 14 seats, excluding the driver's seat).
6. Pass the required medical examination.
7. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Republic of Slovenia



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold Republic of Slovenia nationality.
2. Hold a valid residence permit.
3. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Republic of Slovenia .
4. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates.
5. Categories to be exchanged: Light Vehicles (Motor vehicle whose tare weight does not exceed 2.5 tons (empty) and carrying no more than 14 seats, excluding the driver's seat).
6. Pass the required medical examination.
7. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Republic of Serbia



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold Republic of Serbia nationality.
2. Hold a valid residence permit.
3. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Republic of Serbia .
4. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
5. Categories to be exchanged: Motorcycles & Light Vehicles (Motor vehicle whose tare weight does not exceed 2.5 tons (empty) and carrying no more than 14 seats, excluding the driver's seat).
6. Pass the required medical examination.
7. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Republic of Cyprus



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold Republic of Cyprus nationality.
2. Hold a valid residence permit.
3. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Republic of Cyprus.
4. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
5. Categories to be exchanged: Motorcycles & Light Vehicles (Motor vehicle whose tare weight does not exceed 2.5 tons (empty) and carrying no more than 14 seats, excluding the driver's seat).
6. Pass the required medical examination.
7. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

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Republic of Latvia



Conditions for replacing driving licenses:

1. Hold Republic of Latvia passport.
2. Hold a valid residence permit.
3. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Republic of Latvia.
4. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
5. Categories to be exchanged: Motorcycles & Light Vehicles (Motor vehicle whose tare weight does not exceed 2.5 tons (empty) and carrying no more than 14 seats, excluding the driver's seat).
6. Pass the required medical examination.
7. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Grand Duchy of Luxembourg



Conditions for replacing driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid residence permit.
2. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Grand Duchy of Luxembourg.
3. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
4. Categories to be exchanged: Light Vehicles (Motor vehicle whose tare weight does not exceed 2.5 tons (empty) and carrying no more than 14 seats, excluding the driver's seat).
5. Pass the required medical examination.
6. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



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Republic of Lithuania



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold Republic of Lithuania nationality.
2. Hold a valid residence permit.
3. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Republic of Lithuania.
4. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
5. Categories to be exchanged: Motorcycles & Light Vehicles (Motor vehicle whose tare weight does not exceed 2.5 tons (empty) and carrying no more than 14 seats, excluding the driver's seat).
6. Pass the required medical examination.
7. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



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1. Hold a valid driving license.
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Republic of Malta



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold Republic of Malta nationality.
2. Hold a valid residence permit.
3. Hold a valid and permanent of driving license of Republic of Malta.
4. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
5. Categories to be exchanged: Light Vehicles (Motor vehicle whose tare weight does not exceed 2.5 tons (empty) and carrying no more than 14 seats, excluding the driver's seat).
6. Pass the required medical examination.
7. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



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Republic of Iceland



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold Republic of Iceland nationality.
2. Hold a valid residence permit.
3. Hold a valid and permanent of driving license of Republic of Iceland.
4. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
5. Categories to be exchanged: Motorcycles & Light Vehicles (Motor vehicle whose tare weight does not exceed 2.5 tons (empty) and carrying no more than 14 seats, excluding the driver's seat).
6. Pass the required medical examination.
7. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



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1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Republic of Montenegro



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold Republic of Montenegro nationality.
2. Hold a valid residence permit.
3. Hold a valid and permanent of driving license of Republic of Montenegro.
4. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
5. Categories to be exchanged: Light Vehicles (Motor vehicle whose tare weight does not exceed 2.5 tons (empty) and carrying no more than 14 seats, excluding the driver's seat).
6. Pass the required medical examination.
7. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



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2. Entering the country not for the purpose of residence.



State of Israel



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold State of Israel nationality.
2. Hold a valid residence permit.
3. Hold a valid and permanent of driving license of State of Israel.
4. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
5. Categories to be exchanged: Motorcycles & Light Vehicles (Motor vehicle whose tare weight does not exceed 2.5 tons (empty) and carrying no more than 14 seats, excluding the driver's seat).
6. Pass the required medical examination.
7. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



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1. Hold a valid driving license.
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Republic of Azerbaijan



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold Republic of Azerbaijan nationality.
2. Hold a valid residence permit.
3. Hold a valid and permanent of driving license of Republic of Azerbaijan.
4. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
5. Categories to be exchanged: Motorcycles & Light Vehicles (Motor vehicle whose tare weight does not exceed 2.5 tons (empty) and carrying no more than 14 seats, excluding the driver's seat).
6. Pass the required medical examination.
7. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



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1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country not for the purpose of residence.



