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REQUIREMENTS FOR NON-KENYANS WISHING TO CONDUCT A MARRIAGE CEREMONY IN KENYA WITH A KENYAN CITIZEN

Non-Kenyan parties or Kenyans wishing to conduct a marriage ceremony in Kenya are required to produce the following documents:

1. Birth Certificates
2. Valid Passports
3. Decree Absolutes (if divorced)
4. Death certificates (if widowed)
5. Separate Statutory Declarations sworn at a Solicitors/ Notary Publics office, stating the fact that one is single and free to marry. This should bear the solicitors signature and official stamp.
6. Parental consent in form of legal documents for persons below twenty-one (21) years of age.
7. Residency in the country for twenty-one days. If this is not possible, a Special Licence could be obtained beforehand by contacting the Registrar's office in Kenya.

Note: *The Kenyan Government neither acknowledges nor endorses same-sex marriages.*

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