## 2006 No. 1912

## **DIPLOMATIC SERVICE**

The Consular Fees (Amendment) Order 2006

Made--19th July 2006Coming into force-5th October 2006

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 19th day of July 2006 Present, The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Her Majesty, in exercise of the powers conferred on Her by section 1(1) of the Consular Fees Act 1980(1) is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is ordered, as follows:

**1.** This Order may be cited as the Consular Fees (Amendment) Order 2006 and shall come into force on 5th October 2006.

2. The Schedule to the Consular Fees Order 2005(2) shall be amended as follows—

(a) Fee 12 shall be replaced with the following—

**"12.** For applications made in the United Kingdom and irrespective of whether or not the passport issued is a biometric passport, issuing a passport of not more than 32 pages which includes replacing an expired passport, issuing a new passport of full validity when an original passport of restricted validity is unavailable, and issuing a new passport with amended personal details—

(a) for applications made by post

(i) where the applicant is aged 16 years or 66.00 over(ii) where the applicant is under 16 years 45.00

(ii) where the applicant is under 16 years 45.00 old (for a passport valid for 5 years)

(b) for applications made in person

(i) where the applicant is aged 16 years or 91.00 over using the fast-track service

<sup>(1) 1980</sup> c. 23.

<sup>(2)</sup> S.I.2005/1465, amended by S.I. 2005/3182.

(ii) where the applicant is under 16 years old (for a passport valid for 5 years) using the fast-track service	80.00
(iii) where the applicant is aged 16 years or over using the fast-track collect service	103.00
(iv) where the applicant is under 16 years old (for a passport valid for 5 years) using the fast-track collect service	90.00
(v) where the applicant is aged 16 years or over using the premium service	108.00
(vi) where the applicant is under 16 years old (for a passport valid for 5 years) using the premium service	93.00"

(b) Fee 13 shall be replaced with the following—

"13. For applications made in the United Kingdom and irrespective of whether or not the passport issued is a biometric passport, issuing a passport of 48 pages which includes replacing an expired passport, issuing a new passport of full validity when an original passport of restricted validity is unavailable and issuing a new passport with amended personal details—

(a) for applications made by post	77.00
(b) for applications made in person	
(i) using the fast-track service	97.00
(ii) using the fast-track collect service	100.50
(iii) using the premium service	114.50""

*A. K. Galloway* Clerk of the Privy Council

## **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

## (This note is not part of the Order)

This Order amends the Consular Fees Order 2005.

The Order increases the fees for (i) issuing passports of not more than 32 pages in the United Kingdom, and (ii) issuing 48 page passports in the United Kingdom. The fees for issuing passports are increased both in respect of applications made by post in the United Kingdom and applications made in person in the United Kingdom.

The fee for issuing a biometric passport in the United Kingdom is the same as the fee for issuing a non-biometric passport in the United Kingdom.