

Announcement of the Embassy of the Republic of Cyprus in Beijing
regarding the opening of Visa Application Centers
in the People's Republic of China
(20 April, 2016)

The Embassy of the Republic of Cyprus in Beijing is pleased to announce the opening of a Visa Application Center (VAC) in Beijing.

The VAC in Beijing is expected to start operating on April 20th, 2016. VACs in other cities are expected to open later, once the relevant procedures have been completed.

The web page (provisional version) of the Visa Application Centre in Beijing (<https://cy.tlscontact.com/cn/BJJ>) is already available, while it is expected to be fully operational as of May 4th, 2016.

Until May 4th, 2016, applicants from all over China will be able to contact the TLScontact's call center (**calls from China: 021 60168632, calls from overseas: +86 21 60168633**) for arranging an appointment for the submission of their visa applications.

As of **May 5th, 2016**, **all appointments will be made electronically**, through the web page of the Visa Application Center in Beijing (<https://cy.tlscontact.com/cn/BJJ>).

The VAC in Beijing will be open daily (Monday to Friday) from 8:30 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. and will observe the holidays of the Embassy of the Republic of Cyprus in Beijing and the official public holidays of the PR China.

Applicants from all over China are requested to choose the Visa Application Center in Beijing for the submission of their visa applications.

More information is available on the web page of the VAC in Beijing (<https://cy.tlscontact.com/cn/BJJ>).