

VISA FEES

Exchange of notes at Paris January 12 and 14, 1938

Entered into force January 15, 1938

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The American Ambassador to the Minister of Foreign Affairs

EMBASSY OF THE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
Paris, France, January 12, 1938

No. 836

EXCELLENCY:

I have the honor to confirm to Your Excellency in the following terms the tentative agreement reached as a result of informal discussions between the competent bureau of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and this Embassy for a reciprocal increase of the tariff for passport visas charged by the Governments of France and the United States:

(a)—Passport visas issued to American citizens by French Consuls will be valid for two years, unless the passport is valid for a lesser period, in which case the visa will be valid only during the period of validity of the passport. The visa will give the right to enter France as often as the holder may wish during its validity. The fee will be seventy-five francs.

(b)—The fee for a non-immigrant passport visa valid for any number of entries into the United States by a bearer of a French passport during a period of twelve months from the date of issue of the visa shall be two dollars and seventy-five cents United States currency, or approximate equivalent in francs; provided the passport remains valid during that period and that the non-immigrant status of the bearer of the passport is maintained. The passport visa applied for will be granted and the length of sojourn determined in accordance with existing regulations.

A second visa, subject to the same conditions, and provided the passport remains valid, will be issued gratis if applied for by the date of expiration of the original visa or within one year thereafter, provided that the validity

¹ TIAS 1608, *post*, p. 1193.