

Name of licensing authority	Fujairah Free Zone Authority
Emirate	Fujairah
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Main website	www.fujairahfreezone.ae/
A brief description of the licensing authority	<p>Fujairah Free Zone Authority</p> <p>FFZA was established in 1987 under government direction providing an excellent connection point for an easy access to different parts of the world. The main purpose of Free Zone is to encourage foreign investors by providing efficient solutions for Licensing thru ease in issuing permits as well as administrative services. Fujairah Free Zone has the infrastructure to accommodate investors in the fields of trading, manufacturing, assembling, distribution etc, by providing trading offices, warehouses or land as per their requirement.</p> <p>Fujairah Free Zone measures about 4 million square meters</p> <p>Licensing procedures</p> <p>Security clearance for an individuals, Environmental approval for industrial activities, Company profile, Passport Copy, After submitting all required documents, companies are registered within One Hour.</p> <p>Advantages and Benefits</p> <p>Business men & Investors enjoy advantages and privileges given by Fujairah Free Zone Authority.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Multi-access to neighboring and global markets by land, sea and air.• Variety of investment fields.• Efficient and cost-effective investment facilitation• Served by Fujairah Port and the Fujairah International Airport• 100% Foreign ownership• 100% Tax exemptions• 100% Repatriation of capitals and profits

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Customs exemptions. • No labors restriction. <p>Target sectors in the free zone</p> <p>The Authority focuses on attracting both small and medium enterprises, such as focusing on manufacturing of electronic supplements, food processing sector, medical and educational equipment sector, travel and tourism sector, manufacture of hotel supplies, and aviation industry. As well as mining and rock processing due to the natural resources available in Fujairah mountains, which represent more than 70% of the total area of Emirate. The Authority also focuses on marine services by benefiting from the advanced infrastructure of Fujairah Port by marketing opportunities for new investment projects, which constitute a broad area for foreign investment according to the vision of UAE 2021.</p>
Date of establishment of licensing authority	28/11/1987
Total number of licensed companies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Total number of registered entities, broken down by company type. ii. Total number of new incorporations per year, broken down by company type. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Total Number of Registered Licenses: 3337 • Valid Trade License: 605 till 27/04/2021 • Total number of New incorporation as of 2020, By Legal Type: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Number of Free Zone Establishment (FZE): 25 • Number of Free Companies (FZC): 13 • Number of Branch Companies: 4 • Total number of New incorporation as of 2020, By Activity Type: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Trading: 19 • Manufacturing, Trading and Distribution: 1 • Service and Consultancy: 3 • Services: 7 • Trading and General Trading: 1 • General Trading: 2 • Consultancy: 4 • Manufacturing and Trading: 2 • Manufacturing: 1
legal forms of companies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Free Zone Establishment (FZE) – owned by natural / legal person 100% • Free Zone Companies (FZC) – owned by more than one natural / legal person. • Branch Companies – owned by the Mother Company.
describe company types/main activities available and their key features and characteristics	



Type of License

License	Fees
1. Trading:	
a. Trading (two related activities)	5,000
b. Trading in Garments	5,000
c. Trading in Building Materials	5,000
d. Trading in Heavy Equipment	5,000
e. Trading in Chemicals	20,000
2. General Trading	10,000
3. Consulting (Management, H.R, Marketing, Advertising, IT, Event Management, Travel & Tourism, Engineering etc.)	5,000
a. Financial Consultancy	10,000
b. Education Consultancy	25,000
4. Services	5,000
5. E-commerce	5,000
6. Each Activity of Shipping	
7. Marine Service / Consulting Or Trading	10,000
8. Logistics	
9. Maintenance Services	
10. Special License	
11. Trading/Consultancy Or Service in Oil/ Petroleum Products	20,000
12. Investment	50,000
13. Alcohol Products	50,000
14. Educational	50,000
15. Manufacturing	5,000
16. Holding Company	20,000

Licensing requirements

- Security approval
- Passport copies
- Emirates ID copies
- Ultimate Beneficial Ownership details

The above are applicable to natural person

Including the above documents, legal person is required to submit the following documents:

- Board resolution.
 - Power of Attorney.
 - Article of Incorporation / Memorandum of Association.
 - Incorporation Certificate.
 - Commercial Registrar.
 - Good Standing Certificate.
- (the above to be attested by UAE Embassy in the parent Country)

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Passport copy and Emirates ID of company's authorized signatory / Directors / Board of Directors
Licensing procedures	<p>Fujairah Free Zone Authority's is receiving the clients before registration and asks the clients to submit security application form in which he / she required to submit the security form, passport copy, Emirates ID copy, 2 photos for each applicant and the security application fee. The security application takes 5 – 7 days. Once the security approval is received, the customer requires to fill up the company application form in which he / she requires to provide the address of the applicant / shareholders, proposed company name, activity, number of shares, director / authorized signatory's details. After receiving the company's application form, registration documents and the registration fees and the necessary approvals from Concern Authorities, the company will be registered in the Free Zone's system. The documents will be generated to the company are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Trade license. • Incorporation certificate. • Share certificate. • Article of Incorporation. • Lease Agreement. • NOC to Open a Bank Account. <p>In case of Branch, only documents generated are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Trade License. • Lease Agreement. • NOC to Open a Bank Account.
Related Legislation	<p>Operation Manual, represent the internal rules and regulations of Fujairah Free Zone Authority:</p> <p>http://fujairahfreezone.com/Operational-Manual.pdf/</p>
Links of Related Legislation	<p>NA</p>
fees and taxes by service	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Water and Electricity (FEWA) • Emirates Post Services • Visa / Immigration fees • Social development fees

e-Services provision links	https://www.fujairahfreezone.com/start-your-business//
Links of Licensing Forms	http://www.fujairahfreezone.com/application-form//
Query link about companies licensed within the licensing authority	https://www.fujairahfreezone.com/investors-corner/listed-companies--investors//