



CONSULATE-GENERAL OF JAMAICA, TORONTO

REQUIREMENTS FOR JAMAICAN CITIZENSHIP BY MARRIAGE

A non-Jamaican national is eligible to make an application for citizenship by virtue of Marriage if he or she is married to a Jamaican citizen.

The following **original** documents are required:

- Completed Application R1 Form should be completed in duplicate;
<https://www.pica.gov.jm/sites/default/files/Forms/Registration-of-Citizenship-of-a-Woman-by-Marriage-Application-Form.pdf>
- Birth Certificate and Passport of the Jamaican citizen (spouse);
- Long Format Birth Certificate and Passport of the applicant;
- Marriage Certificate;
- Recent (at most 6 months old) Police Record of the Applicant;
- Official Change of Name Document – Court Order, Deed Polls registered through the court or the Country's record office, etc, where applicable;
- Two (2) Passport sized photographs of the Applicant- both to be notarized by a Notary Public if you are unable to appear in person at the Consulate.

FEE

- Three Hundred and Twenty-Five Dollars (CDN\$325.00)
- Payment for processing of applications can be made via:
 - Cash or **debit** card (In-person Applicants ONLY)
 - Bank draft/money order payable to **Consulate General of Jamaica** (for clients mailing in from the GTHA)

PROCESSING TIME

- Approximately 24 months.
- All applications are submitted to the Passport, Immigration and Citizenship Agency in Jamaica. PICA reserves the right to request additional information and documentation in support of the application.

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