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The Embassy of Iceland
House 16, Road 113/A
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Bangladesh

Subject: Schengen Tourist Visa Application for Iceland - Sayad Ibna Azad
(Passport: A245678)

I am Sayad Ibna Azad, and I am writing to you today to formally submit my application for a Schengen tourist visa to visit the beautiful country of Iceland. My passport number is A245678. I currently work as a Senior Developer at Sayad IT, a reputable technology firm based in Bangladesh. My primary purpose for this trip is purely for tourism and recreational travel. I plan to experience the unique natural wonders and vibrant culture that Iceland offers. My proposed travel dates are from October 15th to October 30th, 2024. I have been dreaming of visiting Iceland for a long time, and I am incredibly excited about the prospect of exploring its stunning landscapes and creating unforgettable memories. I assure you that I have prepared all necessary documents diligently and am committed to adhering to all visa regulations and local laws during my stay, ensuring a respectful and compliant visit.

My fascination with Iceland stems from its extraordinary and otherworldly landscapes, which are truly unlike anywhere else on Earth. I have spent a considerable amount of time researching and envisioning my trip, and I am particularly eager to witness the breathtaking natural phenomena that make Iceland so special. I dream of seeing the vibrant city life of Reykjavik, with its unique architecture and welcoming atmosphere, before heading out into the wild. The idea of driving the famous Golden Circle route, exploring the powerful Geysir geothermal area, feeling the spray from the majestic Gullfoss Waterfall, and walking between continental plates at Þingvellir National Park fills me with immense anticipation. Furthermore, experiencing the serene and healing waters of the Blue Lagoon is a definite highlight of my planned visit. Above all, I am deeply captivated by the possibility of witnessing the elusive and magical Northern Lights dancing across the Icelandic sky. Its reputation as a safe, clean, and incredibly beautiful country, combined with its unique geological features like volcanoes and glaciers, makes it my absolute top choice for a personal adventure and a refreshing escape from my daily work routine. This trip represents a long-held personal aspiration to connect with nature at its most pristine and powerful.

My travel itinerary has been carefully planned to maximize my experience of Iceland's wonders during my 16-day visit, from October 15th to October 30th, 2024. Upon arrival at Keflavík International Airport, I will proceed to Reykjavik, where I have secured preliminary accommodation for my initial nights. My time in the capital will involve exploring iconic landmarks such as Hallgrímskirkja church, the Harpa Concert Hall, and enjoying local cuisine and cultural sites. Following this, I plan to embark on a comprehensive tour of the renowned Golden Circle. This will include dedicated stops at Þingvellir National Park, the dramatic Geysir geothermal area with its erupting hot spring Strokkur, and the spectacular double-tiered Gullfoss Waterfall. I will also dedicate a day to relax and rejuvenate at the world-famous Blue Lagoon, experiencing its unique geothermal spa waters. Later in my trip, I aim to venture further from the city to chase the elusive Northern Lights, depending on weather conditions and visibility forecasts, potentially staying in areas known for minimal light pollution. Throughout my journey, I will be focusing on photography, gentle hiking, and immersing myself in the breathtaking natural environment. All my accommodation will be pre-booked at reputable hotels or guesthouses, and transportation will be arranged through reliable tour operators or a rented vehicle, ensuring a smooth and organized travel experience. I have budgeted meticulously for all aspects of my trip.

I want to assure the Embassy that I am fully capable of financing my entire trip to Iceland, including all expenses related to flights, accommodation, food, local transportation, travel insurance, and any planned activities or excursions, without any reliance on public funds or local assistance in Iceland. As a Senior Developer at Sayad IT, a well-established technology company in Bangladesh, I earn a stable and substantial annual income of BDT 120,000. This steady income allows me to comfortably manage my personal expenses and save diligently for my travel aspirations. My financial stability is further demonstrated by my robust savings. I currently hold a significant balance of BDT 4,000,000 in my personal bank account, which is specifically allocated to cover all potential costs of this trip and much more. This substantial amount provides a clear indication of my strong financial standing and my ability to comfortably afford an international holiday of this nature. My official bank statements, salary certificates, and other relevant financial documents are attached with this application, providing comprehensive proof of my financial resources and consistent income.

