



## Consolato Generale d'Italia

500 N. Michigan Avenue, Suite 1850  
Chicago, Illinois 60611

### **RECOGNITION OF ITALIAN CITIZENSHIP FOR PEOPLE OF ITALIAN DESCENT BORN IN THE USA, OR IN ANOTHER COUNTRY WHERE CITIZENSHIP IS ACQUIRED BY BIRTH.**

**IF YOU ARE CONCERNED THAT THE PROCEDURES INDICATED BELOW MAY AFFECT YOUR U.S. CITIZENSHIP, YOU SHOULD CONTACT THE APPROPRIATE U.S. AUTHORITIES.**

IN ORDER TO SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION TO THIS CONSULATE, YOU MUST BE A RESIDENT OF ONE OF THE FOLLOWING STATES: Colorado, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Wisconsin, Wyoming. (Legal Aliens must show proof of their Alien Registration Card or Employment Authorization Card). Residents outside the above jurisdiction must present their application and documentation to the Consular Authority under whose jurisdiction they reside.

**If you were born in the United States (or in any other Country where citizenship is acquired by birth), and any one of the situations listed below pertains to you, you may be considered an Italian citizen. For each category all conditions must be met.**

- 1) Your father was born in Italy and was an Italian citizen at the time of your birth, and you never renounced your right to Italian citizenship.
- 2) Your mother was born in Italy and was an Italian citizen at the time of your birth, **you were born after January 1st, 1948** and you never renounced your right to Italian citizenship.
- 3) Your father was born in the United States, your paternal grandfather was born in Italy and was an Italian citizen at the time of your father's birth, neither you nor your father ever renounced your right to Italian citizenship.
- 4) Your mother was born in the United States, your maternal grandfather was born in Italy and was an Italian citizen at the time of your mother's birth, you were born **after January 1, 1948** and neither you nor your mother ever renounced your right to Italian citizenship.
- 5) Your paternal or maternal grandfather was born in the United States, your paternal or maternal great grandfather was born in Italy and was an Italian citizen at the time of your paternal or maternal grandfather's birth, neither you nor your father/mother nor your grandfather/grandmother ever renounced your right to Italian citizenship (**please note: a person born before 01/01/1948 can claim Italian citizenship only from his/her father (who was not a naturalized citizen of another country before his/her child's birth), and a woman can transfer citizenship only to her children born after 01/01/1948 (if she was not a naturalized citizen of another country before her child's birth).**

In order to enable this Office to provide proper answers to your applications for Italian citizenship "jure sanguinis", it is advisable to submit your paperwork as described in this instructions.

UNLESS **ALL** REQUIRED DOCUMENTS ARE SUBMITTED, THIS OFFICE IS IN NO POSITION TO START THE PROCESS AND NEITHER INFORMATION NOR EXPLANATION WILL BE PROVIDED ABOUT THE FILES. Applicants are therefore requested to follow the guidelines and gather the **COMPLETE** paperwork before sending it to this Consulate General.

**NOTE: "Italian citizen at the time of the descendant's birth" means that he/she did not acquire any other citizenship through naturalization, before the descendant's birth.**

**ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL CATEGORIES:**  
**PLEASE READ VERY CAREFULLY**

All certificates must be in "**CERTIFIED COPY**" a.k.a. "**LONG FORM**" or "**FULL FORM**" OR "**BOOK COPY**" (not "*abstract*"). These certificates may be obtained from the Office of Vital Statistics of the County or of the State in which the birth/marriage/death took place.

**Certificates reporting only the "County" of birth will not be accepted.** You must request that the Vital Statistics Authority states the **CITY OF BIRTH**.

**"APOSTILLE":** U.S. Birth/Marriage/Death records **related to the "Italian side"** (starting with your ancestor and ending with you, and including any Italian born spouses) **must bear an "APOSTILLE" of the Secretary of State** of the State in which the document was issued, (except for the Certificate of Naturalization and/or similar documentation). **Please note** that you do not need death certificates for people who were not born in Italy.

**THE "APOSTILLE" IS A LEGALIZATION PROVIDED BY THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE WHERE THE DOCUMENT/CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED (PLEASE NOTE: IT IS NOT A STAMP ON THE CERTIFICATE. IT IS A LEGALIZATION, A DOCUMENT STAPLED TO THE BIRTH/MARRIAGE/DEATH CERTIFICATE BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE).**

FOR A LIST OF THE SECRETARIES OF STATE OFFICES IN THIS CONSULAR TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION, PLEASE SEE THE INFORMATION FOLLOW.

