



Treaty Series No. 94 (1951)

Exchange of Notes

between the Government of the United Kingdom
and the Government of Denmark

concerning the re-imposition of the
visa requirement for foreign nationals
proceeding to North Borneo
and Brunei

London 1st/2nd October, 1951

[Similar notes exchanged with the Governments of Iceland, Italy,
Luxembourg, Netherlands, Norway, Sweden and Switzerland]

*Presented by the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs to Parliament
by Command of His Majesty
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EXCHANGE OF NOTES BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM AND THE GOVERNMENT OF DENMARK CONCERNING THE RE-IMPOSITION OF THE VISA REQUIREMENT FOR FOREIGN NATIONALS PROCEEDING TO NORTH BORNEO AND BRUNEI

London, 1st/2nd October, 1951

No. 1

Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs to the Danish Ambassador

Foreign Office, S.W. 1,

Your Excellency,

1st October, 1951.

In his Note of 26th October, 1948,⁽¹⁾ my predecessor had the honour to inform you that His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom had decided to extend to Danish subjects travelling to the territories named in the Annex to that Note the provisions of the agreement embodied in the Notes exchanged between your Excellency and Mr. Attlee on 20th March, 1947,⁽²⁾ which abolished the visa requirement for Danish subjects travelling to the United Kingdom; and in a Note dated 10th August, 1950,⁽³⁾ Mr. Bevin informed your Excellency that it had become necessary to re-impose for the time being the visa requirement for all foreign nationals proceeding to Singapore and the Federation of Malaya.

It is with regret that I now have to inform your Excellency that it has become necessary to withdraw North Borneo and Brunei from the list of territories to which the provisions of the agreement embodied in the exchange of Notes of 20th March, 1947,⁽²⁾ had been extended on 26th October, 1948,⁽¹⁾ and that as from 15th October, 1951, Danish subjects will require visas for the purpose of travelling to North Borneo and Brunei.

I have the honour to request that your Excellency will be good enough to acknowledge receipt of this Note.

I have, &c.

HERBERT MORRISON.

⁽¹⁾ "Treaty Series No. 80 (1948)," Cmd. 7577.

⁽²⁾ "Treaty Series No. 25 (1947)," Cmd. 7101.

⁽³⁾ "Treaty Series No. 51 (1950)," Cmd. 8036.

No. 2

Danish Ambassador to the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs

Royal Danish Embassy,

London, 2nd October, 1951.

The Danish Ambassador presents his compliments to His Britannic Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs and has the honour to acknowledge the receipt of Mr. Herbert Morrison's Note of the 1st inst. concerning the re-imposition of the visa requirement as from the 15th inst. for Danish nationals proceeding to North Borneo and Brunei.

Count Reventlow begs to add that the contents of Mr. Morrison's Note have to-day been transmitted to the Ministry for Foreign Affairs in Copenhagen.

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