



## PHOTOGRAPHS

### INSTRUCTIONS FOR PHOTOGRAPHS TO BE USED FOR PASSPORTS OR FOR REGISTRATION

These instructions constitute essential requirements under U.S. passport law. Photographs not meeting the standards set forth on this sheet will not be accepted.

1. **SIZE.** 2 X 2 inches. The image from the bottom of the chin to the top of the head (including hair) shall not be less than 1 inch nor more than 1- 3/8 inches.
2. **PHOTOGRAPHS** may be in color or in black and white. Photographs to be submitted must have been taken within six months preceding the application, and bear a reasonable likeness of the applicant.
3. **QUALITY OF PHOTOGRAPHS.** Photographs shall be clear, front view, full face and printed on thin, non-glossy paper with white background. Prints shall be capable of withstanding a mounting temperature of up to 225 degrees Fahrenheit (107 degrees Celsius) for 30 seconds. Vending machine photo or video prints are not acceptable. Magazine or full length photographs are not acceptable.
4. **NUMBER OF COPIES.** Four (4) copies

