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## /!\:Clarification of the order of entry of Israeli citizens with Travel Document in Lieu of National Passport

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Dear,

A travel document in lieu of national passport is indeed issued to an Israeli citizen, usually a new immigrant who is not residing in Israel or to a citizen who has either lost or damaged a number of passports and receives this document for a period of one year.

This document can be used for travelling to Belgium since it is recognized by this country. Moreover, Israeli citizens are exempted from the visa obligation so they can travel within the Schengen area in the framework of a short stay (no more than 90 days in each 180-day period as long as they meet all the entry conditions (more info on this link : [Microsoft Word - Entry conditions for Schengen area.docx \(bosa.be\)](#)))

Watch out : Malta and Iceland do not recognize this document. Travelling to these 2 countries won't be possible then.

FYI : when you wonder if a travel document issued by a third country is recognized by the Member States you can always visit this internet page : [Travel documents issued by third countries and territorial entities \(Part I\) \(europa.eu\)](#)

Rgds,

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Good afternoon!