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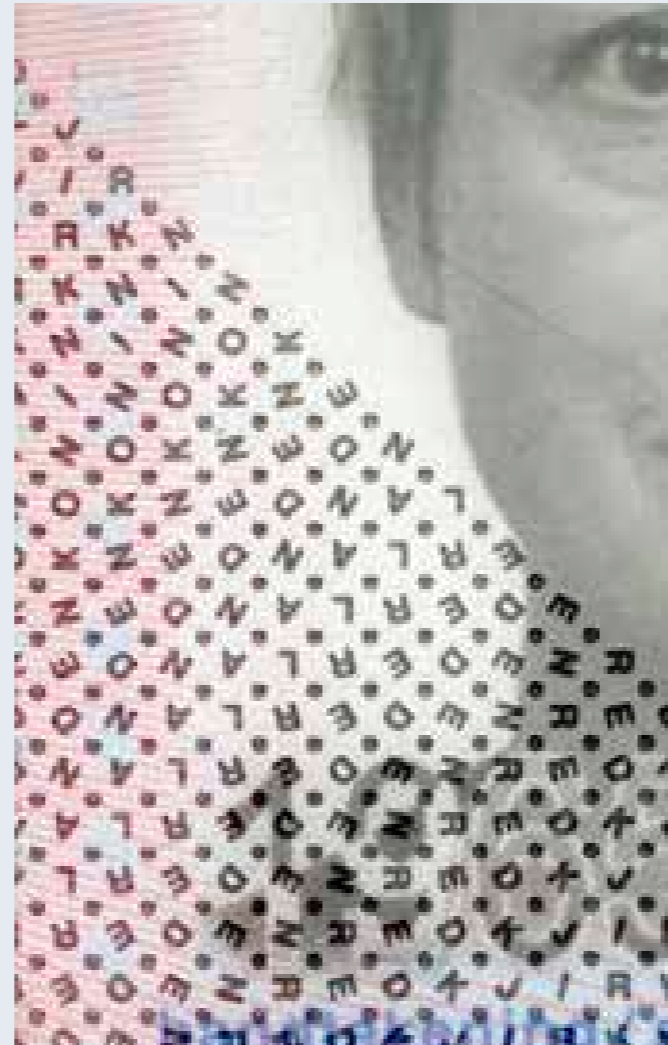
The new Dutch ID card (model 2021)

This card was first issued on August 02-2021 and contains a contactless chip that meets the ICAO specifications. With the addition of new security features such as the EU flag, a QR code providing access to the citizen service number (BSN) on the back and two fingerprints of the card holder on the chip, the Dutch ID card meets the latest European standards for identity cards.



3D Photo

An three-dimensional image (width, height and depth).



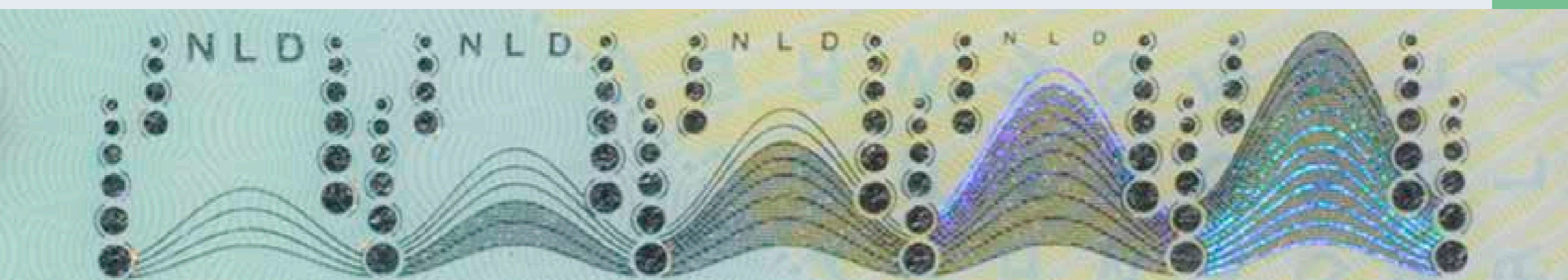
Relief Embossing

An image that is partially printed on an ink-less impression (comprising positive or negative relief).



Tilted Laser Image

An image created by laser perforations, carried out under different angles. The image changes depending on the angle of view.



Kinegram

An optically variable feature composed of grids that diffract light. This allows various images and effects to be generated, including colour changes (shifts) and 2D as well as 3D images. A Kinegram consists of a high-quality 2D image.

Word from our ID document expert:

“The new European regulations aim to strengthen the security of identity cards of all EU countries. In the new model of this ID card the Dutch government has introduced a number of innovations. As of now, all new ID cards will feature a small EU flag with the letters NL at the front, as well as a small QR code at the back that contains the cardholder’s BSN number. The BSN number will no longer be included in the machine-readable zone, but will still be legible on the back of the card. In addition to this, two fingerprints of the cardholder will also be included on the chip as they are already in the Dutch passport. Furthermore, the card holder’s photo is repeated on the right in a smaller format, 3D technology has been used and the holder’s birth year is repeated in both photos. Other security features used in the card are various micro texts, a Kinegram® and a Tilted Laser Image (TLI) with redundant data. The card is made of polycarbonate and personalized in by laser engraving.”



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