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The Directorate requests that the specimen signatures are submitted to DMIOU by 2 September 2024 using the attached pro-forma. Diplomatic missions and international organisations are kindly asked to note that all claims, forms and notifications received after 2 September 2024 which are not signed by an authorised signatory, who has been notified to the Directorate, will be returned unprocessed, without exception. Furthermore, the Directorate reminds diplomatic missions and international organisations that they must provide new specimen signatures in the event of a change of signatory. Failure to do so may lead to delays in claims, forms and notifications being processed by the Directorate.

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