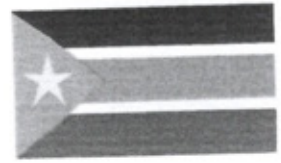




REPUBLIC OF SOUTH SUDAN
MINISTRY OF INTERIOR
Office of the Minister



Ref. RSS/MOI/MO/J/04/020

19th October, 2020

Subject: Ministerial Order for Banning the Issuing of Visas upon Arrival


Pursuant to the powers conferred upon me under Article 114/2 of South Sudan Transitional Constitution 2011 amended 2015. I Hon. Paul Mayom Akec, Minister of Interior, do hereby issue **Ministerial Order No. 04/2020** for Banning of Visas upon Arrival.

IGP-SSNPS are directed to implement the order by directing the Director General, for the Directorate of Civil Registry, Nationality, Passports and Immigration to:

1. Write to entry points of South Sudan to stop issuing visas upon arrival to foreigners with regular passports.
2. Foreigners holding Diplomatic, Official and Special Passports are exempted from this order.
3. All foreigners who are wishing to visit should go to the Republic of South Sudan embassies/missions in their respective countries or get their visas online through e-Visa portal accessible at www.evisa.gov.ss.
4. All airlines operating in South Sudan should be notified about this order not to allow any passenger with regular passports to board their plane to South Sudan without Visa acquired before entering the Country.
5. Those Countries of EAC with which we have reciprocal agreement for obtaining visas on arrival are exempted.

The above order will help the Ministry of Finance and Planning and the National Revenue Authority to streamline revenue collection in real time into their accounts, promote social distancing and fight corruption.

Inspector General of Police (IGP) and Director General for Civil Registry, Nationality, Passport and Immigration shall take necessary action for implementation of this order immediately.


Hon. Paul Mayom Akec *Diak*
Minister of Interior
R-TGoNU



Cc: Hon. Minister of Presidential Affairs
Cc: Hon. Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation
Cc: Hon. Minister of Defense
Cc: Hon. Minister of Finance and Planning
Cc: All Diplomatic Missions in the Republic of South Sudan
Cc: Commissioner for Revenue Authority
Cc: Director General, Directorate of Civil Registry, Nationality, Passports and Immigration
Cc: Director ISB
Cc: File

Reference is made to the above Ministerial order.



REPUBLIC OF SOUTH SUDAN
MINISTRY OF INTERIOR
SOUTH SUDAN NATIONAL POLICE SERVICE
Directorate of Civil Registry, Nationality, Passports & Immigration
Office of The Director General



To: Assistant Director of Immigration for JIA,

Date/21/10/2020

R: Chiefs of Immigration at the entry points of South Sudan,

Subject: Ministerial Order for Banning the Issuing of Visas upon Arrival.

With reference to the letter No. RSS/MOI/MO/J/04/020, dated 19th October, 2020, as regards the Ministerial Order, you are all directed to:

1. Stop issuing visas upon arrival to Foreigners holding regular passports except the countries of East Africa such as Uganda, Kenya, Tanzania, Rwanda and Burundi whose citizens can only receive visas on arrival as they do to our citizens.
2. Inform all the airlines not to allow any passenger to aboard plane to South Sudan without visa. A/Director of Immigration for JIA should inform them immediately upon reception of this letter. Those wishing to come to South Sudan should first acquire visas from South Sudan Embassies/Missions in their respective countries.

However, Foreigners holding Diplomatic, Official and Special Passports are exempted from this order. Find here attached the Ministerial Order as well.

For Immediate execution

Lt.Gen. John Akot Maluth

Director General

Directorate of Civil Registry, Nationality, Passports and Immigration,

South Sudan National Police Service,

Ministry of Interior – Juba.

Cc: Hon. Minister of Interior

Cc: Undersecretary, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation

Cc: IGP – SSNPS

Cc: D/G

Cc: Director of Immigration

Cc: Chiefs of Immigration in the Embassies/Missions of South Sudan

Cc: File

