

To: Inna Baranova [REDACTED]
From: Lesley Groff
Sent: Thur 4/4/2019 2:50:42 PM
Subject: Re: Jeffrey Epstein Passport Exp.March 7, 2029

Great! thank you!

On Apr 4, 2019, at 10:47 AM, Inna Baranova <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Dear Lesley,

Here the link – they have general 800 number but in my experience it works well and they pick up quickly: (877) 487-2778

<https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/passports/requirements/where-to-apply/passport-agencies/new-york.html>

I suggest trying to get the live person on line to ensure that you have the full list of all documents that may be requested upon submission

Thank you,

Inna Baranova
Atlanta Operations Director
Country Information Coordinator, Russia



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From: Lesley Groff [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, April 04, 2019 10:39 AM
To: Inna Baranova <[REDACTED]>
Subject: Re: Jeffrey Epstein Passport Exp.March 7, 2029

Ok, I was thinking this could be the case. Can you give me the phone number of the Passport Agency in New York? I know you have to make appointments... Greatly appreciate your help...once we get the 2nd passport done, we will revisit the Russian Visa.

On Apr 4, 2019, at 10:27 AM, Inna Baranova <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Dear Lesley,

We have verified with the passport agency, and they stated that Mr. Epstein will need to appear in person to apply for the second valid passport.
Thus, unfortunately, we will not be able to assist with the passport renewal.
Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Thank you,

Inna Baranova
Atlanta Operations Director
Country Information Coordinator, Russia



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From: Lesley Groff [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, April 03, 2019 2:25 PM
To: Inna Baranova [REDACTED]
Subject: Re: Jeffrey Epstein Passport Exp. March 7, 2029

I would think so...let me ask his attorney.
We had Jeffrey's 10 year passport renewed recently in Miami (and it had been revoked as well) Jeffrey went to the main passport agency in Miami and had it turned around in 1 day.

On Apr 3, 2019, at 2:20 PM, Inna Baranova
[REDACTED] wrote:

Lesley, when the 4-year was revoked – did Mr Epstein receive any letter from the US department of state at the time?
Thank you,

Inna Baranova
Atlanta Operations Director
Country Information Coordinator, Russia



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From: Lesley Groff [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, April 03, 2019 2:07 PM
To: Inna Baranova [REDACTED]
Subject: Re: Jeffrey Epstein Passport Exp.March 7, 2029

ok, thank you...we have worked with Mohammed before as well.!

I have him in my contacts. Good to know he is still here.

On Apr 3, 2019, at 2:04 PM, Inna Baranova [REDACTED] wrote:

I will speak with Mohammed – G3 NYC director and will let you know Lesley

Thank you,

Inna Baranova
Atlanta Operations Director
Country Information Coordinator, Russia



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From: Lesley Groff [REDACTED] >
Sent: Wednesday, April 03, 2019 2:01 PM
To: Inna Baranova [REDACTED] >
Subject: Re: Jeffrey Epstein Passport Exp.March 7, 2029

I have the 4 year passport in New York with me...can you recommend someone in the NY office? I've spoken with Danny who is excellent, but I think Jeffrey wants this one done in NY...

On Apr 3, 2019, at 1:58 PM, Inna Baranova [REDACTED] wrote:

Yes, if you would like to transfer the visa into the 4 year passport,

getting the passport will be the first step.
Yes – Danny is in Miami.
Shall I ask him to get in touch with you?

Thank you

Inna Baranova
Atlanta Operations Director
Country Information Coordinator,
Russia



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From: Lesley Groff



Sent: Wednesday, April 03, 2019 1:56 PM

To: Inna Baranova



Subject: Re: Jeffrey Epstein Passport Exp.March 7, 2029

Ok got it...so we need to get the 4 year passport renewed first...
Is this Danny in Miami?

On Apr 3, 2019, at
1:53 PM, Inna
Baranova



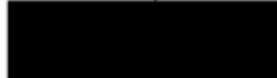
Dear Lesley,
I will need to refer to my colleague, Danny – G3 passport coordinator – on this passport related issue / renewal.
I will request Danny to get in touch with you for details.
Thank you,

Inna Baranova
Atlanta Operations
Director
Country Information
Coordinator, Russia
Direct



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From: Lesley Groff



Sent: Wednesday, April 03, 2019 12:58 PM

To: Inna Baranova



Subject: Re: Jeffrey Epstein Passport Exp. March 7, 2029

Hi Inna. I now have Jeffrey's 4 year passport. We need to renew the 4 year passport and transfer the Russian Visa to the new 4 year passport. Can you advise if I can send all this to you to have done? As a reminder, the 4 year passport was revoked due to Jeffrey's status of a sex offender. So I am not sure if the is a renewal or a brand new passport we need to apply for.

Lesley

On Mar

19,
2019, at
1:54
PM,
Inna
Barano
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wrote:

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Lesley,

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Thank
you,

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Russia
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From: Lesley
Groff
<lesley.groff@state.gov>



Sent: Tuesday, March 19, 2019 1:50 PM

To: Inna Baranova <inna.baranova@state.gov>

Subject: Re: Jeffrey Epstein Passport Exp. March 7, 2029

Hi
Inna...I'
ve been

thinkin
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we
need to
go
through
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same
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transfer
this visa
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would
need to
do for a
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new
visa so
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know if
there is
a
reason
Jeffrey
wishes
to
transfer
the

visa,
but if
not,
what
do you
think?
Better
to get a
new
visa or
transfer
the one
he has?

