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Case Number:

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The United States Department of State, Office of Children's Issues, has received your written request for entry of your child/ren into the Department's Child Passport Issuance Alert Program (CPIAP), along with documentation of your legal custody or guardianship of the child/ren and your identity. On the basis of your request, an entry was made in the CPIAP for the child/ren. This entry, which normally remains in effect until the child turns 18, should allow us to alert you if any application for a new or renewed U.S. passport for the child/ren is received.

According to the Department's passport records, as of May 03, 2024:

* Pending passport application found? YES ☐ NO ☒

• Application #:

* Record of valid issued U.S. passport book found? ☒ YES ☐ NO

* Record of valid issued U.S. passport card found? ☐ YES ☒ NO

Please be advised that entry into CPIAP alone will not result in an automatic denial of any application for issuance or renewal of a passport for the child/ren, although it should enable us to suspend processing of any application until we contact you.

The Department strongly encourages any parent, legal guardian, or officer of the court that is requesting CPIAP entry because of fear that a child may be abducted to submit to the Department a written request that any passport application be denied.

As described in the Department's regulations, available at 22 CFR 51.27, a written objection to issuance by a person with legal custody rights will usually prevent issuance of a passport to any child under 18 years of age. In addition, in most instances both parents (or any legal guardian) with custodial rights must consent to issuance of a passport to a child under 16. We will keep any written objection and relevant court orders that you provide to us in our file, but we may need to ask you to provide additional information if any application is actually received.

Since the Department will need to contact you, it is very important that you keep us informed in writing or by telephone of any changes to your contact information.

Failure to notify this office of your correct address and phone number may result in passport issuance for your child without your consent.

PLEASE NOTE:

The Child Passport Issuance Alert Program is not a method for tracking use of a passport. Once a passport is issued, its use cannot be restricted. In addition, you should know that the United States government does not have exit controls at the border. There is no way to stop someone with valid travel documents at the United States border. The U.S. government does not check the names or the documents of travelers leaving the United States. Many foreign countries do not require a passport for entry. A birth certificate is sufficient to enter some foreign countries. If your child has a valid passport from any country, he or she may be able to travel outside the United States without your consent.

Dual Nationality for Children:

Many children, whether born in the United States or born abroad to a U.S. citizen parent, are citizens of both the United States and another country. This may occur through the child's birth abroad, through a parent who was born outside the United States, or when a parent who has acquired a second nationality through naturalization in another country. There is no requirement that a U.S. citizen parent consent to the acquisition of another nationality.

The Children's Passport Issuance Alert Program does not prevent a dual national child from obtaining and traveling on a foreign passport.

There is no requirement that foreign embassies adhere to U.S. regulations regarding issuance and denial of their passports to U.S. citizen minors who have dual nationality. If there is a possibility that the child has another nationality, you may contact the country's embassy or consulate directly to inquire about possible denial of that country's passport.

Other prevention measures:

Please visit our website for further information about prevention of child abduction.
<http://www.travel.state.gov/family/abduction/prevention>

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions or require further assistance.

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