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Embassy of Eritrea
1708 New Hampshire Avenue, NW
Washington, DC
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Re: Request for single entry tourist visa
Arrival: December 15, 2019
Duration: 30 days

Dear Sirs,

I am a retired geology professor from the University of Maryland. For a long time, I have studied the unusual geology of Eritrea in scientific journals, and would like very much to visit some of these sites in person. I hope to visit Eritrea in December 2019.

With the support of Mr. Tekeste Asghedom of Asmara Grande Travel and Tour Agency, I have prepared and enclosed the following documents:

- My application for a 30-day tourist visa
- My US passport #566041276
- A recent passport photo
- A copy of my yellow fever vaccination
- My hotel booking in Asmara
- A recent bank statement as proof of sufficient funds
- A money order for \$50 payable to the Embassy of Eritrea
- A pre-paid, self-addressed USPS Express / Priority envelope

I hope that my visa can be issued quickly so that I will have time to book my air travel. I plan to do some international travel prior to visiting Eritrea and would very much appreciate having my passport returned to me as soon as possible.

Please let me know if you require any additional information from me. I look forward to visiting and learning more about your fascinating country.

Thank you sincerely,

Nick Zoa, PhD