



DEATH CERTIFICATES

(All relevant documents must be completed using BLACK INK PEN)

Any person may apply for a copy of a Death Certificate provided that the death has been registered with the South African Government. The person who is making the application must state clearly the reasons for application.

Please indicate clearly if you want an unabridged certificate for use in the Netherlands and abroad.

If you have a previous certificate, please attach a certified copy so as it becomes easier to trace the record.

ALL APPLICATION FORMS ARE OBTAINABLE AT THE CONSULATE

The following documentation is required for a copy of a Death Certificate:

- Form BI-132 must be fully completed in black ink.
- Copy of previous certificate, if possible.
- Payment of the prescribed fee (please see Tariffs).

Remember that the Notice of death form must also have been filed in order to obtain a certificate. If in Dutch, it must be translated and duly legalized.

PLEASE NOTE:

- ❖ All payments are in cash only and the correct amount must be provided.
- ❖ Applications are likely to take a minimum of 4 (four) months and possibly longer.
- ❖ A request for a progress report on the application must be made in writing, so that the Embassy may refer it directly to the appropriate section at the Department of Home Affairs.
- ❖ Office hours: 09h00 – 12h00 working days excluding holidays (see website for official public holidays).
- ❖ Please address any further questions by e-mail to the address indicated on the main Consular page.