

HOW TO LODGE A PAPER CITIZENSHIP BY DESCENT APPLICATION

Paper citizenship by descent applications can only be lodged at the Australian Embassy in Tehran by courier or post. We recommend that you use an international courier company if you intend to lodge an application by post.

If sending paper citizenship by descent applications or documents from outside Iran please use international courier services - do not use postal services (such as registered mail, pre-paid post or express delivery) as mail from overseas (including from Australia) is subject to Iranian Customs and cannot be cleared by the Embassy. These items sent by overseas postal services are usually held in Iranian Customs for one month before being returned to sender.

To lodge an application by post or courier you must use the Embassy's street address listed below:

Australian Embassy - Tehran
No. 2, 23rd Street
Khaled Eslamboli Ave
Tehran 1513934113, Iran

Please make sure you provide all the documents listed in the checklist of requirements.

Please note that documents presented in support of your application comprise part of your file and will not be returned to you. This includes official translations of documents.

We also recommend that you do not send valuable documents such as passports or birth certificates by post. Copies of these documents will be acceptable.