NOTE VERBALE

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan presents its compliments to the Embassy of the State of Kuwait in Japan

and has the honour to inform the latter that the Government of Japan is prepared to take the following measures concerning the waiver of diplomatic and official visa requirements for diplomatic and special passport holders:

- 1. Nationals of the State of Kuwait in possession of valid diplomatic or special passports issued by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the State of Kuwait, seeking entry into Japan for the purpose of exercising diplomatic or consular functions, or official duties of the Government of the State of Kuwait and such nationals holding the said passports who are the members of their families forming part of their respective households, may enter Japan without obtaining a diplomatic or official visa irrespective of the duration of stay in Japan.
- 2. (1)Nationals of the State of Kuwait in possession of valid diplomatic or special passports issued by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the State of Kuwait, seeking entry into Japan for the purpose other than those referred to in paragraph 1 above and with the intention of staying in Japan for a period not exceeding ninety (90) consecutive days, may enter Japan without obtaining a visa.
- (2) The waiver of the visa requirements under sub-paragraph (1) above will not apply to any nationals of the State of Kuwait who desire to enter Japan with the intention of seeking employment or permanent residence, or of exercising a profession or other
- occupation (including public entertainment and sport for remunerative purposes).
- 3. The waiver of the visa requirements under paragraphs

1 and 2 above does not, exempt nationals of the State of Kuwait entering Japan from the necessity of complying with the laws and regulations of Japan concerning the entry,

stay, residence, exit and other control over foreign nationals.

مرسوم رقم 12 لسنة 2025 بالموافقة على الإعفاء المتبادل من متطلبات التأشيرة لحاملي جوازات السفر الدبلوماسية والخاصة بين دولة الكويت واليابان

- بعد الاطلاع على الدستور،

- وعلى الأمر الأميري الصادر بتاريخ 2 ذو القعدة 1445 هـ الموافق 10 مايو 2024م،

- وبناءً على عرض وزير الخارجية،

- وبعد موافقة مجلس الوزراء،

رسمنا بالآتي مادة أولى

الموافقة على المذكرات الرسمية (رسائل متبادلة) بشأن الإعفاء المتبادل من متطلبات التأشيرة لحاملي جوازات السفر الدبلوماسية والخاصة بين دولة الكويت والميان، الموقعة بتاريخ 16 يونيو 2023، والمرفقة نصوصها لهذا المرسوم.

مادة ثانية

على الوزراء - كل فيما يخصه - تنفيذ هذا المرسوم، ويعمل به من تاريخ نشره بالجريدة الرسمية.

أمير الكويت مشعل الأحمد الجابر الصباح

> رئيس مجلس الوزراء أحمد عبد الله الأحمد الصباح

> > وزير الخارجية عبدالله على عبدالله اليحيا

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- 1. Japanese nationals in possession of valid diplomatic or official passports issued by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan, seeking entry into the State of Kuwait for the purpose of exercising diplomatic or consular functions, or official duties of the Government of Japan and such nationals holding the said passports who are the members of their families forming part of their respective households, may enter the State of Kuwait without obtaining a diplomatic or official visa irrespective of the duration of stay in the State of Kuwait.
- 2.(1) Japanese nationals in possession of valid diplomatic or official passports issued by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan, seeking entry into the State of Kuwait for the purpose other than those referred to in paragraph 1 above and with the intention of staying in the State of Kuwait for a period not exceeding ninety (90) consecutive days, may enter the State of Kuwait without obtaining a visa.
- (2) The waiver of the visa requirements under sub-paragraph (1) above will not apply to any Japanese nationals who desire to enter the State of Kuwait with the intention of seeking employment or permanent residence, or of exercising a profession or other occupation (including public entertainment and sport for remunerative purposes).
- 3. The waiver of the visa requirements under paragraphs 1 and 2 above does not exempt Japanese nationals entering the State of Kuwait from the necessity of complying with the laws and regulations of the State of Kuwait concerning the entry, stay, residence, exit and other control over foreign nationals.
- 4. The Government of the State of Kuwait reserves the right to temporarily suspend the application of all or any part of the foregoing measures for reasons of public policy including

- 4. The Government of Japan reserves the right to temporarily suspend the application of all or any part of the foregoing measures for reasons of public policy including those relating to public security, order and health. Any suspension or lifting of the suspension will be notified immediately to the Government of the State of Kuwait through the diplomatic channel.
- 5. The Government of Japan reserves the right to refuse the entry into or stay in Japan to nationals of the State of Kuwait considered undesirable without providing the motives for its decision.
- 6. The Government of Japan may discontinue the foregoing measures by giving thirty (30) days' prior written notice to the Government of the State of Kuwait.
- 7. The Implementation of the above-mentioned measures will be commenced ninety (90) days after the date on which the Embassy of Japan in the State of Kuwait receives a diplomatic note from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the State of Kuwait confirming the completion of its internal procedures for the waiver of visa requirements for Japanese nationals holding diplomatic and official passports.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Embassy of the State of Kuwait in Japan the assurances of its highest consideration.

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Tokyo, June 16, 2023

Note Verbale

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قرار مجلس الوزراء رقم 1623 لسنة 2024 بسحب شهادة الجنسية الكويتية من بعض الأشخاص

مجلس الوزراء

- بعد الاطلاع على الدستور،
- وعلى الأمر الأميري الصادر بتاريخ 2 ذو القعدة 1445 هـ الموافق
 10 مايو 2024م،
- وعلى المادة (21 مكررا "أ") من المرسوم الأميري رقم 15 لسنة 1959 يقانون الجنسية الكويتية، والقوانين المعدلة له ،
- وبناءً على عرض النائب الأول لرئيس مجلس الوزراء ووزير الداخلية،
 قرر

مادة أولى

تسحب شهادة الجنسية الكويتية من المذكورين أدناه ، وتسحب الجنسية الكويتية من يكون اكتسبها عن حامل تلك الشهادة بطريق التبعية :

- 1- عبد الكريم قاسم محمود على اسطى احمد بمبهابي.
 - 2- بدر محمد سوباط ظاهر الفضلي.
 - 3 حسين عبيد سلامه محمد السعيد.
 - 4- فالح محمد إبراهيم جديعان العجمي .

مادة ثانية

على النائب الأول لرئيس مجلس الوزراء ووزير الداخلية تنفيذ هذا القرار، ويعمل به من تاريخ صدوره، وينشر في الجريدة الرسمية.

رئيس مجلس الوزراء أحمد عبد الله الأحمد الصباح

> صدر في: 15 رجب 1446هـ الموافق: 15 يناير 2025 م

those relating to public security, order and health. Any suspension or lifting of the suspension will be notified immediately to the Government of Japan through the diplomatic channel.

- 5. The Government of the State of Kuwait reserves the right to refuse the entry into or stay in the State of Kuwait to Japanese nationals considered undesirable without providing the motives for its decision.
- 6. The Government of the State of Kuwait may discontinue the foregoing measures by giving thirty (30) days' prior written notice to the Government of Japan.
- 7. The implementation of the above-mentioned measures will be commenced ninety (90) days after the date on which the Embassy of Japan in the State of Kuwait receives a diplomatic note from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the State of Kuwait confirming the completion of its internal procedures for the waiver of visa requirements for Japanese nationals holding diplomatic and official passports.

The Embassy of the State of Kuwait avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the esteemed Ministry of Foreign Affairs the assurances of its highest consideration.

Tokyo, June 16, 2023