

PROCESSING OF E-PASSPORTS AT THE KENYA EMBASSY IN STOCKHOLM

The Embassy of the Republic of Kenya in Stockholm has commenced processing e-passports for Kenyan nationals' resident in the Nordics.

While the passport printing will be centrally done in Nairobi, applicants will be required to submit applications online on the **e-Citizen** platform and present themselves at the Kenya Embassy in Stockholm for submission procedures. Please note that valid old generation passports will be in use till 31st December 2021 after which they will be rendered invalid.

Guidelines for the application are provided below:

- 1. Register on www.ecitizen.go.ke
- 2. Go to <u>dis.ecitizen.go.ke</u> and or Department of immigration services and click on the passport application form.
- 3. Read the instructions carefully then fill the application form.
- 4. Select the mode of payment and pay for the passport fees.
- 5. Download and print the application form and two application receipts.
- 6. Book an appointment with the Kenya Embassy, Stockholm on consular@kenyaembassy.se
- 7. Submit the application form in person to the Kenya Embassy in Stockholm

Things to note:

- 1. Kindly ensure that you have read and understood the guidelines and requirements both on www.ecitizen.go.ke and those listed below before submitting your application.
- 2. Applicants must apply for the e-passport on the e-citizen platform before booking an appointment for submission procedures at the Kenya Embassy, Stockholm.
- 3. Incomplete passport applications will not be processed. Please ensure that all the requirements are met.
- 4. For the submission procedures at the Kenya Embassy Stockholm, applicants must provide an original Kenyan Birth Certificate, parent's Identity Card (in the case of minor's) and the Passport that is being replaced.
- 5. The waiting period is approximately 6 to 8 weeks.
- 6. Dual Citizens are required to declare their other nationality prior to applying for an e-passport.
- 7. Those required to apply to regain Kenya citizenship are expected to do so online on fns.immigration.go.ke and submit hard copies to the Kenya Embassy, before applying for an e-passport.
- 8. Photographs should be 2 by 2 inches and clear, with all facial features clearly outlined against a white background. Spectacles should not be worn.
- 9. **Collection of passports is strictly via postal services**. At the time of application, applicants are required to provide a secure, registered, and trackable self-addressed envelope with pre-paid postage stamps. The envelope should have sufficient return postage and clearly indicate full names and postcode of the applicant.

Kenya Embassy STOCKHOLM

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