

11-Registration of marriage pursuant to the Declaration/ Affidavit of Marriage

- Article 32 of the Civil Registration Act

According to Article 32 of the Civil Registration Act, the Marriage which has not been registered in the notaries will be recorded in the couple's ID documents upon the following conditions:

Submitting an official affidavit indicating that there is marital relationship between persons applying for marriage event registration

The certificate issued by the concerned civil Registration offices of the couples' birth certificates indicating that the parties are not married to another person at the time of declaration.

The following persons may refer to and apply for marriage registration:

The couples married on canonical basis may refer to one of notary public offices in their place of residence to draw up an official affidavit of marriage in which the details of couples and the exact date of marriage have been fully listed; also they may refer to civil registration office of their place of residence or issuance place of their identity card and apply for registration of the event in their ID documents (Sejel) and birth certificates while submitting official affidavits and the original birth certificates.

- **The required Documents:**

1. Original affidavit of marriage
2. Couple's original birth certificate and a copy of its pages
3. Payment of the current tariff

- **The procedure for registration of marriage in the couple's birth certificates or ID documents**

The couples or one of them may refer to the nearest registry office of their place of residence and apply for registration of the event in their birth certificates while submitting the above-mentioned documents; this process can be done as follows:

- a) If the issuance place of the birth certificates and the civil registration office are same, the event will be registered in the couples' ID documents and birth certificates and they will be issued and delivered within one day

after investigation of the documents and issuance of the relevant confirmation.

- b) If the issuance places of the birth certificates or one of them are different, the relevant confirmation will be issued by sending an inquiry to the concerned civil registration office confirming that the parties are not married to another person and then the event to be registered in their ID documents and birth certificate.