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NOTAT

LIBANON. Asylsag – opholdstilladelse i
Libanon
US mail af 3. november 2017.
US Sagsnr. _____ , _____ ,

Udenrigsministeriet modtog den 3. november 2017 en anmodning om bistand af Udlændingestyrelsen i forbindelse med en række asylsager. Udlændingestyrelsen har anmodet Udenrigsministeriet om oplysninger vedrørende regler for opholdstilladelse i Libanon. Udenrigsministeriet har indhentet nedenstående svar fra de stedlige myndigheder. Udlændingestyrelsens spørgsmål og de modtagne svar følger herefter på engelsk:

- 1. Can a Syrian national, of a Lebanese mother, applying for a residence permit in Lebanon for the first time, use his/her expired national passport? In the specific case, the person concerned only has an expired national passport and has never had a Syrian identity card.**

As a rule, a Syrian national, of a Lebanese mother, cannot apply for a residence permit in Lebanon with an expired national passport.

The concerned person can however apply for a residence permit either by providing the authorities with a Syrian identity card or an extract of individual registration.

It is however possible for Syrian nationals to extend/renew their national passports at the Syrian Embassy in Lebanon.

- 2. Can 1) a foreign spouse of a Lebanese woman or 2) the father to a child of a Lebanese mother in connection with the application for a residence permit and/or the extending of the residence permit use an expired Syrian passport instead of a Syrian identity card?**

A foreign spouse of a Lebanese woman or the father to a child of a Lebanese mother cannot apply for a residence permit and/or extend the residence permit with an expired Syrian passport.

The concerned person can apply for a residence permit either by providing the authorities with a Syrian identity card or an individual extract of registration.

- 3. Can a Syrian woman married to a Lebanese man, who has never had a passport, apply for a residence permit in Lebanon by providing a Syrian identity card? Can a Syrian man married to a Lebanese woman, who has never had a passport, apply for a residence permit in Lebanon by providing a Syrian identity card?**

A Syrian woman married to a Lebanese man or a Syrian man married to a Lebanese woman, who has never had a passport, can apply for a residence permit in Lebanon by providing the Lebanese authorities with a Syrian identity card.

- 4. Further, can a Syrian applicant of a Lebanese mother, who has never had a passport, apply for a residence permit in Lebanon by providing a Syrian identity card? According to the MFA hearing from 18 May 2017, a Syrian national when aged 15 years or more, who has lost his/her passport and is not able to reacquire the passport or acquire a new one, can still apply for a residence permit in Lebanon by 1) providing a Syrian identity card and 2) document the loss of his passport by providing the GDGS with a formal police report?**

A Syrian applicant of a Lebanese mother, who has never had a passport, can apply for a residence permit in Lebanon by providing the Lebanese authorities either by a Syrian identity card or an individual extract of registration.

Udenrigsministeriet, den 24. januar 2018