

Implementation Chart of the e-APP

*This chart identifies Competent Authorities that have implemented one or both of the e-APP components.¹
Please note that a Party listed may have designated other Competent Authorities which have not yet implemented the e-APP.*

	Contracting Party	Competent Authority (ies)	e-Register	e-Apostille	Notes
1	Andorra	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	1 Available Here		
2	Argentina	Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Worship	2 Available Here	1 April 2019	There are two e-Registers: the first for Apostilles issued between 17 November 2017 and 14 April 2019; the second for Apostilles issued from 15 April 2019.
3	Armenia	Ministry of Justice	3 Available Here	2 April 2021	
4	Australia	Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade	4 Available Here		Only Apostilles issued on or after 14 December 2015 can be verified on the e-Register. For verification of Apostilles issued before this date please email legalisations.australia@dfat.gov.au
5	Austria	Federal Ministry for Europe, Integration and Foreign Affairs	5 Available Here	3 June 2015	
6	Azerbaijan	Ministry of Justice	6 Available Here		

¹ While the Permanent Bureau makes every effort to ensure this chart is updated, the content is provided by Contracting Parties and there may be a delay in receiving this information.

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7	Bahrain	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	7 Via QR code	4 December 2015	No specific link is available as the e-Register operates by using Quick Response (QR) codes to generate unique URLs.
8	Belgium	Federal Public Service: Foreign Affairs, Foreign Trade and Development Cooperation	8 Available Here	5 March 2018	
9	Bolivia	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	9 Available Here	6 April 2019	
10	Brazil	National Council of Justice	10 Available Here	7 July 2021	There are two e-Registers: the first for Apostilles issued before 3 August 2020; the second for Apostilles issued after this date.
11	Bulgaria	Ministry of Justice	11 Available Here		
		Ministry of Foreign Affairs	Available Here		
		National Center for Information and Documentation	Available Here	8 June 2020	
		Regional Administrations	Available Here		
12	Canada	Ministry of Public and Business Service Delivery of Ontario	12 Available Here		
		Minister of Justice of Quebec	Available Here		

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13	Chile	Relevant authorities of the Ministries of Justice, Education, Health, Foreign Affairs and the Civil and Identification Registration Service	13 Available Here	9 August 2016	
14	China	China (Maidland): Ministry of Foreign Affairs	14 Available Here		
		Hong Kong SAR: The Registrar of the High Court	Available Here		
		Macao SAR: Director of the Legal Affairs Bureau	Available Here		
15	Colombia	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	15 Available Here	10 October 2007	
16	Costa Rica	Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Worship	16 Available Here		
17	Denmark	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	17 Available Here	11 November 2017	
18	Dominican Republic	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	18 Available Here	12 June 2020	
19	Ecuador	Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Human Mobility	19 Available Here	13 July 2024	The e-Apostille is sent to the applicant's email, along with a QR code that, when scanned, directs the user to the official link for verifying the issued Apostille.
20	El Salvador	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	20 Via QR code	14 December 2022	

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21	Estonia	Chamber of Notaries	21 Available Here	15 December 2017	
22	France	Regional Councils and Interdepartmental Chambers of Notaries	22 Available Here	16 May 2025	Apostilles issued by other Competent Authorities are issued in paper format and are not included in the e-Register.
23	Georgia	Ministry of Justice	23 Available Here	17 September 2020	
		Ministry of Internal Affairs	Available Here	September 2023	
24	Greece	Ministry of Digital Governance	24 Available Here	18 July 2023	
25	Guatemala	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	25 Available Here	19 February 2021	
26	India	Ministry of External Affairs	26 Available Here		
27	Indonesia	Ministry of Law and Human Rights	27 Available Here		
28	Ireland	Department of Foreign Affairs	28 Available Here		
29	Israel	Ministry of Justice	29 Available Here	20 December 2021	
30	Kazakhstan	Relevant authorities of several Ministries and services	30 Available Here	21 January 2022	
31	Korea, Republic of	Ministry of Foreign Affairs Ministry of Justice	31 Available Here	22 November 2016	

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32	Kosovo	Ministry of Foreign Affairs (Department for Consular Affairs) Ministry of Internal Affairs (Civil Registration Agency)	32 Available Here		
33	Latvia	Council of Sworn Notaries	33 Available Here	23 July 2019	
34	Mexico	Baja California Sur	34 Available Here		
		Federal District – Legal Department	Available Here		
		Jalisco – Secretary of Government	Available Here		
		Ministry of Interior	Available Here		
35	Moldova, Republic of	Ministry of Justice	35 Available Here	24 October 2013	
36	Morocco	Ministry of Justice	36 Available Here		
37	New Zealand	Department of Internal Affairs	37 Available Here	25 May 2009	
38	Nicaragua	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	38 Available Here		
39	Pakistan	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	39 Available Here and via QR code		
40	Panama	Órgano Judicial	40 Via QR Code	26 April 2023	

