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INFORMATION

For shipment of human remains to Côte d'Ivoire, the following requirements must be met:

- Original of the Death Certificate
- Affidavit of Embalming
- Letter from the Medical Doctor stating the cause of the death (if not mentioned on the Death Certificate)
- Valid Passport and Visa of the deceased (1)
- Birth Certificate of the deceased or any ID showing names of both parents
- Full name, occupation and address of the spouse, if the deceased was married
- The remains should be shipped in a casket with a inner sealed container to avoid any leakage or contamination
- Clearly indicate the Departure date to Abidjan
- We also need the flight reservation as well as the flight reference and flight itinerary
- The Person's name, phone number and address in charge must write a letter authorizing the Embassy of Côte d'Ivoire to ship the remains to Côte d'Ivoire
- The person's name, phone number and address receiving the remains in Côte d'Ivoire.
- The aforementioned documents must be sent by Express-Mail, FedEx or UPS together with a pre-paid return envelope.

(1) This is very important because foreign passports must show a valid visa for entry in Côte d'Ivoire