REGISTRY OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS



Digitisation and putting on-line Algeria

When Algeria acceded to independence, the registers of births, marriages and deaths said to be "European" remained in place. A large part of these registers was microfilmed between 1967 and 1972: this represents about 3.5 million certificates out of a total of 5 million. This collection, kept by the Central Department for Births, Marriages and Deaths of the Ministry for Foreign Affairs in Nantes has been digitised.

All the hundred year-old certificates were then indexed with names, first names, commune, year, type of certificate (for certificates from 1830 to 1904). The Internet surfer can, at home, search the computer application with these criteria and have direct access on-line to the certificates themselves. Caution: from 1905 to 1909 on-line research is not by name but is carried out in the register by commune, by year or by type of certificate.

Other countries or territories

Furthermore, the Archives Nationales d'Outre-Mer keeps a copy of parish registers and those for births, marriages and deaths for all the territories which at one time or another were part of the French colonial empires from the XVIIth Century.

Since 2005 several thousand registers have been digitised. As the digitisation operations are completed the images are, and continue to be, put on-line.

The non-private re-use of these images involves conforming to the legislation in force on the re-use of public data and on the protection of privacy.

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NB: To be able to consult and print the certificates, you must have the latest version of Java software, which can be downloaded free from the Internet.

Parish registers and those of births, marriages and deaths put on-line 2010

Saint Domingue from 1668 to 1804 (and up to 1809 for Santo Domingo) Guyana from 1677 to 1900 Ile Royale (Cape Breton Island) from 1722 to 1757 Saint Lucia from 1765 to 1788 Saint Pierre and Miguelon from 1775 to 1870 Martinique

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2012: Progressively as digitisation is finished.

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