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NEW FEE STRUCTURE FOR HOME AFFAIRS SERVICES

The Ministry of Home Affairs, Immigration, Safety and Security (MHAISS) wishes to inform the public that, effective from 19 July 2021, fees for services offered and documents issued by the Ministry will increase. The increases relate to civil registration, identity management, citizenship, immigration, and refugee management services.

The increase in fees is necessitated by various factors, such as:

- The enhancement of security features of passport booklets, visas and permits resulted in higher procurement prices.
- The number of pages in the new passports will increase from 32 to 47 pages and the validity will also increase from five (5) to ten (10) years.
- ID cards will contain a Machine-Readable Zone (MRZ) and a Quick Response Code (QRC).

The Ministry would like to emphasize that many ID cards that were printed as duplicates remain uncollected at our Offices countrywide and calls upon applicants to collect their documents without further delay. It must be noted duplicate national documents will also be charged incrementally, as evident in the tables below. The last fee increase for these services and documents was in 2017.

Find attached tables below indicate the services / documents, the old fees, and new fees.

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Executive Director



VISAS, PERMITS AND CERTIFICATE OF IDENTITY

VISA, PERMIT, CERTIFICATE OR APPEAL	DESCRIPTION	OLD FEE	NEW FEE
Visa on arrival	Per visa (limited to 90 days)	1,000	1,200
Holiday / visitor's visa and other visas <i>(this fee is not applicable in respect of countries that have visa exemption agreements with Namibia)</i>	Per visa (limited to 90 days)	500.00	600.00
Short term Employment Permit (Work visa)	Per visa (limited to 90 days)	1,000.00	1,100.00
Employment Permit	Per year	2,500.00	2,600.00
Temporary Residence Permit (TRP) issued in terms of Section 27 (5) of the Act for the accompanying spouse and dependent children only)	Per year	1,500.00	1,600.00
Student's Permit: Primary and Secondary Education <i>(excluding students who are in possession of permits contemplated in section 27(5) of the Act)</i>	Per year	1,500.00	1,600.00
Student's Permit: Tertiary Education	Per year	2,000.00	2,200.00
Temporary Residence Permit (TRP) issued in terms of Section 28 (5) of the Act for the accompanying spouse and dependent children only)	Per year	1,500.00	1,600.00
Student's Permit: Tertiary Education	Per year	2,000	2,200
Permanent Residence Permit	-	18,000.00	20,000.00
Re-entry visa (Permanent Residence Permit holders only)	2 years	800.00	0
Certificate of Identity	Per year	1,500.00	1,600.00
Appeal (Appeals in respect of I visa, permit and certificate of identity applications)	Per appeal	-	200.00

PASSPORTS AND TRAVEL DOCUMENTS

Passports and Travel Documents	Old Fee (N\$)	New Fee (N\$)
Diplomatic passport: New	0.00	0.00
Diplomatic passport: Lost/Damaged	400.00	800.00
Official passport: New	0.00	0.00
Official passport: Lost/Damaged	400.00	800.00
Ordinary passport: New	200.00	400.00
Ordinary passport: Lost/Damaged	400.00	800.00
Refugee passport: New	200.00	400.00
Refugee passport: Lost/Damaged	400.00	800.00
Travel Document (Brown): New	300.00	400.00
Travel Document: Lost/Damaged	300.00	600.00
Emergency Travel Certificate: New	150.00	300.00

CITIZENSHIP CERTIFICATES AND RENOUNCIATION OF CITIZENSHIP

Citizenship Certificates	Current Fee(N\$)	Proposed Fee (N\$)
Citizenship Certificate - Descent: New	0.00	500.00
Citizenship Certificate - Descent: Duplicate	150.00	500.00
Citizenship Certificate - Naturalization: New	1000.00	1,200.00
Citizenship Certificate - Naturalization: Duplicate	150.00	500.00
Citizenship Certificate - Registration: New	0.00	-
Citizenship Certificate - Registration: Duplicate	150.00	500.00
Citizenship Certificate - Marriage: New	1000.00	1,200.00
Citizenship Certificate - Marriage: Duplicate	200.00	500.00
Citizenship Certificate - Restoration: New	100.00	500.00
Citizenship Certificate - Restoration: Duplicate	150.00	1000.00
Renunciation of citizenship	100.00	1000.00