



## **BLS International Wins Visa Outsourcing Contract from Embassy of Cyprus in Russia**

*To open Visa Applications Centres (VACs) across 9 cities in Russia*

**New Delhi, 25th November 2025** – BLS International Services Limited (“BLS International”), a trusted global tech-enabled services partner for governments and diplomatic missions worldwide, has signed a contract with the Embassy of Cyprus in Russia to provide comprehensive visa outsourcing services. Under the terms of this agreement, BLS International will oversee Cyprus visa application operations in Russia, establishing centers across nine major cities and offering streamlined, secure, and customer-friendly visa services. The centres will incorporate enhanced infrastructure and advanced technology to ensure a seamless experience for applicants.

**Shikhar Aggarwal, Joint Managing Director at BLS International, said,** *“This collaboration with the Embassy of Cyprus in Russia is a meaningful milestone that reflects the trust placed in us to deliver services with integrity and global standards. At BLS International, we are uniquely positioned to manage this mandate responsibly, backed by proven expertise and a strong commitment to compliance and transparency. Through this collaboration, we aim to ensure that travellers to Cyprus benefit from a seamless, clear, and efficient experience as we continue to drive innovation in international mobility.”*

FY26 has marked a period of strategic expansion for BLS International, with the company securing key contracts from India in China, Cyprus in Kazakhstan and Slovakia in 80 countries —strengthening its footprint across Asia and Europe. This momentum was reflected in the company's strongest quarterly performance to date. In Q2FY26, BLS International reported consolidated revenue of INR 736.6 crores, representing a 48.8% year-on-year increase, while net profit reached INR 185.7 crores, up 27.4% year-on-year.

With a presence in over 70 countries and having processed over 360 million applications to date, BLS International continues to lead the consular outsourcing industry with a focus on innovation and technology, compliance, and customer satisfaction.

### **About BLS International Services Limited:**

BLS International Services Ltd. is a trusted global tech-enabled services partner for governments and citizens, having an impeccable reputation for setting benchmarks in the domain of visa, passports, consular, citizen, e-governance, attestation, biometric, e-visa, and retail services since 2005.



The company is recognized as “India’s Most Valuable Companies” by Business Today Magazine, “Best under a Billion’ Company” by Forbes Asia and ranked among “Fortune India’s Next 500 companies”. The company works with over 46 client governments, including Diplomatic Missions, Embassies, and consulates, and leverages technology and processes that ensure data security. The Company now has an extensive network of more than 50,000+ centers globally, with a robust strength of over 60,000+ employees and associates that provide consular, biometrics, and citizen services.

BLS International is certified with CMMI DEV ML5 V2.0 & SVC ML5 V2.0, ISO 9001:2015 for Quality Management Systems, ISO 27001:2013 for Information Security Management Systems, ISO 14001:2015 for Environmental Management Systems, and more.

BLS International is the only listed company in this domain with operations in over 70 countries.

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