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The German Asylum Seeker Certificate - applying ICAO standards to urgent needs

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Strengthening Aviation Security through Improved Traveller Identification



Overview of the project

- As proof of an successful registration a harmonized “Ankunftsnachweis” will be issued to all asylum seekers arriving in D.
- The issuance takes place in the first registration office the asylum seeker encounters and started January 2016.
- The Asylum Seeker Certificate is the sole condition for welfare benefits. It is not an identity document nor the grant or proof for asylum.
- **Project:**
 - Principal: Federal Ministry of the Interior
 - Contractor: Bundesdruckerei GmbH
 - Physical documents: 2 million printed
 - Systems: 1.500 (800 Länder, 700 Federal)
 - Roll-out: 15.02.2016 until summer 2016
 - System modifications and support: 15.02.2016 until 31.12.2018



Elements of the integrated identity management system

First time registration



Individual and unique registration of all incoming refugees at the first POC based on biometrics

Asylum seeker document

Decentral issuance of secure, paper based



Core data system



Central storage of all enrolled identities and providing data for BAMF, BVA, BA and Security Agencies as well as municipalities



Milestones 2016

- End January* ● Pilot registration and print of document
- Mid February* ● Overall roll out, start in Berlin, Saarland and Mecklenburg-Vorpommern
- February March* ● Providing interface for data retrieval from Länder systems
- Summer 2016* ● Ankunftsnachweis completely rolled out

[Source: based on BAMF]



The challenge and ICAO TRIP solutions applied

- Fast and “inexpensive” but still secure solution needed
→ non-electronic paper document according to ICAO minimum security requirements
[ICAO Doc 9303, 7th Edition 2015, Part 2]
- Machine readability required
→ MRZ according to
[ICAO Doc 9303, 7th Edition 2015, Part 5]
- Machine authentication of issuance required
→ Visible Digital Seal according to
[ICAO TR Visible Digital Seal for Non-Electronic Documents]

MACHINE READABLE TRAVEL DOCUMENTS



TECHNICAL REPORT

Visible Digital Seals for Non-Electronic Documents - Visas

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- Security printing containing guilloche patterns & micro text
- UV luminescent guilloches and overprint
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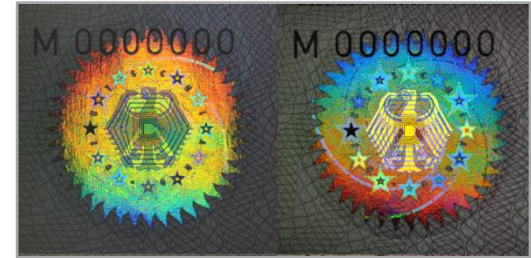
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The 2D Barcode contains:

- MRZ as plain text
- Digital signature of the MRZ
- Registration number (AZR-Nummer)



The digital seal can be used for:

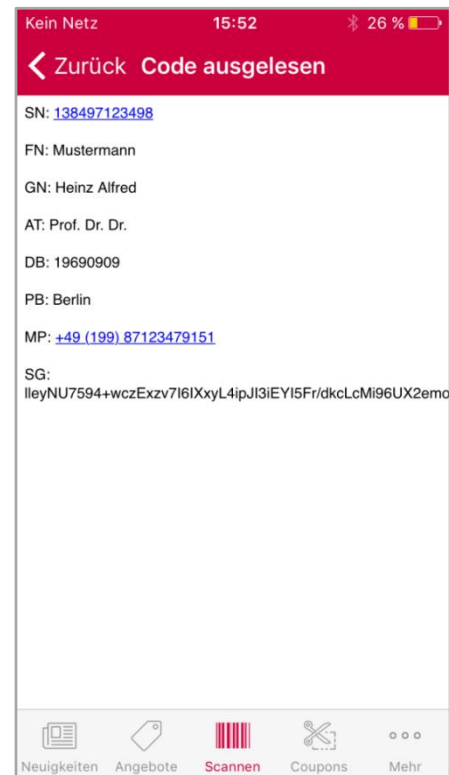
- Scanning and opening the data file (offline)
- Scanning and input of biographical data (offline)
- Verification of signature (online and offline)

Verification via:

- Smartphone app
- Doc reader
- Barcode scanner



[Source: Bundesdruckerei]





Visible Digital Seal acc. to ICAO TR: Verification by full-page reader



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Language Configuration About

Overview White light Infrared UV MRZ Chip Barcode Second page Face images Status: **No irregularities**

Tests

- MRZ
- Expiry date
- Paper
- Pattern
- Chip
- MRZ - Chip
- Barcode

Overview

Check	Optical MRZ	MRZ chip
Given name	ERIKA	
Surname	MUSTERMANN	
Nationality	SYR	
Date of birth	12.08.84	
Sex	F	
Expiry date	31.07.16	
Document number	M-0000000	
Check digit doc. number	4	
Check digit date of birth	5	
Check digit expiry date	4	
Authority		
Check digit MRZ	6	
Type of document	ME	
Optional data		
Check digit optional data		
Issue date		
Issuer	D	

Infrared image

UV image

Face

Face from chip

Face from barcode

Barcode infrared image

Read data

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A_MAGIC_CONSTANT__dc
B_VERSION__03
C_ISSUER__D
D_FEATURE_PDF__f4
E_DOC_ISSUE_DATE__01.02.2016
F_SIG_CREATION_DATE__28.04.2016
G_DOC_TYPE_CATEGORY__02
H_MRZ_LINE1__MED<<MUSTERMANN<<ERIKA<<CCCCCCCCCCCC
I_MRZ_LINE2__M<000000048YR6408125F1607314<<CCCCC
J_AFP_NUMBER__129466789012
  
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Check digit date of birth	5	5
Check digit expiry date	4	4
Authority		
Check digit MRZ	6	6
Type of document	ME	ME
Optional data		
Check digit optional data		
Issue date		
Issuer	D	D

Face

Face from barcode

Barcode infrared image

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