REPUBLIC OF VANUATU

PASSPORT ACT NO. 20 OF 2009

Validity and Application for Passports (Amendment) Order No. 124 of 2024

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by subsections 4(2) and 28(1) of the Passport Act No. 20 of 2009, I, the Honourable JOHNNY KOANAPO RASOU, Minister of Internal Affairs, make the following Order.

1 Amendment

The Validity and Application for Passports Order No. 11 of 1980 is amended as set out in the Schedule.

2 Commencement

This Order commences on the day on which it is made.

Made at Port Vila this 12th **day of** August **, 2024.**

Honourable JOHNNY KOANAPO RASOU
Minister of Internal Affairs

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SCHEDULE

AMENDMENTS OF THE VALIDITY AND APPLICATION FOR PASSPORTS ORDER NO. 11 OF 1980

1 Clause 2

Delete "in Part 1 of the Schedule", substitute " set out in Form A, Schedule 1 of the Passport Forms and Fees Order No. 112 of 2022"

2 Subclause 4(1)

Repeal the subclause, substitute

"(1) The fees payable for the issuance of a Vanuatu passport are as follows:

(a) for an application for the issue of a Vanuatu passport to a child aged from 0 to 18 years old – VT10,000 (up to 3 days processing time);

(b) for an application for the issue of a Vanuatu passport to a person aged from 19 to 65 years old -VT20,000 (up to 3 days processing time);

(c) for an application for the issue of a Vanuatu passport to a person aged from 66 years old upwards -VT10,000 (1 day processing time);"

3 Paragraph 4(2)(b)

Repeal the paragraph, substitute

"(b) for an urgent issue – VT 30,000 (1 day processing time);"

4 Part 1 of the Schedule

Repeal the Part.