## Requirements for an Adult South African passport

- All application forms to be completed in black ink
- Form <u>BI-529</u> to be fully completed. Questions which are not applicable need to be completed with the word "NONE" or NEVER
- Form BI-73 to be fully completed.
- Form <u>BI-9</u> (fingerprints) to be fully completed. *This form is not downloadable*
- Three (3) passport-size photo's, White background, No smiling, No eyewear (<u>passport</u> and ID photo specifications)
- All current South African Documents Birth certificate, passport, or Identity book + COPIES (If you do not hold an Identity Document, then a Copy of your Birth Certificate)
- If you have any other nationality, please bring the originals along + Copies & (Retention Certificate if applicable)
- If your current passport has been lost or stolen a police report is needed
- If your current passport is damaged, please bring what is left of your damaged passport
- The prescribed fee for (Adult) South African passports is €47-00.
- The fee for a Maxi South African passport is €93-00.
- If you're previous passport has been lost, stolen or damaged then the fee is €94.00.
  PLEASE TAKE NOTE: Any payment to the Consular Section needs to be done through bank payment: <u>Account number: BE20 7350 2551 7856</u>
  BIC KREDBEBB, South African Embassy Montoyerstraat 17 1000 Brussels.
  Reference name and surname of applicant

All non-English documentation should be translated by a sworn translator to English

## PROCESSING PERIOD

• Unfortunately, the tracing of original records in the register held by the National Department of Home Affairs is a time-consuming task, with the result that these applications are likely to take a minimum of 6-8 months and possibly longer.

Please arrange for an appointment via the embassy's website (appointment link found on): www.southafrica.be then click on Consular

E-mail: brussels.consular@dirco.gov.za

*Tel.: 02/285 44 00* (Mon-Fri) between 09h00-12h00 & 13h30 – 16h00

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