



Lithuania

Necessary documents to register changes in civil status taking place in Lithuania

All documents are required in **original** (photocopies are not accepted) and **must not be older than six months**. Apart from international CIEC-Forms and copy of passport, all documents must be translated into one of the official Swiss languages by a notarized translator. The documents will be sent to the authorities in Switzerland and will not be returned.

Birth of a child from **married parents** (marriage is registered)

For the child:

- Birth certificate - extract with name of the child and both parents (*Išrašas iš gimimo akto irrašo /Forma A* - Extrait de l'acte de naissance – international CIEC-Forma, valid without Apostille).
- If available a copy of the passport

Birth of a child from **non-married parents**

For the child:

- Birth certificate - extract with name of the child and both *parents* (*Išrašas iš gimimo akto irrašo /Forma A* - Extrait de l'acte de naissance, international CIEC-Forma, valid without Apostille).
- Acknowledgement of paternity (*Tevistes pripažinimo*), with Apostille and translation)
- If available a copy of the passport

For foreign father/mother:

- Birth certificate - extract with name of the child and both *parents* (*Išrašas iš gimimo akto irrašo /Forma A* - Extrait de l'acte de naissance – international CIEC-Forma, valid without Apostille)
 - Confirmation of civil status (*Pažyma apie šeimine padėti*), with Apostille and translation
 - If previously married or widowed:
Divorce certificate-extract with notice of legal effect (*Ištuokos liudijimas*) with Apostille; death certificate-extract (*Išrašas iš mirties irrašo /Forma C* / Extrait d'un acte de décès), international CIEC, valid without Apostille
 - Passport copy (pages with personal data and signature)
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Marriage

Additional for non-Swiss partner

- Marriage certificate - extract (*Išrašas iš santuokos irrašo /Forma B*- Extrait de l'acte de mariage), international CIEC-Forma, valid without Apostille
- Birth certificate - extract with name of the child and both parents (*Išrašas iš gimimo akto irrašo /Forma A* / Extrait de l'acte de naissance – international CIEC-Forma, valid without Apostille)
- Certificate of civil status (at the time of marriage) (*Pažyma apie šeimine padėti*) extract from the with Apostille and translation

- If previously married or widowed:
- Divorce certificate (*Ištukos liudijimas*) with Apostille and translation; Death certificate - extract (*Išrašas iš mirties akto irrašo / Forma C/ Extrait d'un acte de décès*), international CIEC-Forma, valid without Apostille
- Proof of nationality - passport copy (pages with personal data and signature)
- Certificate of residence (at the time of marriage) (*Pažyma apie gyvenamąją vietą*), with Apostille and translation

Additional for Swiss citizen:

- Copy of the passport
- Copy of the certificate of personal civil status
- Certificate of residence

Divorce

- Divorce certificate - extract with notice of legal effect (*Ištuokos liudijimas*) with Apostille and translation

Death

- Death certificate - extract (*Išrašas iš mirties akto irrašo/Forma C - Extrait d'un acte de décès*), international CIEC-Forma, valid without Apostille
- If the deceased person owned a Swiss passport or identity card, the documents must be returned for cancellation.

Change of name

- Certificate with confirmation of change of name (*Civilinės metrikacijos įstaiga*) with Apostille and translation

Where to obtain the documents

Extracts are issued by:

- **Civil Status office (*Civilinės metrikacijos skyrius*)** (birth, marriage, divorce and death)
<https://mepis.vrm.lt/web/mepis/kontaktai>
- **Civil Registry office (*Civilinės metrikacijos įstaiga*)** (Change of name)
- the Consuls at Lithuanian Embassies and Consulates (Honorary Consuls do not have the right to issue extracts)

Legalization with Apostille:

For additional information, please contact the Regional Consular Center Nordic and Baltic Countries in Stockholm.