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Declaration of paternity recognition

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<https://fimportal.de/xzufi-services/S1000020010000012581/S100002>

Modul	Sachverhalt
Leistungsschlüssel	99133001026000
Leistungsbezeichnung I	Declaration of paternity recognition
Leistungsbezeichnung II	Acknowledge paternity
Typisierung	2/3 - Bund: Regelung (2 oder 3), Land/Kommune: Vollzug
Quellredaktion	Hamburg
Freigabestatus Katalog	unbestimmter Freigabestatus
Freigabestatus Bibliothek	unbestimmter Freigabestatus
Begriffe im Kontext	
Leistungstyp	
Leistungsgruppierung	
Verrichtungskennung	
SDG-Informationsbereich	
Lagen Portalverbund	
Einheitlicher Ansprechpartner	Nein
Fachlich freigegeben am	24.05.2023

Modul
Sachverhalt
Fachlich freigegeben durch
Handlungsgrundlage

§ 44 Civil Status Act (PStG)
 <https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/pstg/_44.html>
 §§1594 - 1599 German Civil Code (BGB)
 <https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/bgb/_1594.html>

Teaser

Under certain circumstances, it may be necessary for you to have it publicly certified that you are the father of your child.

Volltext

If you are married to the child's mother at the time of the child's birth, you are generally automatically considered the child's father under German law. In this case, acknowledgment of paternity is not necessary. If you are not married to the child's mother at the time of the birth, but want to be recognized as the child's father, you can submit acknowledgment of paternity. In some cases, acknowledgment of paternity may also be necessary if the law of another country applies to your father-child relationship.

If you wish to acknowledge paternity, you must declare this to the relevant authority. The relevant authority will publicly certify your paternity if all requirements are met.

Erforderliche Unterlagen

Proof of identity (e.g. identity card, passport or other identification document)

Voraussetzungen

- The mother agrees to the recognition.
 - In the event that the mother does not have custody: the child agrees to the recognition (for a child who is incapable of legal action or a child who is not yet 14 years old, only a legal representative can agree to the recognition)
 - If you are limited in your legal capacity, you need the consent of your legal representative. If you are incapable of doing business, your legal representative can accept it with the approval of the family court. If your legal representative is a guardian, the approval of the guardianship court is required
 - Acknowledgements or consents cannot be declared by an authorized person.
 - There is no paternity of another man.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fatherhood is not tied to any condition or time limit • Paternity is not abusively recognized. • You have not already effectively revoked your recognition of paternity.
Kosten	Gebühr: Es fallen keine Kosten an
Verfahrensablauf	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • You declare that you are the father of the child. • The responsible body will check your recognition and inform you about possible legal consequences. • If all requirements are met, your recognition will be publicly certified.
Bearbeitungsdauer	depending on the individual case
Frist	The declaration of recognition can be made at any time, even before the birth of the child, after its death and also for stillborn children.
weiterführende Informationen	
Hinweise	The validity of the declaration of recognition of paternity does not depend on the actual parentage. (Legal) paternity arises solely through the effective submission of the declarations of recognition and all necessary consents.
Rechtsbehelf	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • contradiction • challenge • Determination process
Kurztext	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Acknowledge paternity <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A man who is married to the child's mother at the time of birth is usually automatically considered the father (no recognition necessary) • In the case of unmarried couples or in the case of other legal provisions, recognition of paternity may be necessary • Recognition must be declared to the competent authority • competent authority certifies paternity recognition publicly
Ansprechpunkt	If you want to find out exactly who is responsible for your request, please follow the link to [Authority finder Hamburg](https://www.hamburg.de/service/info/hasi/1

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	2581)
Zuständige Stelle	District Office Wandsbek
Formulare	
Ursprungsportal	Behördenfinder Hamburg, Authority finder Hamburg (Currently this link is only available in german)