My financial history reflects a consistent pattern of responsible management and growth, demonstrating my long-term stability. The BDT 4,000,000 in my savings account represents funds accumulated over several years through diligent work and prudent financial planning, not just a recent deposit. This provides a strong foundation for covering all my travel expenses without any strain on my personal finances. In addition to my primary bank account, I also maintain other financial assets and investments that contribute to my overall financial well-being, though my main travel funds are clearly designated. I have thoroughly researched the estimated costs for a 16-day trip to Iceland,

including a detailed breakdown for flights, comfortable accommodation, food, sightseeing, and contingency funds, and I am confident that my available funds far exceed these projected expenses. I also hold international credit cards with substantial limits, which serve as an additional financial safety net, though I do not anticipate needing them for primary expenses. I want to reiterate that I am financially independent and will not seek any employment or financial support during my visit to Iceland, nor will I be a burden on the Icelandic social system or economy in any way. My only intention is to enjoy a well-deserved holiday.

My professional life as a Senior Developer at Sayad IT is a significant aspect of my identity and a fundamental tie to my home country, Bangladesh. I have been an integral part of Sayad IT for the past five years, contributing to numerous critical projects and playing a key role in the development team. My responsibilities include designing and implementing complex software solutions, leading smaller development teams, mentoring junior developers, and ensuring the successful delivery of projects for our clients. I am deeply involved in ongoing projects, particularly one that is currently in a crucial development phase, requiring my direct supervision and technical expertise. My consistent presence and active involvement are vital for the progress and success of these projects and for maintaining client relationships. My role is not easily transferable or replaceable on short notice, which underscores my absolute commitment to returning to Bangladesh immediately after my vacation. My company relies on my technical skills and leadership, and I have a clear schedule of projects and tasks awaiting my return. I have already coordinated with my management team to ensure that my absence will not disrupt critical operations, and I am expected back at work on October 31st, 2024, to resume my duties without delay. This strong professional commitment firmly binds me to Bangladesh and assures my return.

Beyond my professional commitments, I possess exceptionally strong family and personal ties to Bangladesh that serve as an irrefutable assurance of my return. My beloved parents and siblings reside in Bangladesh, and I share deep emotional and social bonds with them. As an integral part of my family unit, I have ongoing responsibilities and participate actively in family affairs and support networks. I frequently visit them and contribute to family welfare. Culturally, Bangladesh is my homeland, and I am deeply connected to its traditions, community, and social fabric. My life, my memories, and my future plans are firmly rooted here. Furthermore, I am a proud homeowner in Bangladesh, owning a valuable property (a residential apartment) which represents a significant long-term investment and a permanent address for me. This property is fully documented under my name, and the relevant ownership papers are included with my application. Owning property here reinforces my permanent residency and deep commitment to living in Bangladesh. These significant personal investments and family connections are far too important for me to abandon, and they represent compelling reasons that guarantee my return to my home country after completing my planned tourist visit to Iceland. My life is

here, and my short trip is simply for leisure and exploration, not for any other purpose.

In conclusion, I wish to reiterate that my sole purpose for seeking a Schengen visa is to visit Iceland as a genuine tourist, to immerse myself in its unique natural beauty and culture for a pre-defined period. I have meticulously planned my itinerary, secured all necessary arrangements, and proven my substantial financial capacity to cover all expenses independently without any assistance. My strong professional position as a Senior Developer at Sayad IT, coupled with the critical projects I am involved in, ensures my vital role and a compelling obligation to return to my job immediately upon the completion of my trip. Additionally, my deep-rooted family connections with my parents and siblings in Bangladesh, alongside my significant property ownership, provide further undeniable proof of my strong ties to my home country and my unwavering intention to return. I am fully aware of and commit to strictly abiding by all the regulations and conditions stipulated by the Schengen visa policy and the laws of Iceland. I assure you that I will respect the duration of my stay and depart Iceland before my visa expires. I sincerely hope that my application, supported by the attached comprehensive documentation, clearly demonstrates my bona fide intentions. I respectfully request your favorable consideration of my visa application and remain readily available for any interview or to provide any further information or documents that may be required to facilitate the processing of my request. Thank you for your valuable time and careful attention to my application.