

LONG HAUL EXPEDITIONS

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VISA REQUIREMENTS

<u>Visa</u>	<u>G.B.</u>	<u>Aust.</u>	<u>N.Z.</u>	<u>U.S.A.</u>	<u>No. of forms</u>	<u>BRASIL</u>
France						
Spain		*	*		1	
Morocco						
Algeria		*	*	*	4	*
Niger		*	*	*	3	*
Burkina Faso	*	*	*	*		*
Benin	*	*	*	*	2	*
Togo	*	*	*	*		*
Nigeria	*	*	*	*		*
Chad	*	*	*	*	2	*
Cameroons	*	*	*	*	2	*
C.A.R.	*	*	*	*	2	*
Zaire	*	*	*	*	3	*
Rwanda	*	*	*	*	2	*
Tanzania	V.P.	V.P.	V.P.	*		
Kenya		*		*		
Zambia				*		
Botswana						
South Africa		*	*	*	1	

* Need visa

V.P. Visitors Pass

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PLEASE NOTE:

Algeria: Photographs for Algerian visas must be black and white.

Niger: We hope to obtain these visas for you in Paris before our departure. We will need your yellow fever vaccination certificates for this.

Burkina Faso (formerly Upper Volta): Visas will probably be obtained in Niamey.

Togo: Visas will probably be obtained in Niamey.

Nigeria: It is not possible at the present time to obtain visas for Nigeria. We will advise you should the situation change.

Chad: We are obtaining these visas in the case of Nigeria remaining closed. For Chad please use the visa forms from the French Embassy.

Central African Republic: A maximum of a two day visa is all that can be obtained in London without long delays. This visa can be extended on arrival at a cost of about 2500 CFA (about £5). For CAR please use the visa forms from the French Embassy as for Chad.

Zaire: When applying for Zaire visas it will be necessary for us to produce your yellow fever vaccination certificate, would you please forward this to us along with your passport and completed visa forms. To satisfy the Zaire Embassy we also need to provide them with a letter from your employer to confirm that you are employed by them. If you are unemployed we will need a letter for the Zaire Embassy explaining your circumstances, could you send all this information with your other completed visa forms please.

Rwanda: We hope to obtain these visas for you in Paris before our departure.

Tanzania: Visa is valid for only three months and will be applied for en route if required.

Kenya: Visa is valid for only three months and will be applied for en route or at the border.

Zambia: Visa is valid for only three months and will be applied for en route.

South Africa: If visas are being obtained for South Africa these must be issued 'loose' (i.e. not stamped in your passport). It is not possible to travel through many African countries if it is known that you are travelling to or from South Africa. Please note that apart from Malawi there are no South African Embassies in Africa. Please note that South Africa requires two photographs and one form BOTH THESE PHOTOGRAPHS SHOULD BE SIGNED ON THE REVERSE SIDE

You may be asked for proof of onward or return travel when entering South Africa. You may also be asked to satisfy the South African authorities that you are able to support yourself during your stay.

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QUESTIONS - that you are unable to answer (i.e. dates of entry - border crossings) should be left blank, however please complete the forms as fully as possible, especially with all personal details.

Forms are not required for visas that will be applied for en route.

VISA APPLICATIONS: Many of the visas that we have to obtain are only valid for a limited time after being issued. It is therefore not advisable to apply for these visas too early. All visa applications will be dealt with during the five weeks before departure, commencing on Monday 9th September.

Please remember to bring extra visa photographs away with you for visas that will be obtained on the way, also a few spare photographs to cover any additional visas that may be required. (About 20 additional photographs should be sufficient).

PAYMENT FOR VISAS: You will be advised the total final cost of your visas that have been obtained before departure. The total will probably be between £45 and £90 depending on your nationality and will be collected (in cash please) at the commencement of the trip.

Payment for visas obtained along the way will be collected as and when needed.

The amount you will pay for the visas will be the cost of the visas plus expenses incurred in obtaining them.

PASSPORTS: During the weeks prior to departure your passport will be lodged at the various Embassies and High Commissions whilst applications are made for visas. It may not be possible to return your passport to you until immediately prior to departure.

REMINDER: Before returning these visa forms to us will you please double check that you have signed:

- your passport
- all your visa forms
- your yellow fever vaccination certificate
- your South African visa photographs

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Visa Applications - Trans Africa

VERY URGENT - PLEASE DEAL WITH IMMEDIATELY

Will you please complete fully the enclosed visa application forms and return them to the above address to arrive no later than Monday 9th September. Please check against the attached visa chart that you have all the forms that you require. Only return the South Africa visa application form if you intend to travel onwards to South Africa after completing the trip to Kenya.

When completing these forms (with the exception of South Africa) please do not give your ultimate destination as South Africa as this is not acceptable to certain African countries.

When returning these forms please also forward your passport, which MUST have a minimum of 20 clear pages and must be valid for at least one year from the commencement of the expedition. It is important that you do not have South African, Israeli, or the old Rhodesian stamps in your passport a new one must be obtained.

Do not give your occupation as journalist, editor, photographer or any occupation that could be remotely connected with the armed forces as this can seriously delay your visa applications or lead to refusals.

Please attach one passport type photograph to each form (i.e. Algeria requires four photographs).

PLEASE NOTE:

The above notes and the information given on the attached visa chart have been checked with the various Embassies and High Commissions concerned and at the time of writing is believed to be correct. However no guarantee is given or implied that this is so.

Applications for visas are organised on a group basis, and although Long Haul Expeditions - Tamar Travel Agents Limited will assist and help you in every way to obtain the necessary visas, the responsibility for checking that the correct visas have been obtained rests entirely with the passenger or group member concerned.

Visa requirements sometimes change and any additional expenses including additional travelling expenses caused as the result of incorrect documentation are the full responsibility of the passenger or group member concerned.

IF YOU ARE OBTAINING YOUR OWN VISAS PLEASE ADVISE US IMMEDIATELY.

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TO ALL GROUP MEMBERS

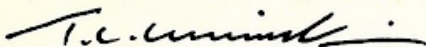
Payment for visas

As the cost of visas is this year more expensive than previously we have decided to collect the estimated cost of your visas in advance of departure. We will advise you of the exact cost on departure and adjust your payment accordingly.

Will you please let us have a payment as follows as soon as possible.

British passport holders	£45
Australian and N.Z. passport holders	£35
Others	£35

Yours sincerely,



Terry Wilkinson

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ADDENDUM

Spain: No photograph is necessary for the Spanish visa form.

Benin: We are not applying for these visas just yet as they are fairly expensive and should Nigeria remain closed to overland traffic we may not use them.

Rwanda: We will probably now obtain these visas en route.

Niger: These visas are now probably going to be obtained in Brussels before departure.

Chad/RCA: Could you please give your present address (residence actuelle) as somewhere in the south of England as previously we have had problems as there is a relevant embassy in Scotland for those with a northern residence.