- 1) **If you are or were married**, you must submit a certified copy of your marriage certificate with *APOSTILLE*, and copy of your spouse's birth certificate. If you have been previously married and divorced or are a widow(er), you must also submit the relevant marriage, divorce and/or death certificates, in certified copies, with Apostille. The divorce decree must also include the "certificate of no appeal". If your marriage certificate lacks information such as dates and places of birth, you must also obtain a certified copy of the **marriage application/license**.
- 2) **If you have minor children (under the age of 18)** you must also submit certified copies of their birth certificate/s, with the [Apostille](#) of the Secretary of State. If you have adult children who want to be recognized as Italians, you **cannot apply for them**.
- 3) **Birth, marriage, divorce certificates in languages other than Italian**, *relating to Italian born spouses, to you and to your minor children must be professionally translated into Italian*. Documents that **do not** need to be translated are **those relating to the "non-Italian" side, death certificates relating to the Italian side, marriage, birth and divorce relating to "intermediate" ancestors who are not applying for citizenship and the U.S. Certificate of Naturalization or any statement releasing information on the naturalization status of the ancestor. "Apostilles" do not need to be translated.**
- 4) **Documents issued in Countries other than the U.S.A. or Italy must comply with the local regulations on the legalization of documents, they must be legalized in the Country of issue, and must be accompanied by a translation into Italian.** To find out how a document should be legalized in its country of origin you may contact the competent Italian Consulate/Embassy. A list of all Italian Consulate/Embassies abroad is available at [www.esteri.it](http://www.esteri.it) ("Farnesina" – "Rappresentanze Diplomatiche" – "Ambasciate e Consolati" – Country);
- 5) **DISCREPANCIES:**  
Check all documents **word for word** to make sure that there are no discrepancies or changes in the names, last names, dates and places of birth. If there are major discrepancies in last names, dates, ages, and places of birth these variations or errors must be corrected with an official "**affidavit to amend a record**" to be requested from the Vital Statistics Office that issued the document or with another appropriate official document.  
**Please prepare a typed list of all the discrepancies that you found in the documents. This is required for the Citizenship Office to process your request.**
- 6) **a complete photocopy of the whole file is required**

## THE USA NATURALIZATION

The application to be recognized as an Italian citizen can not be accepted unless the applicant is in position to prove that his/her great-grandfather or the ancestor that was born in Italy has **not** been naturalized in the US before his/her birth or before the birth of the ancestor that was born in USA.

You must obtain:

- 1) the naturalization certificate **or**;
- 2) a statement from the US Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS), 421 I Street North West, Washington, DC 20536. The INS has attempted to collect duplicate record of naturalizations occurring after September 26, 1906 in all Federal, state, county, and municipal courts. INS (not the National Archives) also 1) has alien registration files (“A” files) from 1940 onward, 2) is the U.S. Government agency with the legal authority to verify U.S. citizenship of naturalized persons, and 3) can provide authoritative information about U.S. laws and regulations relating to immigration and naturalization.

For more information visit: <http://www.uscis.gov/portal/site/uscis> .

- 3) **If the record is still negative**, you need to request from the National Archives a certified copy of census report, The National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road College Park, MD 20740-6001. Telephone 1-866-272-6272 or 1-86-NARA-NARA TDD lines: For College Park, MD: 301-837-0482. Fax: 301-837-0483. For more information visit: <http://www.nara.gov>

**Paragraph n. 1**

**IF N. 1 APPLIES TO YOU, YOU MUST OBTAIN THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS, ALL IN ORIGINAL:**

1) **YOUR FATHER'S BIRTH CERTIFICATE** (write to the "Comune" where your father was born, request a birth certificate in "formato internazionale", or in "estratto per riassunto" (showing his father's and mother's names), enclose three/four dollars for S&H and a self addressed envelope. When writing to the Comune, address your request to :

**COMUNE DI \_\_\_\_\_**  
**Ufficio Anagrafe – Stato Civile**  
**(zip code) \_\_\_\_\_ (City) \_\_\_\_\_ (province of) \_\_\_\_\_**  
**ITALY**

2) **YOUR MOTHER'S BIRTH CERTIFICATE** (see above or, if she was born in the U.S.A., request a "certified copy" or a "long form" or a "full form");

3) **YOUR PARENTS' MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE** (if the marriage took place in Italy, follow the procedure above). If it took place in the U.S.A., you must obtain a "*certified copy*" of the **license and certificate** and an "**APOSTILLE**" from the Secretary of State of the State in which it was issued. (**APOSTILLE: information will follow**);

4) **YOUR FATHER'S CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION** or his Italian passport and permanent resident card ("green card").

