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Application for Relative's Visa – Life partner visa

The completed DHA-1738 form *must be completed only when you are at the Embassy* in <u>BLACK INK</u> and submitted personally to the Embassy with the following:

- 1) One passport size photographs color.
- 2) Passport valid for no less than 30 days after expiry of the intended visit.
- 3) Medical report.
- 4) Radiological report.
- 5) Full birth certificate in respect of each dependent child.
- 6) Marriage certificate or in a case of foreign spousal relationship, proof of official recognition thereof issued by the authorities of the foreign country of the applicant (where applicable).
- 7) Affidavit where a spousal relationship to a South African citizen or resident is applicable as well as documentation proving cohabitation and the extent to which the related financial responsibilities are shared by the parties and setting out the particulars of children in the spousal relationship.
- 8) Proof of union recognized in terms of the Recognition of Customary Marriages Act, 1998 (Act No. 12 of 1998), where applicable.
- 9) Written consent from both parents or sole custody parent where applicable with proof of sole custody.
- 10) Proof of legal adoption (Where applicable).
- 11) Legal separation order (Where applicable).
- 12) Police clearance certificates in respect of applicants 18 years and older, in respect of all countries where person resided one year or longer.



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- 13) Vaccination certificate, if required by the Act.
- 14) Proof of medical cover / Medical insurance
- 15) Proof of Accommodation in SA

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

- 1) An applicant for a relative's visa shall submit-
- (a) A police clearance certificate; and
- (b) Proof of kinship, within the second step, between the applicant and the citizen or permanent resident as contemplated in section 18(1) of the Act in the form
 - (i) An unabridged birth certificate; and
 - (ii) Where necessary, paternity test results
- 2) The financial assurance contemplated in section 18(1) of the Act shall be an amount, per person and per month, as determined from time to time by the Minister by notice in the Gazette, to be proven by means of a current salary advice or a certified bank statement not older than three months at the time of application: Provided that the financial assurance shall not be required where the South African citizen or permanent resident is a dependent child.
 - 1. Relative's visa is free of charge, except of Live Partners visa Receipt of proof of payment of NOK 455 to be transferred to the Embassy's AC 1503 15 38189
 - 2. Applicants must please indicate whether the passport will be collected from the Embassy. If the passport is to be returned by mail (registered mail) the applicant is requested to forward a self addressed <u>stamped registered envelope</u>. Please forward a separate envelope for each passport. The postage fee per passport is between kr 185 to kr 200 for A5 and kr 235 for A4 size envelope.

ONLY AFTER the application forms and ALL the necessary supporting documents have been received, Consular Section will proceed with the application. From this date, the processing period will be eight (8)weeks **NOTE**: Each application is processed on merit and therefore at times may require additional information/ documentation.