Republic of Belarus



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold Republic of Belarus nationality.
2. Hold a valid residence permit.
3. Hold a valid and permanent of driving license of Republic of Belarus.
4. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
5. Categories to be exchanged: Light Vehicles (Motor vehicle whose tare weight does not exceed 2.5 tons (empty) and carrying no more than 14 seats, excluding the driver's seat).
6. Pass the required medical examination.
7. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



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1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country not for the purpose of residence.



Republic of Uzbekistan



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold Republic of Uzbekistan nationality.
2. Hold a valid residence permit.
3. Hold a valid and permanent of driving license of Republic of Uzbekistan.
4. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
5. Categories to be exchanged: Light Vehicles (Motor vehicle whose tare weight does not exceed 2.5 tons (empty) and carrying no more than 14 seats, excluding the driver's seat).
6. Pass the required medical examination.
7. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



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1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country not for the purpose of residence.



Republic of South Korea



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold Republic of South Korea nationality.
2. Hold a valid residence permit.
3. Hold a valid and permanent of driving license of Republic of South Korea.
4. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
5. Categories to be exchanged: According to the regulations and categories specified in the United Arab Emirates competent authority.
6. Pass the required medical examination.
7. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



United State of America



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid residence permit.
2. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of United State of America.
3. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
4. Categories to be exchanged: According to the regulations and categories specified in the United Arab Emirates competent authority.
5. Pass the required medical examination.
6. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



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1. Hold a valid driving license.
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France



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid residence permit.
2. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of France
3. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
4. Categories to be exchanged: According to the regulations and categories specified in the United Arab Emirates competent authority.
5. Pass the required medical examination.
6. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
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Japan



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid residence permit.
2. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Japan.
3. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
4. Categories to be exchanged: According to the regulations and categories specified in the United Arab Emirates competent authority.
5. Pass the required medical examination.
6. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



The Kingdom of Belgium



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid residence permit.
2. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Republic of Belgium.
3. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
4. Categories to be exchanged: According to the regulations and categories specified in the United Arab Emirates competent authority.
5. Pass the required medical examination.
6. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Switzerland



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid residence permit.
2. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Switzerland.
3. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
4. Categories to be exchanged: According to the regulations and categories specified in the United Arab Emirates competent authority.
5. Pass the required medical examination.
6. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Republic of Germany



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid residence permit.
2. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Republic of Germany.
3. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
4. Categories to be exchanged: According to the regulations and categories specified in the United Arab Emirates competent authority.
5. Pass the required medical examination.
6. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Republic of Italy



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid residence permit.
2. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Italy.
3. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
4. Categories to be exchanged: According to the regulations and categories specified in the United Arab Emirates competent authority.
5. Pass the required medical examination.
6. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Sweden



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid residence permit.
2. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Sweden.
3. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
4. Categories to be exchanged: According to the regulations and categories specified in the United Arab Emirates competent authority.
5. Pass the required medical examination.
6. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Ireland



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid residence permit.
2. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Ireland.
3. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
4. Categories to be exchanged: According to the regulations and categories specified in the United Arab Emirates competent authority.
5. Pass the required medical examination.
6. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



The kingdom of Spain



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid residence permit.
2. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of kingdom of Spain.
3. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
4. Categories to be exchanged: According to the regulations and categories specified in the United Arab Emirates competent authority.
5. Pass the required medical examination.
6. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Kingdom of Norway



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid residence permit.
2. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of kingdom of Norway.
3. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
4. Categories to be exchanged: According to the regulations and categories specified in the United Arab Emirates competent authority.
5. Pass the required medical examination.
6. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



New Zealand



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid residence permit.
2. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of New Zealand.
3. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
4. Categories to be exchanged: According to the regulations and categories specified in the United Arab Emirates competent authority.
5. Pass the required medical examination.
6. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Romania



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid residence permit.
2. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Romania.
3. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
4. Categories to be exchanged: According to the regulations and categories specified in the United Arab Emirates competent authority.
5. Pass the required medical examination.
6. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Singapore



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold Singapore nationality.
2. Hold a valid residence permit.
3. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Singapore.
4. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
5. Categories to be exchanged: According to the regulations and categories specified in the United Arab Emirates competent authority.
6. Pass the required medical examination.
7. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Hong Kong



