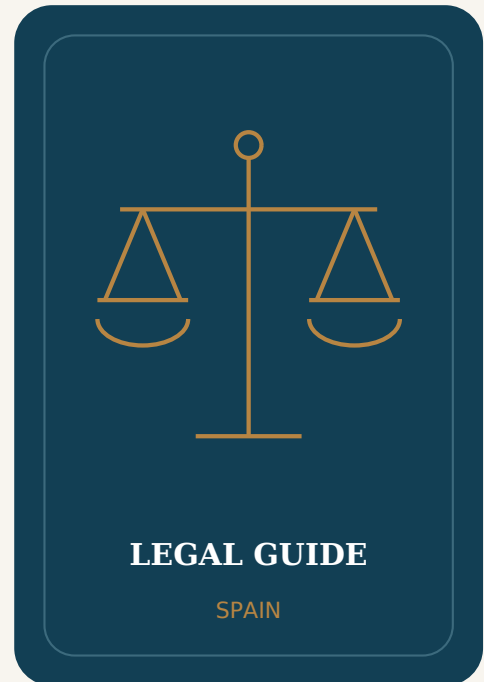


POWERS OF ATTORNEY

A practical guide for clients in Spain

Guidance on the scope, drafting, formalities and practical use of powers of attorney for matters connected with Spain.

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HOW THE PROCESS USUALLY WORKS

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1. Initial review

Clarify your objectives, timeline and the main legal issue.

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2. Document assessment

Review the paperwork and identify any gaps or risks.

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3. Strategy and action

Agree practical next steps and the most suitable route.

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4. Follow-through

Support implementation, communication and final formalities.

A clear chronology and complete documents usually make legal advice faster and more precise.

KEY CONSIDERATIONS

Define the powers clearly

A power should be tailored to the tasks required and limited where appropriate.

Form and execution

Notarial formalities, translation, legalisation or apostille may be important.

Third-party acceptance

Banks, registries or authorities may have specific requirements before accepting a document.

- International perspective

- Clear communication

Expiry and revocation

Review whether the power is ongoing, specific, revocable or linked to a particular transaction.

- Practical advice

- Professional support

- Identity details of grantor and attorney
- Clear description of the intended acts
- Details of property, banking or litigation matters
- Whether translation / apostille is required
- Expected timeframe and destination authority

Can a foreign power of attorney be used in Spain?

Often yes, but its form and supporting formalities must be checked carefully.

Is a general power always appropriate?

Not always. A limited or specific power may offer better control.

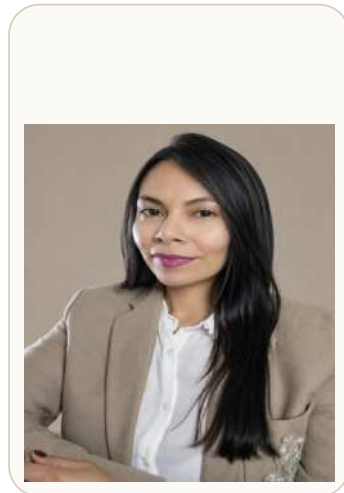
Do institutions always accept the same format?

No. Acceptance can vary depending on the receiving bank, registry or authority.

If you would like tailored advice on your situation, you can book an initial meeting or get in touch directly.

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