

Dutch Permit of Residence (alien ID card)



Obliged / mandatory for all NATO members
- NATO Civilians (non-military)
- Dependants/ family members: spouses, children 14 and older, etc

Military persons are exempt, but are obliged to register their dependants/family members within 3 days after arrival in the Netherlands.

The Dutch Residence Permit is an official Dutch identity document and proof of registration in The Netherlands to be used for identification by the Law Enforcement Agencies or Government Officials.

Travelling outside The Netherlands the Permit is your proof of registration in The Netherlands.

You are permitted to stay in The Netherlands for a limited period (as indicated on the Permit),

The Residence card is issued free of charge by the Dutch Immigration Department.

Failure to be in possession of a valid Permit of Residence in The Netherlands renders you liable to Legal prosecution.

You are obliged to inform Alien Registration Office whenever one of the following circumstances arises:

- * New arrivals
- * Change of address
- * Departure/leaving The Netherlands permanently, turn in residence permit this also includes members of your family
- * Marriage
- * Birth
- * Divorce
- * Death
- * Lost of the Permit
- * And all other circumstances that effect your personal life due to Alien Registration Act.

*You don't have to (must not) register with Town-Hall authorities in the city that you live reside in. The Office of the Royal Marechaussee Rep. Alien Registration will inform the Municipalities (Town-Hall) and will keep record of your personal file.

If you need Official Dutch documents in reference to your stay in the Netherlands the Alien Registration Office will provide you with the necessary documents.

Even for future purposes (if you left the Netherlands) the Alien Registration Office can provide documents for you, they keep records for life (80 years).

To request the Residence Card you need;

- National ID-cards
- JFCBS ID-cards
- Passports
- Each person must report in person and must bring also 2 passport-size pictures, (pictures must match Dutch-Passport criteria and can be taken by Pass & Permit Office on JFCBS) and report to, Royal Marechaussee Representative Alien Registration Office JFC HQ Brunssum Bldg H 100

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