



# Royalton

Saint Lucia  
Resort & Spa

## Legal Requirements

**St. Lucian law requires that the couple must be at least 18 years of age and staying at the resort for 3 FULL business days prior to the ceremony date. The day of arrival does not count as one of the business days. If one of the parties is under 18 years old, evidence of consent from parents is required in the form of a sworn affidavit stamped by a notary public.**

### **DOCUMENTATION:**

All documents must be received at least 30 days prior to your wedding ceremony; a \$150 USD late fee will apply if not received in time.

Three business days are required for the processing of your marriage license at \$440 USD or an additional \$470 USD is payable to expedite the processing of your marriage license if you wish to be married before the required residency period.

Two (2) witnesses are required for a legal wedding. Witnesses can be blood-related family members. If you do not have witnesses, the hotel will provide them. Witnesses are required to arrive two (2) days prior to the wedding date.

Non-English speaking nationals are required to have an apostle attached to their marriage certificate at \$68 US which will be mailed to newlyweds 6-8 weeks after wedding.

Clear NOTARIZED copies of the below documents must be submitted in order to hold your ceremony on property:

- Birth certificate
- Divorce decree - if party has been divorced, he/she must bring the original Decree Absolute or a certified copy of the final Judgment.
- Death certificate - If either party has been widowed, he/she must bring the original marriage and/or death certificate.
- Valid passport
- If documents are not in English, a translation is required.
- A marriage license legal form must also be filled out in advance. Please inquire with your wedding coordinator for details.

*Please ensure that all original legal documents are brought with you to destination.*

### **MARRIAGE PROCEDURE FOR SAINT LUCIA:**

The wedding coordinator/Solicitor will apply for the marriage License from the Attorney Generals Chambers, who will issue the marriage license for the Marriage officer to perform the wedding ceremony. The marriage certificate along with all documents will be given back two day/three after the ceremony.