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Information on the legalization of Cambodian civil status documents

I. Preliminary remark

The legalization serves to prove the authenticity of Cambodian civil status documents (e.g. birth certificate, marriage certificate).

The legalization gives foreign documents the legal status of authenticity. However, the legalization does not refer to the correctness of the content of the certificate. Through the legalization, only the signature of the person undersigned is confirmed.

As a general rule, Cambodian civil status documents have to be legalized for use by German authorities. Nevertheless, please check with the responsible German authority whether legalization is required.

The Embassy legalizes original Cambodian civil status documents and/or original extracts thereof. Cambodian single certificates, Cambodian court rulings or Cambodian educational qualification certificates as well as translations or copies cannot be legalized by the German Embassy.

II. Instructions on how to proceed

The following information has been prepared to the best of our knowledge. However, the German Embassy cannot guarantee for the correctness and completeness for the given information (especially for addresses, telephone numbers and opening times of Cambodian offices).

1. Authentication by the Cambodian Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Civil status documents (e.g. birth certificate, marriage certificate) must be authenticated by the Cambodian Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

The address of the Cambodian Ministry of Foreign Affairs is:

Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation
No. 3, Samdech Hun Sen Street, Sangkat Tonle Basac, Khan Chamkarmon, Phnom Penh
email: mfaic@mfaic.gov.kh

2. Legalization of the documents

Only after the document has been authenticated by the Cambodian Ministry of Foreign Affairs, it can be legalized by the German Embassy.

Prior appointments are required. Appointments can be booked through the Embassy's website.

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III. Fees

Per document, a fee of 28,45 Euros is charged acc. to No. I.7.1. AABGebV.

The fee is payable in cash in US-Dollar at the daily exchange rate of the German Embassy.

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