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Netherlands Ministry of Foreign Affairs – Visa application lodged at VFS Global, Cairo

Subject: Application for a short-stay Schengen visa (tourism) – Salma Fathy

Dear Sir or Madam,

I am applying for a single-entry short-stay Schengen visa for tourism, for an 8-day stay in the Netherlands from 18 to 25 April 2027. I will travel alone.

1. Purpose of the trip
I will spend five nights in Amsterdam (18 to 23 April) and two nights in Rotterdam (23 to 25 April), travelling between the two cities by train. The enclosed itinerary sets out each day. This is my first Schengen visa application, so the Mogamma certificate of my travel movements is enclosed.

2. Accommodation and costs
My hotels are booked for all seven nights, as the enclosed reservations show. I will pay for the trip myself from my salary and savings. My bank statements for the last six months, stamped and signed by the bank, are enclosed with their translation; they cover the €55 per day that the Netherlands asks, or €440 for my stay. Any medical costs are covered by my travel medical insurance.

3. Employment
Since 2022, I have worked as a product designer on a permanent contract at Pyramid Pay S.A.E. in New Cairo. My employer’s statement gives my job title, my salary and the approval of my leave from 18 to 25 April 2027, and my last three payslips are enclosed.

4. Ties to Egypt and return
I live in New Cairo with my parents and my younger brother, as the enclosed extract of the family register shows. I will be back at work on Monday 26 April 2027, after my return flight from Amsterdam to Cairo on 25 April, shown in the enclosed flight reservation.

I remain at your disposal for any further document or for an interview.

Yours faithfully,

Salma Fathy

Enclosures:
- Passport, signed application form with its unique code, and photograph
- Colour copies of every passport page
- Mogamma certificate of travel movements, with its translation
- Flight reservation Cairo–Amsterdam on 18 April and Amsterdam–Cairo on 25 April 2027
- Travel medical insurance certificate
- Itinerary: Amsterdam, Rotterdam
- Hotel reservations in Amsterdam and Rotterdam
- Bank statements for the last six months, with their translation
- Employer’s statement with leave approval, and the last three payslips
- Extract of the family register, with its translation