**Requirements for Registration of a Public Limited Company**

There are various rules and regulations prescribed under the Act for the formation of a public limited company.  Here is what you should keep in mind when registering a public limited company:

* Minimum 7 shareholders are required to form a public limited company.
* Minimum of 3 directors is required to form a public limited company.
* A minimum authorised share capital of Rs. 1 lakh is required.
* [Digital Signature Certificate](https://cleartax.in/s/digital-signature-certificate-get-dsc) (DSC) of one of the directors is needed while submitting self-attested copies of identity and address proof.
* Directors of the proposed company will need a [Director Identification Number](https://cleartax.in/s/obtain-din-director-identification-number-india) (DIN).
* The name of the company must be as per the provision of the Company Act and Rules.
* Documents like the [Memorandum of Association (MOA)](https://cleartax.in/s/memorandum-of-association-moa), [Articles of Association (AOA)](https://cleartax.in/s/articles-association-aoa-format-download) and duly filled Form DIR - 12 is needed.
* Payment of the prescribed registration fees to the ROC is required.