



State of Palestine  
General Authority for Civil Affairs

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The Minister Office  
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In the Name of Allah, the Merciful, the Compassionate  
Happy Year For you, your families, and the nation for the Holy Birth Day of Prophet Mohamed  
Press Statement

Issued by the Minister Hussein Al-Sheikh

On the latest developments in the identity file and change of address  
Following of what we announced dated 30/08/2021 on the understandings that happened  
between us and the Israeli part, under which these files have been re-worked

Today, we announce reception of the first batch of identity approvals for whom entered Palestine and didn't acquire the Palestinian identity, where we, today, attained 4000 approvals including requests of applicants from the southern and northern governorates to acquire identity and the Palestinian passport, as well, they include approvals for address change from the southern governorates to the northern governorates in addition to approvals of citizens' sons who accede the age of 16 years and didn't registered in their families' identities.

Again, I assure that we are proceed to closely follow up for accomplishing as soonest the rest of names that have been sent in statements to the Israeli side which include identities and address change.

Accordingly

I announce that the General Authority for Civil Affairs and its directorates in the southern governorates and northern governorates shall be open as tomorrow to deliver approval messages pertaining the class announced above

This, to direct to the civil affairs offices of the Palestinian Ministry of Interior to complete procedures of identity issuance and the Palestinian passport

I repeat and urge citizens who didn't request till now to update their data to accomplish what is necessary from them for submitting requests or updating of data

Allah Is the owner of success