

Kenya

Kenya increases fees for several immigration services

Executive summary

Kenya recently increased the fees for several services for foreign nationals, residents and citizens.

Key developments

The revised fees announced by the government in November 2023, went into effect in April 2024. The proposed fee changes impacted various immigration applications, including those for business visas, work permits and permanent residence. Fees for services for citizens, such as issuance of birth and death certificates, identity cards and passports, were also subject to changes.

Impact on employers

The revised fees will increase the expenses associated with hiring foreign employees. Employers may consider the new fees in connection with their workforce planning.

Key Steps

EY will continue to monitor these developments. Should you have any questions, we encourage you to contact one of our immigration professionals.



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