

**LEGAL AUTHORITIES**  
**Form DS-4283**

**8 United States Code Section 1104 - Powers and Duties of the Secretary of State**

<http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/granule/USCODE-2012-title8/USCODE-2012-title8-chap12-subchapI-sec1104>

**22 United States Code Section 211a – Authority to Grant, Issue, and Verify Passports**

<http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/granule/USCODE-2011-title22/USCODE-2011-title22-chap4-sec211a>

**22 United States Code Section 2670- Authority to Establish, Maintain and Operate Passport Agencies**

<http://uscode.house.gov/view.xhtml?req=granuleid:USC-prelim-title22-section2670&num=0&edition=prelim>

**Executive Order 11295 (August 1966) Rules Governing the Granting, Issuing, and Verifying of United States Passports**

<http://www.archives.gov/federal-register/codification/executive-order/11295.html>

**22 Code of Federal Regulations Part 51**

[http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/cfr/waisidx\\_02/22cfr51\\_02.html](http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/cfr/waisidx_02/22cfr51_02.html)