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid residence permit.
2. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Hong Kong.
3. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
4. Categories to be exchanged: According to the regulations and categories specified in the United Arab Emirates competent authority.
5. Pass the required medical examination.
6. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Netherlands



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid residence permit.
2. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Netherland.
3. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
4. Categories to be exchanged: According to the regulations and categories specified in the United Arab Emirates competent authority.
5. Pass the required medical examination.
6. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Kingdom of Denmark



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid residence permit.
2. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Denmark.
3. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
4. Categories to be exchanged: According to the regulations and categories specified in the United Arab Emirates competent authority.
5. Pass the required medical examination.
6. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Republic of Austria



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid residence permit.
2. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Austria.
3. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
4. Categories to be exchanged: According to the regulations and categories specified in the United Arab Emirates competent authority.
5. Pass the required medical examination.
6. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Republic of Finland



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid residence permit.
2. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of New Zealand.
3. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
4. Categories to be exchanged: According to the regulations and categories specified in the United Arab Emirates competent authority.
5. Pass the required medical examination.
6. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



United Kingdom



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid residence permit.
2. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of United Kingdom.
3. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
4. Categories to be exchanged: According to the regulations and categories specified in the United Arab Emirates competent authority.
5. Pass the required medical examination.
6. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Republic of Turkey



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid residence permit.
2. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Republic of Turkey.
3. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
4. Categories to be exchanged: According to the regulations and categories specified in the United Arab Emirates competent authority.
5. Pass the required medical examination.
6. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



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1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Canada



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold Canadian nationality.
2. Hold a valid residence permit.
3. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Canada.
4. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
5. Categories to be exchanged: According to the regulations and categories specified in the United Arab Emirates competent authority.
6. Pass the required medical examination.
7. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Republic of Poland



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid residence permit.
2. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Poland.
3. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
4. Categories to be exchanged: According to the regulations and categories specified in the United Arab Emirates competent authority.
5. Pass the required medical examination.
6. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



South Africa



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid residence permit.
2. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of South Africa.
3. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
4. Categories to be exchanged: According to the regulations and categories specified in the United Arab Emirates competent authority.
5. Pass the required medical examination.
6. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Australia



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid residence permit.
2. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Australia.
3. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
4. Categories to be exchanged: According to the regulations and categories specified in the United Arab Emirates competent authority.
5. Pass the required medical examination.
6. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



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1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Republic of Croatia



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold Republic of Croatia nationality.
2. Hold a valid residence permit.
3. Hold a valid and permanent driving license of Republic of Croatia.
4. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of the United Arab Emirates .
5. Categories to be exchanged: Motorcycles & Light Vehicles (Motor vehicle whose tare weight does not exceed 2.5 tons (empty) and carrying no more than 14 seats, excluding the driver's seat).
6. Pass the required medical examination.
7. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



State of Texas



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold USA nationality
2. Hold a valid residence permit.
3. Hold a valid and permanent national driving license.
4. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of State of Texas.
5. Categories to be exchanged: Light Vehicles (Categories C).
6. Pass the required medical examination.
7. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



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2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Republic of North Macedonia



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold North Macedonia nationality.
2. Hold a valid residence permit.
3. Hold a valid and permanent national driving license.
4. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of Republic of North Macedonia.
5. Categories to be exchanged: Motorcycles (Categories A-A1-A2-AM) & Light Vehicles (Categories B - BE).
6. Pass the required medical examination.
7. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Republic of Kosovo



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold Kosovo nationality.
2. Hold a valid residence permit.
3. Hold a valid and permanent national driving license.
4. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of Republic of Kosovo.
5. Categories to be exchanged: Motorcycles (Categories A) & Light Vehicles (Categories B).
6. Pass the required medical examination.
7. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Republic of Kyrgyz



Conditions of exchanging driving licenses:

1. Hold Kyrgyz nationality.
2. Hold a valid residence permit.
3. Hold a valid and permanent national driving license.
4. Fulfill the minimum age requirement laid down by national legislation of Republic of Kyrgyz.
5. Categories to be exchanged: Light Vehicles (Categories B).
6. Pass the required medical examination.
7. Comply with other necessary requirements to exchange driving licenses (if any).



Conditions of recognition driving licenses:

1. Hold a valid driving license.
2. Entering the country **not** for the purpose of residence.



Notes:

- **United Arab Emirates recognize and exchange the national driving licenses issued from GCC countries.**
- **Citizens from other nationalities, should use international driving license for driving in the UAE.**