

Your personalised path

Setting up a company in Gabon

Project Create a company

Profile Foreign investor

Procedures	Steps	Documents	Indicative time frame	Indicative fixed fees
3	15	6	at least 4 days	220,000 to 370,000 FCFA + 4 fees not quantified

Points to note

Path shown for a limited liability company (SARL). A foreign company may also operate through a branch (parent company articles and minutes deciding the opening) or create a public limited company (SA, minimum capital of XAF 10 million according to the ANPI-Gabon online one-stop shop).

12 steps have no published time: the total duration is a minimum.

Procedures, in order

Procedure 1: Set up a limited liability company (SARL) Up to date

1 Prepare the file

National Investment Promotion Agency of Gabon

2 Submit the file on the GNI and pay the fees

National Investment Promotion Agency of Gabon

Incorporation fee, Gabonese national (ANPI indicative schedule): **220,000 FCFA** (indicative)

Incorporation fee, non-Gabonese national (ANPI indicative schedule): **370,000 FCFA** (indicative)

3 File validated by ANPI-Gabon

National Investment Promotion Agency of Gabon , time frame: 2 days

4 Registration of the legal deeds

Directorate General of Taxes

5 Registration in the RCCM

Registry of the Libreville commercial court (trade and personal property credit register)

6 Tax identification number issued

Directorate General of Taxes

7 Registration with the CNSS and CNAMGS

National Social Security Fund

8 Publication in the Official Journal
National Investment Promotion Agency of Gabon

9 Final validation and delivery of the single registration form
National Investment Promotion Agency of Gabon

Procedure 2: Use the Investment Charter incentives Up to date

10 Identify the applicable regime
National Investment Promotion Agency of Gabon

11 File at the one-stop shop
National Investment Promotion Agency of Gabon , time frame: 2 to 30 days

12 Apply the general tax benefits
Directorate General of Taxes

13 Apply for duty suspension regimes
Directorate General of Customs and Indirect Duties
Fee: Not published

Procedure 3: Register the business with the CNSS and declare its workers Up to date

14 Register each worker
National Social Security Fund , time frame: up to 8 days
Fee: Not published

15 Declare wages every quarter
National Social Security Fund
Employer CNSS contributions (16% of capped wages, PwC source): **16%** (official)
Employee CNSS contribution (2.5%, PwC source): **2.5%** (official)

Documents to gather

- ☐ **Identity document** Required at step 1
- ☐ **Articles of association** Required at step 1
- ☐ **Technical approval** Required at steps 1, 11
- ☐ **Tax registration certificate (NIF)** Required at step 12
- ☐ **CNSS worker registration form** Required at step 14
- ☐ **CNSS employer declaration notice** Required at step 15

Institutions involved

National Investment Promotion Agency of Gabon ; Directorate General of Taxes ; Registry of the Libreville commercial court (trade and personal property credit register) ; National Social Security Fund ; Directorate

General of Customs and Indirect Duties

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Online version: https://gaboneco.ga/en/procedures/parcours/resultat?action=company_creation&profile=foreign_investor