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MOZAMBIQUE

Employment of dependents of official government employees

Agreement relating to the employment of dependents of official government employees. Effected by exchange of notes at Washington June 29 and July 14, 1998. Entered into force July 14, 1998.



EMBASSY OF THE REPUBLIC OF MOZAMBIQUE

REF. NO. 105/6-29-1998

The Embassy of the Republic of Mozambique presents its compliments to the Department of State and has the honour to propose that, on a reciprocal basis, dependents of official employees of the United States Government assigned to official duty in Mozambique and dependents of official employees of the Mozambique Government assigned to official duty in the United States be authorized to be employed in the receiving state.

For the purposes of this agreement,

“Dependents” shall mean:

Spouses;

Unmarried dependent children under 21 years of age;

Unmarried dependent children under 23 years of age who are in full-time attendance as students at a post-secondary educational institution; and,

Unmarried children who are physically or mentally disabled.

For the purposes of this agreement, official employees shall mean diplomatic agents, consular officers, and members of support staffs, assigned to diplomatic missions, consular offices and missions to international organizations.

In the case of dependents who seek employment in the United States, an official request must be made by the Embassy of Mozambique in Washington to the Office of Protocol in the Department of State. After the processing of the official request, the Mozambique Embassy will be informed that the dependent may accept employment.

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In the case of dependents who seek employment in Mozambique, the request shall be made by the United States Embassy in Mozambique to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Cooperation. After the processing of the official request, the United States Embassy will be informed that the dependent may accept employment.

The United States Government and the Mozambique Government wish to confirm their understanding that dependents who obtain employment under this agreement and who have immunity from the jurisdiction of the receiving state in accordance with the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations or the Conventions on the Privileges and Immunities of the United Nations, or any other applicable international agreement, have no immunity from civil or administrative jurisdiction with respect to matters arising out of such employment. Such dependents are also responsible for payment of income and social security taxes on any remuneration received as a result of employment in the receiving state. Dependents continue to enjoy all other privileges and immunities to which they are entitled.

The Embassy of Mozambique further proposes that, if these provisions are acceptable to the Department of State, this note and Department of State's reply concurring therein shall constitute an agreement between the two governments which shall enter into force on the date of that reply note and shall remain in force until ninety days after the date of the written notification from either government to the other of intention to terminate.

The Embassy of the Republic of Mozambique avails of this opportunity to renew to the Department of State the assurances of its highest consideration.

Washington, D.C., 29 June 1998

Department of State
Washington, D.C.

The Department of State refers to the Embassy of the Republic of Mozambique's diplomatic note Number 105/6-29-198 dated June 29, 1998, proposing a reciprocal bilateral work agreement for employment of family members of official Embassy employees. The Department of State confirms that the referenced note together with this reply constitutes an agreement which shall enter into force on July 14, 1998, and shall remain in force until ninety days after the date of the written notification from either government to the other of its intention to terminate.

Department of State,

Washington, July 14, 1998.