**If the above is not available, you must request the following:**

A) a statement from **U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services, U.S. Department of Homeland Security**, and from the **County** in which he resided. The statement must show his **full name** (and any other names he went by on any official documents), **place of birth** and **date of birth**, **date of the naturalization**, **certificate number** (or, if a legal alien, his permanent resident card number).

B) **It the above-mentioned US authorities return a statement of "no record"**, you must request from the **National Archives** ([www.archives.gov](http://www.archives.gov)) a full search under his name and nicknames, possible dates of birth which he may have declared, for a **certified** copy of his "first" and/or "final papers", that is, the "declaration of intention" and "petition for naturalization". If he was naturalized the "final papers" will also show the date and number of his naturalization (**information will follow**).

C) **If the record is still negative**, you need to request from the **National Archives** a **certified** copy of the census report dating after your birth. In the cases covered by categories 2, 3, 4, and 5 the census report must of course be dated accordingly – i.e. covering the period of the Italian born ascendant's child's birth.

5) **YOUR BIRTH CERTIFICATE** (you must obtain a "certified copy" of "full form" or "long form" (not abstract), with an **APOSTILLE** from the Secretary of State of the State in which it was issued. (**APOSTILLE** information will follows);

6) **YOUR APPLICATION AND YOUR DECLARATIONS THAT YOU AND YOUR ASCENDANT NEVER RENOUNCED ITALIAN CITIZENSHIP BEFORE ANY ITALIAN AUTHORITY, LISTING ALL PLACES OF RESIDENCE** (**see attachments: 1 – 2A – 2B**)

7) **COPY OF YOUR PASSPORT AND DRIVER'S LICENSE.**

8) **YOUR FATHER'S DEATH CERTIFICATE** (if applicable) (in certified copy and legalized with Apostille) OR HIS CURRENT ADDRESS.

**IF YOUR FATHER BECAME A NATURALIZED U.S. CITIZEN BEFORE YOUR BIRTH, YOU ARE NOT ENTITLED TO ITALIAN CITIZENSHIP (unless you fit into another category).**

**IF N. 2 APPLIES TO YOU, YOU MUST FOLLOW THE INSTRUCTIONS UNDER [PARAGRAPH #1](#), BUT IN REGARDS TO YOUR MOTHER.**

1) **YOUR MOTHER'S BIRTH CERTIFICATE** (write to the "Comune" where your mother was born, request a birth certificate in "formato internazionale", or in "estratto per riassunto" (showing her father's and mother's names), enclose three/four dollars for S&H and a self addressed envelope. When writing to the Comune, address your request to:

**COMUNE DI** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Ufficio Anagrafe – Stato Civile**  
**(zip code)** \_\_\_\_\_ **(City)** \_\_\_\_\_ **(province of)** \_\_\_\_\_  
**ITALY;**

- 2) **YOUR FATHER'S BIRTH CERTIFICATE** (see above, or, if he was born in the U.S.A., request a "certified copy" or a "long form" or a "full form");
- 3) **YOUR PARENTS' MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE** (if the marriage took place in Italy, follow the procedure above). If it took place in the U.S.A., you must obtain a "certified copy" of the **license and certificate** and an "**APOSTILLE**" from the Secretary of State of the State in which it was issued. (**APOSTILLE: information will follow**);
- 4) **YOUR MOTHER'S CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION** (as explained in paragraph #1, but for your mother);
- 5) **YOUR BIRTH CERTIFICATE** (you must obtain a "certified copy" of "full form" or "long form" (not abstract), with an **APOSTILLE** from the Secretary of State of the State in which it was issued. (**APOSTILLE: information will follow**);
- 6) **YOUR APPLICATION AND DECLARATIONS THAT YOU AND YOUR ASCENDANT NEVER RENOUNCED ITALIAN CITIZENSHIP BEFORE ANY ITALIAN AUTHORITY, LISTING ALL PLACES OF RESIDENCE** (**see attachment: 1 – 2A – 2B**)
- 7) **COPY OF YOUR PASSPORT AND DRIVER'S LICENSE.**
- 8) **YOUR MOTHER'S DEATH CERTIFICATE** (if applicable) (certified copy and legalized with Apostille) OR her current address.

