

REDUCTION OF VISA FEES FOR NONIMMIGRANTS

*Exchange of notes at Nanking April 9, 1935, with supplementary notes
of April 29 and May 8 and 10, 1935*

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The American Minister to the Acting Minister of Foreign Affairs

LEGATION OF THE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NANKING OFFICE
April 9, 1935

EXCELLENCY:

I have the honor to confirm in the following terms the tentative agreement reached as a result of discussions between the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and this Legation for reductions in the tariff of passport visa fees charged by the Governments of the Republic of China and of the United States:

1. The Government of the United States will from July 1, 1935, collect the following specified fees for visaeing travel documents (but will collect no fee for the execution of an application for a visa) of nationals of China proceeding to the United States (including the insular possessions) who fall within the following categories:

(1) A government official, his family, attendants, servants, and employees; no fee.

(2) An alien visiting the United States temporarily as a tourist or temporarily for business or pleasure: \$2.50.

(3) An alien in continuous transit through the United States; no fee.

(4) An alien lawfully admitted to the United States who later goes in transit from one part of the United States to another through foreign contiguous territory; no fee.

¹ 7 UST 585; TIAS 3539.