

Divorce in Turkey

Document preparation checklist

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1. Marriage record and identity details
2. Current service addresses
3. Foreign decisions with finality and service records
4. A dated chronology and specific requests

Choose between a new divorce and using an existing decision

A foreign divorce already granted is a different starting point from a marriage that has not yet ended. Make a short record of both spouses' nationalities, present residences, the last shared home and any pending cases. The place of marriage alone does not settle jurisdiction or applicable law. Explain separately what is needed for marital status, children, maintenance and property.

What changes the work and cost

An agreed divorce requiring the court to hear both spouses, a contested claim involving witnesses and an overseas decision awaiting recognition have different work scopes. Ask for a breakdown covering representation, service abroad, translations, experts and any appeal. A separate property dispute may require a separate instruction. The lawyer service page explains the work undertaken rather than repeating the legal grounds.

Read the complete guide and its legal sources online

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General information. The required documents depend on the actual procedure. A message does not appoint a lawyer or confirm an appointment.