



# Konzulat Jamajke

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## Consulate of Jamaica

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### APPLICATION FOR LICENCE TO MARRY IN JAMAICA

Foreign nationals who wish to get married in Jamaica are required to land in Jamaica at least 24 hours prior to submitting an application to the **Minister of Justice** for a Marriage License.

Applications should be submitted to:

**Permanent Secretary Ministry of Justice, Mutual Life Towers,  
2 Kensington Crescent  
Kingston 5.**

**Tel: 001 876 906 4908 - 9 or 001 876 906 4910 - 9**

The processing fee is 45 – 50 euros.

The priests, pastors and some deacons of most churches are licensed marriage officers. In addition, civil ceremonies may be performed by specially designated marriage officers who are generally located in the main towns. A small fee is usually charged for their services.

Following is a partial list of marriage officers who may be contacted directly by persons wishing to get married in Jamaica:

1. Mr. Percy Thompson  
37 Market Street  
Montego Bay  
St. James, Jamaica, W.I.  
Tel.: 876 - 952 3782

2. Mr. Silvera Castro  
Civil Registrar of Marriages  
c/o Caribbean Cement Company  
Kingston, Jamaica, W.I.  
Tel.: 876 - 9253690

3. Rev. Terence Gordon  
4 Churchill Avenue  
Montego Bay  
St. James, Jamaica, W.I.  
Tel.: 876 - 9524616

4. Rev. Glen Prince  
c/o The Anglican Church  
Port Antonio  
Portland, Jamaica, W.I.  
Tel.: 876 - 9932600

5. Mr. H. Blackwood  
19 ½ Slipe Pen Road  
Kingston  
Jamaica, W.I.  
Tel.: 876 - 922 3073

6. Mr. D. Haye  
1 Glasgow Crescent  
St. Ann's Bay  
St. Ann, Jamaica, W.I.  
Tel.: 876 - 9722945

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7. Rev. Aaron Dumas  
28 Sandringham Avenue  
Kingston 10  
Jamaica, W.I.  
Tel.: 876 - 929 1667 - 8  
Fax: 876 - 754 4115

8. Mr. Roy Jones  
4 Gibson Avenue  
Kingston 6  
Jamaica, W.I.  
Tel. / Fax: 876 - 9272522  
Email [roy.jones@cwjamaica.com](mailto:roy.jones@cwjamaica.com)

9. Rev. Millard Edwards  
Moneaque  
St. Ann, Jamaica, W.I.  
Tel: 876-7962612

10. Rev. Delroy Farr  
25 Mount Oakley Road  
P.O. Box 229, Port  
Portland, Jamaica  
Tel.: 876 - 993 3369

11. Rev. Winston Barrett  
c/o United Church of  
Jamaica & Grand Cayman  
Negril, Westmoreland, Jamaica  
Tel.: 876 - 955 2753

12. Pastor Lorrel Garwood  
Lot # 50, Phase 1,  
Savanna-la-Mar  
Westmoreland, Jamaica, W.I.  
Tel.: 876 - 955 4672

The following documents are required:

- Birth Certificates of both parties (with certified official translation in English, if applicable);
- Divorce Decrees (certified official translation in English, if applicable);
- Death Certificate (certified official translation in English, if applicable).
- Parental Consent (if either applicant is under 18 years of age);
- Applicants will also require two Jamaican nationals to act as witnesses at the marriage ceremony.
- Most hotels and guest houses will provide assistance to visitors in making wedding arrangements.

The Marriage Officer is responsible for the registration of the marriage at the **Registrar General's Department** in Jamaica. On registration of the marriage, a period of three (3) to four (4) months is usually required for the issuance of a certified copy of the Marriage Certificate. An unsealed copy, however, is issued in the interim.

Couples are advised to make arrangements with the Marriage Officer prior to their departure from Jamaica to obtain and despatch the duly certified Certificate to their place of residence, once it is processed. If the sealed Certificate is not received after four (4) months, persons may contact the nearest Jamaican diplomatic or consular mission for assistance in pursuing the application. Please also see our instructions online regarding applications for certified Marriage Certificates.

**WE TRUST THAT YOUR MARRIAGE IN JAMAICA WILL BE A MOST SPLENDID OCCASION!**

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