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PUBLIC NOTICE

CONCERNING SUBMISSION OF APPLICATIONS AND COLLECTION OF NEW MACHINE READABLE PASSPORTS

The High Commissioner hereby gives notice that Cameroonian nationals, with the exception of those with asylum or refugee status, need to come in person to the consular service of the High Commission in London with fees and other requirements referred to at www.cameroonhighcommission.co.uk in order to apply for the new machine readable passport. The application file will undergo an initial processing at the High Commission. Following a successful submission of an application file, a signed and dated official receipt is issued to an applicant who is advised to safeguard it at all cost and not to surrender it to third parties.

Thereafter, the High Commission sends the application file to the Passport Processing Centre in Yaoundé where the new passport could ultimately be issued. Upon reception of the new passport in the High Commission, the applicant must present the ORIGINAL receipt issued to him/her at the time of submission of the passport application. Failure to present the original receipt will result in the new passport not given to the supposed owner.

It should be noted that the High Commission is NOT responsible for the grant of a UK entry visa nor for the cost involved in travelling to and from London for the purpose of submitting passport applications or collecting a new passport.

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