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Notarisation of a marriage abroad by a German registry office

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Modul	Sachverhalt
Leistungsschlüssel	99059001019000, 99059001019000
Leistungsbezeichnung I	Notarisation of a marriage abroad by a German registry office
Leistungsbezeichnung II	Notarisation of a marriage abroad by a German registry office
Typisierung	2/3 - Bund: Regelung (2 oder 3), Land/Kommune: Vollzug
Quellredaktion	Hessen
Freigabestatus Katalog	unbestimmter Freigabestatus
Freigabestatus Bibliothek	unbestimmter Freigabestatus
Begriffe im Kontext	
Leistungstyp	Leistungsobjekt mit Verrichtung
Leistungsgruppierung	Heirat (059)
Verrichtungskennung	Registrierung (019)
SDG-Informationsbereich	
Lagen Portalverbund	Urkunden und Bescheinigungen (1070200),

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	Eheschließung (1020300)
Einheitlicher Ansprechpartner	Nein
Fachlich freigegeben am	20.10.2022
Fachlich freigegeben durch	Hessian Ministry of the Interior and Sport
Handlungsgrundlage	Administrative costs regulation for the portfolio of the Ministry of the Interior and for Sport. https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/pstg/_34.html https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/pstg/_34.html
Teaser	You can also have your marriage contracted abroad subsequently entered in the marriage register. However, there is no obligation.
Volltext	Duly issued marriage certificates (marriage certificates) from abroad are generally recognised in Germany. There is no obligation to re-certify in a German marriage register. However, the subsequent entry in the marriage register can be advantageous, because the local registry office can then issue you with a German marriage certificate. Any translations and certifications of the foreign document will thus be omitted in the future.
Erforderliche Unterlagen	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Marriage certificate (marriage certificate) for the marriage contracted abroad, possibly with certification by the competent foreign authority (apostille) or legalisation by the German mission abroad • valid identity card, passport or travel document • naturalisation certificate, certificate of nationality, if applicable • Translations of all documents in a foreign language by sworn translators in Germany <p>Further additional documents required:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • At the birth of the spouses in Germany: birth certificates • In case of birth of the spouses abroad: the birth certificates with certification by the competent foreign authority (apostille) or legalisation by the German mission abroad

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- Has a spouse ever been married: certified copy from the marriage register of the last marriage marriage with dissolution note alternatively or in the case of a previous marriage abroad: proof of the conclusion and dissolution of all marriages – for example, marriage certificates, death certificates, all divorce decrees (complete and with a note from the court since when the judgment has been final / "legally binding note") if applicable, recognition of the foreign divorce by the President of the Higher Regional Court
- If a spouse had ever entered into a registered civil partnership: Evidence of the establishment and dissolution of all civil partnerships

Voraussetzungen

A marriage contracted abroad can only be entered in the German marriage register if it has been validly concluded. In addition, it may not contradict German law. The re-certification of the marriage is possible for:

- German citizens
- Stateless, homeless foreigners or foreign refugees habitually resident in Germany

Eligible applicants:

- each spouse
- both died: their parents and their children

Kosten

Gebühr: 12€
for the drawing up of the marriage certificate, unless the municipality has fixed a different fee by statute.
Gebühr: 94€
for the certification of a marriage contracted abroad, unless the municipality has set a different fee by statute.
Gebühr: 6€
for each additional copy of the marriage certificate issued, unless the municipality has fixed a different fee by statute.
If the registry office I in Berlin is responsible, the fee is based on Berlin state law.

Verfahrensablauf

Details on the modalities and the documents that the registry office requires from you in detail, please inquire there in advance by telephone.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Compile the necessary documents and visit the registry office. • The registrar checks whether certification by a German registry office is possible. • If the conditions are met, the entry in the marriage register can take place. <p>If necessary, the registry office will issue you with a marriage certificate after registration has been completed.</p>
Bearbeitungsdauer	
Frist	
weiterführende Informationen	
Hinweise	If you got married abroad, you can apply at the registry office of your home town for the marriage to be subsequently certified in the German marriage register.
Rechtsbehelf	
Kurztext	
Ansprechpunkt	<p>Responsible is the registry office of the place where you live or last had your residence or habitually.</p> <p>If there is no jurisdiction, the registry office I in Berlin is responsible.</p>
Zuständige Stelle	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • if you are resident in Germany: the registry office of the place where you live or habitually reside • if you reside abroad: Standesamt I in Berlin
Formulare	
Ursprungsportal	Beurkundung einer Eheschließung im Ausland durch ein deutsches Standesamt, Notarisation of a marriage abroad by a German registry office