

Statutory Document No. 2016/0203

*Civil Registration Act 1984*

REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS (FEES) REGULATIONS 2016

*Approved by Tynwald:**Coming into Operation:**22 July 2016*

The Treasury makes the following Regulations under sections 15(1), 16(1) and (2), 26(3) and (5), 35(2), 36(1) and (3), 37(1) and 43(2) of the Civil Registration Act 1984.

1 Title

These Regulations are the Registration of Births and Deaths (Fees) Regulations 2016.

2 Commencement

If approved by Tynwald, these Regulations come into operation on 22 July 2016.¹

3 Fees

- (1) In this article —
 - (a) “the table” means the table set out in the Schedule; and
 - (b) a reference to a numbered column is a reference to the column of the table so numbered.
- (2) In the table —
 - (a) column 1 specifies the relevant sections of legislation under which a matter arises for which a fee is payable;
 - (b) column 2 specifies the matter in respect of which a fee is payable; and
 - (c) column 3 specifies the fee payable in respect of the matter.

4 Revocation

The Registration of Births and Deaths (Fees) Regulations 2013² are revoked.

¹ Tynwald approval is required under section 43(4) of the Civil Registration Act 1984

MADE 16TH JUNE 2016

W E TEARE
Minister for the Treasury



SCHEDULE

[Regulation 3]

FEES

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Civil Registration Act 1984		
Section	Matter	Fee
15(1)(b)	Certified copy of entry of birth issued at the time of registering the birth ³	£11.00
16(1)	Registration of name or alteration of name on baptism or otherwise	£7.00
16(2)	Certificate of name given or altered on baptism	£7.00
26(3)	Certificate that a death is not required by law to be registered in the Island	£5.50
26(5)	Duplicate of a certificate issued under section 26	£5.50
35(2)	Searches of indices kept in the General Registry in relation to births or deaths and where required obtain a certified copy of a certified copy from the birth or death registers - (i) if search is undertaken by the applicant (ii) if search is required to be made by Registry staff in respect of records from 1980 to date (iii) if search is required to be made by Registry staff in respect of records prior to 1980, for every period of 5 years or part thereof that is required to be searched (iv) to obtain a certified copy of any birth or death registration, in addition to the search fee (if any) payable	£0.00 £5.50 £27.00 £11.00
35(4)(a)	Application to the Chief Registrar for permission to access the indices in relation to still-births or adoptions for the purposes of research	£27.00
35(4)(b)	Certified copy of an entry from the registers of still-births or adoptions (issued at the discretion of the Chief Registrar)	£11.00
36(1)	To search any register of births or deaths kept by the registrars and where required obtain a certified copy of any entry therein - (i) per register searched (ii) to obtain a certified copy of any birth or death registration, in addition to the search fee (if any) payable	£5.50 £11.00

³ The registrar will, at the time of registering the birth and if required by the informant, issue a short certificate of birth free of charge under section 15(1)(a) of the Civil Registration Act 1984

36(3)(a)	Application to the Chief Registrar for permission to access the registers of still-births or adoptions for the purposes of research	£27.00
36(3)(b)	Certified copy of an entry from the registers of still-births or adoptions (issued at the discretion of the Chief Registrar)	£11.00
37(1)	Short certificate of birth (issued otherwise than under section 15(1)(a))	£8.50

Adoption Act 1984		
38(3)	To search an index of the Adopted Children Register kept in the General Registry	£5.50
	To obtain a certified copy of any entry in the Adopted Children Register	£11.00
	(Note: permission to search the index and obtain a certified copy is at the discretion of the Chief Registrar in accordance with applicable statutory provisions)	

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations are made by the Treasury under the Civil Registration Act 1984 and prescribe the fees payable in respect of the registration of births and deaths, the supply of copies of entries and related matters.