

Flygtningenævnets baggrundsmateriale

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N O T A T

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Flygtningenævnet har i forbindelse med en asylsag anmodet Udenrigsministeriet om bistand med at fremskaffe information om opholdstilladelse i Libanon. Ambassaden i Beirut har i den forbindelse besvaret spørgsmålene på baggrund af oplysninger indhentet hos de stedlige myndigheder. Spørgsmål og svar følger herefter på engelsk:

- 1. Can a female Syrian citizen, who is married to a stateless male Palestinian from Lebanon, and who has lived in Lebanon [REDACTED] to her travel to Denmark in [REDACTED], and who still has close ties to Lebanon as her three sons are living there, travel to Lebanon and obtain a residence permit in Lebanon?**

In order to give a clear answer to the above, question no. 1 is divided into two sub-questions:

- 1.1. Can a female Syrian citizen who is married to a Stateless Palestinian travel to Lebanon?**

As a general rule, Syrian citizens traveling to Lebanon can either obtain a visa directly at the border posts or obtain a previous visa from a Lebanese mission abroad regardless the fact whether the Syrian national in question is married to a Stateless Palestinian or not (unless the individual in question is, for some reason, banned from entry to Lebanon by the Lebanese authorities).

- 1.2. Can a female Syrian citizen who is married to a Stateless Palestinian obtain a residence permit in Lebanon?**

A female Syrian citizen who is married to of a Palestinian registered refugee in Lebanon is eligible to obtain a residence permit in Lebanon.

Required documentation:

- Application form duly filled in and signed by the applicant,
- Passport valid for one year at the least + 2 copies of the passport,
- Three ID photos (4.5x3.5cm),
- Declaration made before a notary public stating that the interested party will not be working in Lebanon,
- Executed and registered marriage contract,
- Copies of the husband's identity card issued for Palestinian refugees in Lebanon, UNRWA registration card (if available) and identification certificate issued by the head of the general security office.

2. Would it influence the answer to question no. 1, that the late mother of the woman was a Lebanese citizen?

As a general rule, a free of charge courtesy residence permit is granted to the son/ daughter of a Lebanese mother. The permit is valid from one and up to three years depending on the passport validity. The residence permit is renewable.

It is to be noted that the physical presence of the Lebanese mother when the residence permit is applied for and/ or issued is not a requirement. A child born from a Lebanese mother will be entitled to a courtesy residence permit even if the mother has passed away or has taken up residency in another country.

Udenrigsministeriet, den 9. januar 2018