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41	Paraguay	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	41 Available Here		
42	Peru	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	42 Available Here	27 February 2021	
43	Philippines	Department of Foreign Affairs	43 Available Here (e-Register for e-Apostilles issued on civil registry documents). Available Here (e-Register for Apostilles issued on other types of public documents executed from the beginning of December 2022 onwards).	28 March 2024	All other Apostilles may be verified by contacting the Competent Authority at oca.verification@dfa.gov.ph .
44	Romania	Offices of the Prefect	44 Available Here		
45	Russian Federation	Ministry of Justice	45 Via QR code	29 March 2023	
46	Saint Kitts and Nevis	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	46 Available Here		
47	Singapore	Singapore Academy of Law	47 Available Here		
48	Slovenia	11 District Courts	48 Available Here	30 October 2015	

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49	Spain	44 judicial and administrative Competent Authorities	49 Available Here	31 November 2008	Murcia implemented the e-Apostille component in November 2008 and national implementation was completed in May 2011. A central e-Register is used by all Competent Authorities under the purview of the Ministry of Justice.
50	Tajikistan	Ministry of Foreign Affairs Ministry of Justice	50 Available Here		
51	Türkiye	Supervisory Competent Authorities: Ministry of Justice Ministry of Internal Affairs	51 Available Here	32 January 2019	
52	Ukraine	Ministry of Education and Science	52 Available Here		
		Ministry of Justice	Available Here		
53	United Kingdom	Foreign and Commonwealth Office	53 Available Here	33 December 2021	
		Cayman Islands: Passport & Corporate Services Office	Available Here		
54	United States of America	Arkansas – Secretary of State	54 Available Here		
		California – Secretary of State	Available Here		
		Colorado – Secretary of State	Available Here		

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	Connecticut – Secretary of State		34 (i) September 2023 Pilot*	The state of Connecticut commenced an e-Apostille pilot programme on 19 September 2023. Apostilles issued in the state of Connecticut may be verified by contacting the Competent Authority in Connecticut at 860- 509-6002 or through email to bsd@ct.gov . <i>(e-Apostilles issued as part of Connecticut’s pilot programme are legitimate and validly issued e-Apostilles).</i>
	Delaware – Secretary of State	Available Here		
	Kentucky – Secretary of State	Available here	(ii) May 2024	
	Minnesota – Secretary of State	Available Here	(iii) March 2024 Pilot*	The state of Minnesota commenced an e-Apostille pilot programme on 15 March 2024. <i>(e-Apostilles issued as part of Minnesota’s pilot programme are legitimate and validly issued e-Apostilles).</i>
	Montana – Secretary of State	Available Here	(iv) February 2023 Pilot*	While the state of Montana had begun issuing e-Apostilles on a limited basis in June 2019, it commenced an e-Apostille pilot programme on 1 February 2023

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				which will continue until Spring of 2024, at which time Montana anticipates transitioning to a permanent e-Apostille solution. Contracting Parties to the Apostille Convention will be further notified of any changes to this programme. <i>(e-Apostilles issued by Montana in 2019 and as part of Montana's pilot programme are legitimate and validly issued e-Apostilles).</i>
	New York – Secretary of State	Available Here		
	North Carolina – Secretary of State	Available Here		
	Rhode Island – Secretary of State	Available Here	(v) November 2023 Pilot*	The state of Rhode Island commenced an e-Apostille pilot programme on 1 November 2023. <i>(e-Apostilles issued as part of Rhode Island's pilot programme are legitimate and validly issued e-Apostilles).</i>
	Tennessee – Secretary of State	Available Here		

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	Texas – Secretary of State	Available Here		The e-Register only records Apostilles issued by the Corporations Section of the Secretary of State.
	Utah – Office of Lieutenant Governor		(vi) September 2023 Pilot*	The state of Utah entered into a e-Apostille pilot programme that commenced on 19 September 2023. <i>(e-Apostilles issued as part of Utah's pilot programme are legitimate and validly issued e-Apostilles).</i>
	Washington – Secretary of State	Available Here	(vii) February 2024 Pilot*	The state of Washington commenced an e-Apostille pilot programme on 12 February 2024. <i>(e-Apostilles issued as part of Washington's pilot programme are legitimate and validly issued e-Apostilles).</i>
	West Virginia – Secretary of State	Available Here		

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55	Uruguay	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	55 Available Here	35 September 2023	Since 18/09/2023, Uruguay has implemented the e-Apostille component of the e-APP for public documents. The procedure is carried out through the website of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, which is the Competent Authority responsible for the issuance of Apostille on public documents – via the following link: < https://www.gub.uy/tramites/apostilla-yo-legalizacion-documentos-publicos-uruguayos-extranjeros-produzcan-efectos-exterior-republica >.
56	Uzbekistan	Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Ministry of Justice, Supreme Court and other authorities	56 Available Here	36 August 2022	

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57	Venezuela	Ministry of People's Power of Foreign Affairs	57 Available Here	37 April 2019	There are three e-Registers: the first for Apostilles issued before 23 May 2018, the second for Apostilles issued between 24 May 2018 and 1 May 2019, and the third for Apostilles issued from 2 May 2019. e-Apostilles issued only for Criminal Record Certification and Data Certification for Consular Effects.

* Pilot e-Apostille programmes are not a pre-requisite for implementing the e-Apostille component of the e-APP. However, e-Apostilles issued under individual pilot programmes by Connecticut, Montana and Rhode Island listed in this Implementation Chart are legitimate and validly issued e-Apostilles and are not test e-Apostilles.