## ATTENDING A DEPOSITION AT THE U.S. EMBASSY OR CONSULATE IN JAPAN

\* Required for attorneys and other relevant personnel (including translators and court reporters) to go to Japan for the purpose of attending a deposition.

X Please note that all visa application require referral to our headquarters in Japan and may take longer than the general processing time.

REQUIREMENTS:
□ VALID PASSPORT: Properly signed by bearer, must have at least one blank VISA page
□ COMPLETED VISA APPLICATION FORM: (Visa application form)  The applicant must complete the visa application form in black pen or typed. Signature must be original. On the application form, if there is a field not applicable, please write "N/A" or "None".
□ ONE PASSPORT SIZE PHOTOGRAPH 2X1.4 inch photograph on glossy photo paper must be taken within the last six months with plain background.
□ PROOF OF YOUR U.S. IMMIGRATION STATUS: *Copies accepted □ Valid U.S. Permanent Resident Card (Green card) □ Valid F1 Visa □ I-20 with valid travel endorsement signature □ Valid J1 Visa □ DS-2019 with valid travel endorsement signature □ Other U.S. Visa holder □ Copy of your valid U.S. Visa
□ FLIGHT ITINERARY/RESERVATION:  Must have the visa applicant's name and date along with the flight information (starting with the US AND including the flight to/from Japan). You do not need to purchase your airline ticket until the visa is approved, however you need to make a reservation. You may want to consider adding trip protection or insurance should you need to cancel. In order to make a reservation without purchase, please consult with the airline or travel agency.  * Please Note: We are not responsible for tickets, which are unusable due to delay or denial of visa.
☐ A LETTER FROM THE APPLICANT'S LAW FIRM: Letter must state the name of the applicant, a brief outline of the case and period of stay in Japan.
☐ COPY OF THE COURT ORDER:  The commission/court order issued by a U.S. court must be sent directly to the U.S. Embassy in Tokyo or the appropriate U.S. Consulate in order to schedule a deposition to be taken.
□ VISA OR CLEARANCE FROM THE COUNTRY YOU INTEND TO ENTER AFTER JAPAN (if applicable):  If you intend to enter a third country after Japan and a visa is required, you must get that visa first.
□ PROOF OF CURRENT ADDRESS: Can be either a copy of CA/AZ Driver License or CA/AZ ID. If your DL is not your current address, please bring a copy of a utility bill.
□ <b>VISA FEE:</b> Please refer to the <u>Visa fee page</u> . We only accept CASH (exact amount) or Money Order. We do not accept credit cards or personal checks.
□ PRE-PAID SELF-ADDRESSED RETURN ENVELOPE Please submit a PREPAID return envelope with tracking. Please use USPS (Priority or Express).
☐ COMPLETED RELEASE OF LIABILITY: Each applicant must sign their own form in pen. Please be reminded that we do not accept digital signatures.

Additional documents may be requested when necessary.