**IF YOUR MOTHER BECAME A NATURALIZED U.S. CITIZEN BEFORE YOUR BIRTH, YOU ARE NOT ENTITLED TO ITALIAN CITIZENSHIP (unless you fit into another category).**

**IF N. 3 APPLIES TO YOU, YOU MUST OBTAIN THE FOLLOWING:**

**For instructions on obtaining proper documents, see information under [Paragraph n. 1](#).**

- 1) YOUR PATERNAL GRANDFATHER'S BIRTH CERTIFICATE (from Italy)
- 2) YOUR PATERNAL GRANDMOTHER'S BIRTH CERTIFICATE
- 3) YOUR GRANDPARENTS' MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE
- 4) YOUR GRANDFATHER'S CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION (see Par.1, item 4above)
- 5) YOUR FATHER'S BIRTH CERTIFICATE
- 6) YOUR MOTHER'S BIRTH CERTIFICATE
- 7) YOUR PARENTS' MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE
- 8) YOUR BIRTH CERTIFICATE
- 9) YOUR APPLICATION AND DECLARATIONS THAT YOU AND YOUR ASCENDANTS NEVER RENOUNCED ITALIAN CITIZENSHIP BEFORE ANY ITALIAN AUTHORITY (**attachments: 1 – 2A – 2B**)
- 10) DEATH CERTIFICATE/S RELATING TO **ITALIAN BORN ASCENDANTS ONLY.**

**IF YOUR GRANDFATHER BECAME A NATURALIZED U.S. CITIZEN BEFORE YOUR FATHER'S BIRTH, YOU ARE NOT ENTITLED TO ITALIAN CITIZENSHIP (unless you fit into another category).**

**IF N. 4 APPLIES TO YOU, YOU MUST OBTAIN THE FOLLOWING:**

**For instructions on obtaining proper documents, see information under [Paragraph n. 1](#)**

- 1) YOUR MATERNAL GRANDFATHER'S BIRTH CERTIFICATE (from Italy)
- 2) YOUR MATERNAL GRANDMOTHER'S BIRTH CERTIFICATE
- 3) YOUR MATERNAL GRANDPARENTS' MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE
- 4) YOUR MATERNAL GRANDFATHER'S CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION (see par.1 item 4 above)
- 5) YOUR MOTHER' S BIRTH CERTIFICATE
- 6) YOUR FATHER' S BIRTH CERTIFICATE
- 7) YOUR PARENTS' MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE
- 8) YOUR BIRTH CERTIFICATE
- 9) YOUR APPLICATION AND YOUR DECLARATION THAT YOU AND YOUR ASCENDANTS NEVER RENOUNCED ITALIAN CITIZENSHIP BEFORE ANY ITALIAN AUTHORITY (**attachments: 1 - 2A - 2B**).
- 11) DEATH CERTIFICATE/S RELATING TO THE **ITALIAN BORN** ASCENDANTS ONLY.

**IF YOUR GRANDFATHER BECAME A NATURALIZED U.S. CITIZEN BEFORE YOUR MOTHER'S BIRTH, YOU ARE NOT ENTITLED TO ITALIAN CITIZENSHIP (unless you fit into another category).**

**IF N. 5 APPLIES TO YOU, YOU MUST OBTAIN THE FOLLOWING:**

**For instructions on obtaining proper documents, see information under [Paragraph n. 1](#)**

- 1) YOUR PATERNAL GREAT GRANDFATHER'S BIRTH CERTIFICATE (from Italy)
- 2) YOUR PATERNAL GREAT GRANDMOTHER'S BIRTH CERTIFICATE
- 3) YOUR PATERNAL GREAT GRANDPARENTS' MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE
- 4) YOUR PATERNAL GREAT GRANDFATHER'S CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION (see par.1 item 4 above)
- 5) YOUR PATERNAL GRANDFATHER'S BIRTH CERTIFICATE
- 6) YOUR PATERNAL GRANDMOTHER'S BIRTH CERTIFICATE
- 7) YOUR PATERNAL GRANDPARENTS' MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE
- 8) YOUR FATHER'S BIRTH CERTIFICATE
- 9) YOUR MOTHER'S BIRTH CERTIFICATE
- 10) YOUR PARENTS' MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE
- 11) YOUR BIRTH CERTIFICATE
- 12) YOUR APPLICATION AND YOUR DECLARATION THAT YOU AND YOUR ASCENDANTS NEVER RENOUNCED ITALIAN CITIZENSHIP BEFORE ANY ITALIAN AUTHORITY (**attachments: 1 - 2A - 2B**)
- 13) DEATH CERTIFICATE/S RELATING TO THE **ITALIAN BORN** ASCENDANTS ONLY.