On Mar 18, 2019, at 5:38 PM, Inna Baranova

[REDACTED] wrote:

Understood, thank you Lesley!

Since the application form is required and if you would like G3 to prepare the online application form, would you like to start working on the questionnaire? I attach the instructions and G3 processing fees for you review.

For the visa fee you can just indicate the fee as below on mult entry and write 'visa transfer' as service on the order form.

Please let me know if you have any questions!

Thank you,

Inna Baranova

Atlanta Operations Director

Country Information Coordinator, Russia

[REDACTED]

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From: Lesley Groff [REDACTED]

Sent: Monday, March 18, 2019 1:59 PM

To: Inna Baranova

[REDACTED] >
Subject: Re: Jeffrey Epstein Passport Exp.March 7, 2029

Hi Inna. Jeffrey has a second passport but needs to get a new one due to his status as registered sex offender. We will need to obtain this second valid passport before we can then try to transfer the Russian Visa. We will work with your Miami office again in securing this second valid passport, then come back to you! Just keeping you in the loop. I believe we will need to give you the valid 10 year passport to attach/transfer the Russian Visa to...as well as the below items.

On Mar 13, 2019, at 10:00 AM, Inna Baranova [REDACTED] wrote:

Good morning, Lesley,

NYC will accept the request
Requirements are:

Application form signed with original signature by the applicant – completed on the Russian government website

Original cancelled passport with valid visa -
Copy of previous visa - Copy of previous passport

New passport

Notarized letter from applicant explaining why visa needs to be transfer.

Letter from whom he is going to visit – company in Russia

Itinerary

Fee:

\$74 TOTAL

The decision whether to grant the visa

transfer will be at the consul's discretion
and it may take at least 10 business days.

Thank you,

Inna Baranova
Atlanta Operations Director
Country Information Coordinator, Russia



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From: Lesley Groff



Sent: Tuesday, March 12, 2019 5:53 PM

To: Inna Baranova



Subject: Re: Jeffrey Epstein Passport
Exp.March 7, 2029

ok. thank you SO very much!

On Mar 12, 2019, at 2:47 PM, Inna
Baranova



wrote:

I have requested my colleagues in
NYC to inquire too and we are still
waiting on the consulate's
response. I hope to have it by
tomorrow, however, if they advise
that they need to wait for the
consul to return, we may not hear
back until Friday.

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Atlanta Operations Director
Country Information Coordinator,
Russia



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From: Lesley Groff
[REDACTED]

Sent: Tuesday, March 12, 2019 2:45 PM

To: Inna Baranova
[REDACTED]

Subject: Re: Jeffrey Epstein
Passport Exp.March 7, 2029

Thank you! So we basically need to wait for the NY consulate to return on 14th and review the case. ...Maybe we would know something Friday 15th?

Sent from my iPhone

On Mar 12, 2019, at 2:18 PM, Inna Baranova
[REDACTED]

wrote:

I do apologize Lesley – Houston.

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Atlanta Operations Director
Country Information
Coordinator, Russia
[REDACTED]

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From: Lesley Groff
[REDACTED]

Sent: Tuesday, March 12, 2019 2:08 PM

To: Inna Baranova

[REDACTED]

Subject: Re: Jeffrey Epstein
Passport Exp.March 7, 2029

(Hi Inna ... what does HOU
stand for?).

Sent from my iPhone

On Mar 11, 2019, at 6:42 PM,
Inna Baranova

[REDACTED]
> wrote:

Dear Lesley,

HOU will accept for
processing, however,
since the visa was
issued in NYC they will
need to await for the
NYC confirmation
whether HOU could
transfer the visa and,
if positive, how long
NYC will take to
authorize it.

Initially, the HOU
consulate requested
one new photo
(different from the
one on the 2018 visa),
old cancelled
passport, new
passport, completed
and signed application
form (G3 can create it
– concierge fee would
apply) and visa
transfer fee \$74.

Additional documents
may apply once
submitted. Current
fastest processing
time 8 business days
in HOU – the waiting
time for authorization

may add.

I did not hear back
from the consulate in
NYC so far.

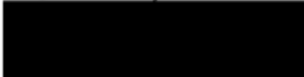
Please do not hesitate
to contact me if you
have any questions.
Thank you,

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From: Lesley Groff



Sent: Monday, March
11, 2019 2:41 PM


To: Inna Baranova



Subject: Re: Jeffrey
Epstein Passport
Exp.March 7, 2029

ok, thank you very
much for letting me
know. I will tell
Jeffrey.

On Mar 11,
2019, at 2:34
PM, Inna
Baranova



> wrote:

Dear Lesley,

I hear that NYC
Consul General
should be back
from vacation
on Thursday,
Mar 14.

Thank you,

Inna Baranova
Atlanta
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From: Lesley
Groff



Sent: Monday,
March 11, 2019
1:04 PM

To: Inna
Baranova



>

Subject: Jeffrey

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