

Criminal record

In Argentina there are two organizations that issue a criminal record certificate: the Argentine Federal Police and the Ministry of Justice and Human Rights. The certificates issued by both organizations have the same validity.

The certificate of the Argentine Federal Police can be requested by the interested party through a consular appointment while the certificate of the Ministry of Justice and Human Rights can only be requested in Argentina by an agent. The interested party may sign authorization for that agent in a consular appointment.

These instructions relate to the request for a certificate of criminal record of the Argentine Federal Police.

Fee: amount in SEK equivalent to USD 30 at the exchange rate valid on the application day. Important: when collecting the certificate, an additional amount in SEK equivalent to USD 40 at the exchange rate of the day of delivery of the certificate must be paid. In both cases, the exact amount in SEK is informed at the consular appointment.

Estimated duration of the consular appointment: maximum 20 minutes.

Processing time to receive the certificate: 15 days counted from the request in the consular appointment. Note that the estimated processing time of 15 days only applies if the applicant can report a control number (CI), which consists of a code of the Argentine Federal Police that is printed in documents issued by this agency: identity card -that the Police Federal Argentina continues issuing- or passport -which it issued until 2011-. If the applicant cannot report the control number (CI), the processing time is usually longer.

Procedure

1° | Request an appointment by email to consulares_esuec@mrecic.gov.ar informing your name and surname, date of birth, ID number and, if you wish, preference of days for the appointment.

If you live outside of Stockholm, you can request an appointment for one of our consular visits to the interior of Sweden. Upcoming visits: Malmö 10/18/2018 | Göteborg 10/19/2018.

2° | Wait for the appointment assignment by the Embassy, which you will receive by email within 2 business days after the appointment request.

3° | Attend the appointment bringing the required documentation for the procedure.

Required documentation

1 | Argentine DNI, if Argentine, or foreign passport, if not Argentine.

2 | 4 color photos, 4 cm x 4 cm, front, top bust, white background, without glasses or hat.

3 | Identity card or passport of the Argentine Federal Police where the control number (CI) is registered, if it has one.

If your appointment was granted for one of our consular visits to the interior of Sweden, you must also submit a photocopy of the required documentation, with the exception of the photos.