**IF YOUR PATERNAL GREAT GRANDFATHER BECAME A NATURALIZED U.S. CITIZEN BEFORE YOUR PATERNAL GRANDFATHER'S BIRTH, YOU ARE NOT ENTITLED TO ITALIAN CITIZENSHIP (unless you fit into another category).**

**FAC-SIMILE OF APPLICATION TO APPLY FOR ITALIAN CITIZENSHIP BY RIGHT OF BLOOD RECOGNIZED.**

TO:  
 CONSULATE GENERAL OF ITALY  
 500 North Michigan Ave. Suite 1850  
 Chicago, IL 60611

*Subject: Recognition of the Italian citizenship “jure sanguinis”.*

The undersigned (**first and last name**), born (**date and place of Birth**), resident in (**full address**).

REQUESTS

**EXAMPLE - DON'T FILL OUT**

that his (or her) right to the Italian citizenship “jure sanguinis” be recognized and therefore

DECLARES

that he/she is a descendant of:

- **Full name, date and place of Birth of the ancestor that was born in Italy**
- **Full name, date and place of Birth of father/mother (if he/she was born abroad),but not in Italy.**  
(\*)(\*\*)
- **Full name, date and place of Birth of declarant. (\*\*)**
- **That neither he/she nor his/her mother or father (\*) has ever renounced the Italian citizenship neither before any Italian Consulate or Embassy nor before any Italian Authority.**

Attached to this request are the following documents in support of the above:

**(List of all documents enclosed as per information packet.)**

(date)

(signature)

**Please note:** must be signed before a Consular Officer if it is presenting personally or **before a Notary Public** if it's sending by mail.

(Please enclose photocopy of a valid document of identification (i.e. passport or driver's license or I.D.)

**A proof of your permanent address (copy of the drive license or any bill or bank statement);**

(\*) depending on which person you are deriving your citizenship from.

**(\*\*) please list cities of residence starting from the age of 18.**

**DICHIARAZIONE SOSTITUTIVA DELL'ATTO DI NOTORIETA'  
(PERSONAL DECLARATION)**

The undersigned \_\_\_\_\_  
born in (city of birth/State) \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_  
address \_\_\_\_\_

**DECLARES**

Under his/her responsibility and conscious of legal consequences in case of false statement that he/she **HAS NEVER RENOUNCED ITALIAN CITIZENSHIP** before any Italian Authority.

Declares that, starting from the age of 18, has resided in:

(list Cities/States and, approximately, the period):

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. \_\_\_\_\_
- 5. \_\_\_\_\_

etc....

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**Please note:** must be signed before a Consular Officer if it is **presenting personally or before a Notary Public if it's sending by mail**

(Please enclose photocopy of a valid document of identification (i.e. passport or driver's license or I.D.)

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2B)

**DECLARATION CONCERNING THE ITALIAN ASCENDANT**

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The undersigned \_\_\_\_\_

born in (city of birth/State) \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_

address : \_\_\_\_\_

Tel. : \_\_\_\_\_

(check the one that applies): SON – DAUGHTER – GRANDSON – GRANDDAUGHTER \_\_\_\_\_

of ascendant (s) name(s)

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in reference his/her application for citizenship “*jure sanguinis*”

**DECLARES**

that to the best of his/her knowledge his/her ascendant(s) **HAS (HAVE) NEVER RENOUNCED ITALIAN CITIZENSHIP** before any Italian Authority and that, starting from the age of 18, the ascendant(s) resided in:

(list Cities/States and approximate years and use a second sheet of paper if needed):

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_

5. \_\_\_\_\_

etc.....

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature

\_\_\_\_\_

**Please note:** must be signed before a Consular Officer if it is submitted personally, or **before a Notary Public** if it's sent by mail

(Please enclose photocopy of a valid document of identification (i.e. passport or driver's license or I.D.)

