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Changes in the travel documents issued by the Republic of Estonia

Starting from 16.03.2026, the Estonian Police and Border Guard Board will issue citizen passports and seafarer's discharge books with the following changes compared to the previous version:

- UV print design on the document cover,
- oak leaf and acorn image on the visa pages.



UV print design until 13.03.2026



UV print design from 16.03.2026



Oak leaf and acorn design until 13.03.2026



Oak leaf and acorn design from 16.03.2026

Document number contains a two-letter prefix and a seven-digit number. Prefix KG in case of the citizen passport and prefix MG for seafarer's discharge book will be used to distinguish new designs.

Please note that Ministry of Foreign Affairs started to issue diplomatic passports with the same changes on 12.01.2025. The new design on alien passports and certificate of record of service on ships will be introduced in the second half of 2026.

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