

HOW TO RENOUNCE ITALIAN CITIZENSHIP Italian Law 91/1992

Agg. 05/03/2019

GENERAL INFORMATION

Italian Law 91/1992 provides for the possibility of renouncing your Italian citizenship in certain cases, as defined by the aforementioned law.

SA residents may renounce their Italian citizenship by personally making an appointment by emailing: consolato.adelaide@esteri.it. They will need to bring with them two witnesses and the necessary documents. Please note that a minor child of the applicant does NOT lose their Italian citizenship.

WHO CAN RENOUNCE THEIR ITALIAN CITIZENSHIP

Citizenship can be renounced as follows:

1. By an Italian citizen who has attained the age of 18 and is also a citizen of another country and is a resident or has established residence abroad (Law 91/92, art. 11);
2. By a person over 18 who has acquired Italian citizenship as a minor due to the acquisition or reacquisition of Italian citizenship by one of his/her parents, provided that he/she is also holding citizenship of another country (Law 91/92, art. 14);
3. By a minor who is adopted by an Italian citizen, once he/she has attained the age of 18 (Law 91/92, art. 3).

HOW TO RENOUNCE

In order to complete the declaration of renunciation, which will be prepared by a Consular Officer, the applicant must attend the Consulate by appointment together with two witnesses who must be able to understand Italian (please request an appointment by email: consolato.adelaide@esteri.it) together with the following documentation:

- Birth certificate issued from the Municipality where the birth has been registered;
- Documents showing that the applicant also has a foreign citizenship; (e.g. current valid foreign passport)
- Documents showing that the applicant is resident abroad;
- Copy of ID documents of the applicant and witnesses who cannot be relatives ;
- Receipt of payment of 250 EURO (see note 1);
- The cost of the Consular Service (Art. 04B) is payable in AUD cash only. (link: [Consular Services Costs](#))

Note 1: The payment can be made through any Australian banking institution by providing the following details:

Amount: €250.00

Name of Institution: POSTE ITALIANE

Address: Viale Europa 175 – 00144 ROMA

Account Name: Ministero dell'Interno D.L.C.I. - Cittadinanza.

Reference: Applicant's name & surname and: "Rinuncia alla cittadinanza italiana"

IBAN code: IT54D0760103200000000809020

BIC/SWIFT code: BPPIITRRXXX