ONLY IF YOU HAVE MINOR CHILDREN (under the age of 18)

**Dichiarazione sostitutiva atto di notorieta' per richiesta trascrizione nascita minorenni**

(Artt. 46, 47, 76 D.P.R. 28 dicembre 2000, n. 445).

Personal Declaration and application form to record Birth certificate of *person under 18* in Italy

(Artt. 46, 47, 76 D.P.R. 28 dicembre 2000, n. 445)

1) <b>NEONATO</b> <i>Child</i>	COGNOME..... <i>Last name</i>	NOME..... <i>First name</i>
LUOGO DI NASCITA <i>Birth place</i>	CITTA' ..... <i>City</i>	STATO..... <i>State</i>
DATA DI NASCITA <i>Birth date</i>	GIORNO/MESE/ANNO..... <i>Day/Month/Year</i>	
2) <b>NEONATO</b> <i>Child</i>	COGNOME..... <i>Last name</i>	NOME..... <i>First name</i>
LUOGO DI NASCITA <i>Birth place</i>	CITTA' ..... <i>City</i>	STATO..... <i>State</i>
DATA DI NASCITA <i>Birth date</i>	GIORNO/MESE/ANNO..... <i>Day/Month/Year</i>	
3) <b>NEONATO</b> <i>Child</i>	COGNOME..... <i>Last name</i>	NOME..... <i>First name</i>
LUOGO DI NASCITA <i>Birth place</i>	CITTA' ..... <i>City</i>	STATO..... <i>State</i>
DATA DI NASCITA <i>Birth date</i>	GIORNO/MESE/ANNO..... <i>Day/Month/Year</i>	
<b>PADRE</b> <i>Father</i>	COGNOME..... <i>Last name</i>	NOME..... <i>First name</i>
LUOGO DI NASCITA <i>Birth place</i>	CITTA' ..... <i>City</i>	STATO..... <i>State</i>
DATA DI NASCITA <i>Birth place</i>	GIORNO/MESE/ANNO..... <i>Day/Month/Year</i>	
CITTADINANZA <i>Citizenship</i>	.....	
<b>MADRE</b> <i>Mother</i>	COGNOME..... <i>Last name</i>	NOME..... <i>First name</i>
LUOGO DI NASCITA <i>Birth place</i>	CITTA' ..... <i>City</i>	STATO..... <i>State</i>
DATA DI NASCITA <i>Birth place</i>	GIORNO/MESE/ANNO..... <i>Day/Month/Year</i>	
CITTADINANZA <i>Citizenship</i>	.....	
<b>MATRIMONIO DEI GENITORI DEL NEONATO /Child's Parents Marriage</b>		
Luogo matrimonio <i>Place of marriage</i>	CITTA' :..... STATO:..... <i>City State</i>	
DATA MATRIMONIO <i>Date of marriage</i>	GIORNO/MESE/ANNO..... <i>Day/Month/Year</i>	
<b>ATTUALE INDIRIZZO DEI GENITORI /Parents' Current Address</b>		
INDIRIZZO <i>Street</i>	.....	
CITTA' <i>City</i>	.....ZIP.....STATO..... <i>Zip code State</i>	
TELEFONO CASA/LAVORO <i>Home/Business Telefone</i>	.....	
COMUNE DI TRASCRIZIONE IN ITALIA <i>"Comune"/City of Registration in Italy</i>	.....	
DATA..... <i>Date</i>	FIRMA..... <i>Signature</i>	

