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STATEMENT REGARDING A LOST OR STOLEN BAHAMAS PASSPORT IMPORTANT NOTICE: A BAHAMAS citizen may not bear more than one valid passport book at a time. It therefore is necessary to submit a statement with an application for a new Bahamas passport when a previously issued passport cannot be presented. Your statement must detail why the previous passport book cannot be presented. Should you locate the reported lost or stolen passport at a later time, submit it for cancellation directly to the Passport Office or the nearest Bahamas Consular Offices Overseas.

First Time ePassport Applicants 18 years and older:

- One (1) completed application form
- Two (2) recent photographs: the size must not be more than 2 ½ inches by 2 inches or less than 2 inches by 1½ inches
- Applicant's Birth Certificate / Registered Affidavit of Birth
- National Insurance Card
- When using mother's documents: Mother's birth certificate and passport, if mother is born after 10th July 1973 then the Applicant will also require:
 - o Maternal grandmother's birth certificate, or alternatively,
 - Maternal grandfather's birth certificate and grandparents registered marriage certificate
- When using Father's Documents: Father's birth certificate, parents' marriage certificate and father's passport, if the father is born after 10th July 1973 then the Applicant will also require
 - o Paternal grandmother's birth certificate, or alternatively,
 - Paternal grandfather's birth certificate and grandparents registered marriage certificate

Additionally, for verification purposes, the Applicant may be asked to bring in the following:

- School and Hospital Letter
- Baptismal Certificate, Hospital Record Letter
- Voter's Registration Card
- Immunization Card