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Embassy of the Federal Republic of Germany, Beirut – Visa Section

Subject: Application for a short-stay Schengen visa (tourism) – Hadi Mansour

Dear Sir or Madam,

I am applying for a short-stay Schengen visa for tourism, for a stay of 10 days in Germany from 13 to 22 September 2027.

1. Purpose of the trip
I will spend four nights in Berlin (13 to 17 September), two nights in Dresden (17 to 19 September) and three nights in Munich (19 to 22 September), travelling between the cities by train. The enclosed travel plan sets out each day. The United Kingdom issued me a visit visa in 2024 and I returned to Lebanon on the planned date, as the stamps in my passport show.

2. Accommodation and costs
My hotels are booked for all nine nights, with their full addresses, as the enclosed reservations show. I will pay for the trip myself from my salary and savings, held in a US dollar account at my bank in Beirut; my recent bank statements, stamped by the bank, are enclosed. Any medical costs are covered by my travel medical insurance.

3. Employment
Since 2020 I have worked as a software engineer at Phoenicia Digital SAL in Beirut, on a permanent contract. My employer has approved my leave from 13 to 22 September 2027, as the enclosed employment certificate confirms, together with my position, length of service and salary. My salary slips for the last three months, a copy of my employer's commercial circular and my CNSS certificate are enclosed.

4. Ties to Lebanon and return
I am married and live in Beirut with my wife, a pharmacist, who stays in Lebanon during my trip. I am due back at work on 23 September 2027, the day after my return flight from Munich to Beirut, shown in the enclosed flight reservation.

I would be glad to provide any further document or to attend an interview.

Yours faithfully,

Hadi Mansour

Enclosures:
- Passport, with a copy of the data page
- VIDEX application form, signed
- Biometric passport photograph
- Flight reservation Beirut–Berlin on 13 September and Munich–Beirut on 22 September 2027
- Travel medical insurance
- Travel plan: Berlin, Dresden, Munich
- Hotel reservations in Berlin, Dresden and Munich
- Bank statements, stamped by the bank
- Employment certificate and salary slips for the last three months
- Copy of the employer's commercial circular and CNSS certificate
- Family register extract issued less than three months ago, with German translation