**IMPORTANTE: ALLEGARE COPIA DEL PASSAPORTO DI ENTRAMBI I GENITORI.**

**IMPORTANT: Please enclose copy of both parents' Passport (Italian and/or American).**

**ONLY FOR CATEGORY PARAGRAPH N. 1 AND 2**

**RICHIESTA DI TRASCRIZIONE (REGISTRATION FORM)  
NASCITE MAGGIORENNE (BIRTH)**

**RICHIEDENTE:**

*Applicant*

**LUOGO DI NASCITA**

*Place of birth*

**DATA DI NASCITA**

*Date of Birth*

**COGNOME :** ..... **NOME** .....

*Last name*

*First Name*

**CITTA. :** ..... **STATO:**.....

*City*

*State*

**GIORNO/MESE/ANNO** .....

*Day/Month/Year*

**PADRE**

*Father*

**LUOGO DI NASCITA**

*Place of birth*

**DATA DI NASCITA**

*Date of birth*

**CITTADINANZA** .....

*Citizenship*

**COGNOME :** ..... **NOME :** .....

*Last Name*

*Name*

**CITTA. :** ..... **STATO :** .....

*City*

*State*

**GIORNO/MESE/ANNO** .....

*Day/Month/Year*

**MADRE**

**LUOGO DI NASCITA**

*Place of birth*

**DATA DI NASCITA**

*Date of birth*

**CITTADINANZA** .....

*Citizenship*

**COGNOME :** (da nubile)..... **NOME :** .....

*Mother Last Name (maiden)*

*Name*

**CITTA. :** ..... **STATO:** .....

*City*

*State*

**GIORNO/MESE/ANNO** .....

*Day/Month/Year*

**MATRIMONIO DEI GENITORI DEL RICHIEDENTE**

*Applicant Parents. Marriage*

**LUOGO MATRIMONIO**

*Place of Marriage City State*

**DATA MATRIMONIO**

*Date of marriage*

**CITTA. :** ..... **STATO :** .....

*City*

**GIORNO/MESE/ANNO** .....

*Day/Month/Year*

**ATTUALE INDIRIZZO**

*Parents. Current Address*

**INDIRIZZO**

.....  
*Street*

**CITTA.** ..... **ZIP** ..... **STATO** .....

*City*

*State*

**TELEFONO CASA/LAVORO**

.....  
*Home/Business Telephone*

**COMUNE DI TRASCRIZIONE IN ITALIA**

.....  
*Comune./City of Registration in Italy*

**DATA** .....

*Date*

**FIRMA** .....

*Signature*

## LEGALIZZAZIONE A MEZZO DI APOSTILLA

L'Italia e gli Stati Uniti d'America, tra gli altri Stati, hanno sottoscritto la Convenzione dell'Aja il 5 ottobre 1961. Tale Convenzione ha stabilito una procedura nuova e semplificata per la legalizzazione degli atti pubblici ad uso in Paesi diversi da quelli in cui gli atti sono stati emanati. Gli atti pubblici che devono essere presentati in un Paese straniero firmatario della predetta Convenzione, vengono autenticati semplicemente tramite l'apposizione di una particolare attestazione, detta Apostilla, che ne certifica l'autenticità della firma e la veridicità del sigillo o timbro ivi apposti, ai fini della sua validità legale.

L'Apostilla viene affissa dall'Ufficio del "Secretary of State" dello Stato in cui l'atto è stato emanato o legalizzato da notaio pubblico. La tariffa per tale servizio varia da Stato a Stato. Si consiglia pertanto di contattare direttamente il competente ufficio del "Secretary of State" per ulteriori informazioni. Nel richiedere l'Apostilla è necessario specificare il Paese nel quale l'atto verrà utilizzato. L'Apostilla può essere richiesta di persona o spedendo l'atto originale al "Secretary of State" allegando una richiesta scritta, pagamento per la tariffa dovuta ed una busta preaffrancata arrecante l'indirizzo di ritorno. Si consiglia di controllare con l'ufficio del "Secretary of State" le modalità di pagamento accettate. Nella maggior parte dei casi è possibile effettuare il pagamento tramite "money order" o assegno personale intestato al "Secretary of State of...".

### L'Apostille e' richiesta per i seguenti atti pubblici:

- Copie ufficiali di certificati di nascita, matrimonio, morte e certificati rilasciati dall'ufficio del "County Clerk" locale
- Atti ufficiali rilasciati da autorità o rappresentanti di corti e tribunali dello Stato
- Documenti ufficiali amministrativi
- Atti notarili, deleghe/dichiarazioni firmate da impiegati con funzioni ufficiali
- Autentiche di firma da parte di notai pubblici autorizzati.

**ATTENZIONE:** Gli atti di stato civile (nascita, matrimonio, morte, ecc.), concernenti eventi avvenuti negli Stati Uniti e riguardanti cittadini italiani, devono essere trascritti al Comune di appartenenza in Italia. La trasmissione di tali atti è a cura dell'Ufficio Consolare. Al fine di completare questo tipo di richiesta, gli atti devono essere presentati all'Ufficio Consolare competente per giurisdizione sullo Stato di rilascio in copie ufficiali emesse dalle competenti autorità locali e legalizzate tramite Apostilla. Fotocopie semplici oppure copie ufficiali rilasciate dai locali uffici del registro non sono valide al fine della trascrizione in Italia.

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