



# Electronic identity card „e-ID“

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# Elektronic identity card „e-ID“

**WHEN?** Expected launch of issuing e-ID  
cards: 1<sup>st</sup> July 2010

**FORMAT?**

Polycarbon card, format ID 1  
(size of a credit card)



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# Identity card

- will remain to be the main **identity proof document** (printed visage is the main identification tool for the citizen)
- moreover it will serve now as an **electronic „ticket“** to the information systems of public administration through the card number



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# MACHINE READABLE DATA WRITTEN INTO

## - Machine readable zone

- card code
- issuing country code
- card number
- date of birth
- sex
- date of validity
- citizenship
- full name
- check digits expressing selected data in the machine readable zone

## - 2D code

- agenda identifier of natural person (AIFO)
- document number



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# TYPES OF ISSUED IDENTITY CARDS

- with machine readable data, 2D code and with electronic contact chip
- with machine readable data, 2D code, without electronic contact chip
- without machine readable data  
(will be issued in exceptional cases and with a limited validation period only)



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## IDENTITY CARD WILL BE ISSUED TO:

### OBLIGATORY

- citizens of the Czech Republic of age >15 years with a permanent residence address in the Czech Republic

### VOLUNTARILY

- citizens of the Czech Republic of age <15 years
- citizens of the Czech Republic with a permanent residence address abroad
- citizens without capacity of legal acts



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# PROTECTION AGAINST MISUSE OF E-ID CARD

card will be protected with a **security personal code, which:**

- verifies the eligibility of electronic identification of the ID card holder for the communication with the public administration systems; works similarly as the PIN code for credit cards
- consists of a combination of at least 4 and at most 10 digits
- citizen can choose the security code after reception of the ID card and can change it at any public administration contact point
- after the third false attempt the possibility of electronic identification is blocked and can be unblocked upon request of the citizen at any local authority



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## DATA WRITTEN IN THE E-ID CARD

- given names
- surname
- date of birth
- place of birth
- sex
- citizenship
- citizen's photo and signature
- ID number
- date of expiry
- date of issue
- issuing authority



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# WAY OF SUBMITTING THE REQUEST FOR ISSUE OF e-ID CARD

**personally** at any local authority with  
extended powers

**electronically** (provided the legislative  
conditions are fulfilled) at any local authority  
with extended powers according to the place of  
residence



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# PRINT OF A REQUEST FOR ISSUE OF THE e-ID CARD

For printing a request for e-ID production the following data sources will be used:

- register of citizens (ROB)
- information system of citizens
- information system of passports (and from 2011 on even the information system of identity cards)

Citizens will not submit a photo themselves – this will be taken directly at the local authority with extended powers in the photo cabin.



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## WAY OF DELIVERING OF THE e-ID CARD

**Citizen can obtain the e-ID card at **any** local authority with extended powers mentioned in the request.**



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# LEGISLATIVE PROCESS

**Amendment of the Act on identity cards  
concerning the e-ID (document no. 714)**

- January 2009 – proposal approved by the government (Czech Republic Government Decree from 12<sup>th</sup> January 2009 no. 63)**
- February 2009 – amendment passed successfully 1st reading in the Chambers of Representatives of the Czech Republic**
- March 2009 – amendment was negotiated in the committee for public administration and regional development**



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**THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION!**



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