

Warning – Identity verification hearings by an Iraqi embassy delegation

The purpose of the in-person hearing is to issue travel documents for deportation. A Passports for other purposes cannot be applied for here.

If you go to the hearing, the following may happen:

- Those invited will be interviewed by the Iraqi delegation to find out whether they come from Iraq. This is judged based on language skills, pronunciation, dialect, appearance, traditional tattoos, etc.
- If the Iraqi delegation issues a travel document, there is a risk that deportation will soon occur.
- We don't know exactly how such a hearing works and what exactly is done there. If you don't go to the hearing, the following can happen:
 - You do not have to attend the hearing if you have a medical certificate.
 - You may be charged with a crime if you fail to appear at the hearing without a medical certificate or excuse.
 - You may be forcibly taken to the next hearing by the police.
 - You can receive a toleration permit according to Section 60b of the Residence Act, which results in a ban on employment.

If you receive a notice of hearing, contact your attorney or go to one Advice center.

If you attended a hearing, tell other people about what happened at the hearing and contact us. This way we can inform other people about it.

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