

Required documents

The following are required of foreigners applying for a marriage licence in Greece (the bride and groom must each submit these documents):

- Valid passports of the bride and groom. A simple photocopy of each passport is required. It is not necessary to obtain an apostille or a translation.
- Birth Certificates of the bride and groom. Documents should be authenticated and validated with an Apostille seal and translated into the Greek language.
- Certificates of the bride and groom from their consulate or other qualified authority, stating that there is no impediment to performing the wedding. These certificates may have a variety of titles, such as "Marriage License" or "Registration of Marriage" from the town hall of your residence, or "Single Status" Letter (also known as "Letter of No Impediment" or "Certificate of No Impediment"). The "Single Status" letter is issued by the government/town hall/registrars' office in your place of residence and confirms that there is no obstacle for you to get married. Please note these documents may have a limited period of validity, depending on the country. Translation into Greek language.
- "Divorce Certificate" or "Absolute Decree", if applicable.
A simple photocopy of the "Divorce Certificate" and its translation is required. The original divorce certificate must be presented at the Santorini Town Hall, but it will be returned to its owner immediately. By Greek Law, you need to be divorced at least 6 months prior to remarrying.
- "Deed Poll" Certificate
If any of the parties has changed his/her name by Deed Poll, written proof must be obtained. A Greek translation of the document must also be submitted.
- "Death" Certificate
If any of the parties is a widower/widow, the death certificate of the previous spouse must be obtained. A Greek translation of the document must also be submitted.
- "Adoption" Certificate
If any of the parties are adopted, this document is required. A Greek translation of the document must also be submitted.
- Copies of Passports of the 2 Witnesses