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## MARRIAGE SOLEMNISED AT THE EMBASSY

Marriages which are solemnised outside the South Africa may be reported to the Department of Home Affairs through the Embassy, to be noted on the National Population Register as a foreign marriage. All applications must be submitted in person at the Embassy, please visit us after confirmation of appointment.

The Applications received at the Embassy are forwarded to the Department of Foreign Affairs in Pretoria in order to process them, the applicant will be informed accordingly when process is finalised from Department of Home Affairs in Pretoria.

The request should be sent to the Embassy 3 months or longer before proposed marriage date, when requesting possible marriage dates please provide 3 proposed dates with ID copy and copy of passport in order for the Embassy to make arrangements.

The Embassy require a letter of no impediment /marital status

The letter of no Impediment /marital status may be applied for at the Embassy.

- Requirements as follows
- Duly completed application form at the Embassy
- Valid passport and ID
- Marriage certificate, divorce paper or death certificate of spouse if applicable
- Processing time 5 months or more (NB)

SA Citizens who are married may then apply for a letter of marital status only after their marital status on the NPR has been changed as MARRIED (processing time 5 months or more)