



Consent form

1 Contact with a staff member

You can use this form to consent to contact with a staff member from the Dutch Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

- Contact with a staff member is considered consular assistance. The Netherlands helps prisoners abroad. Find out more in the enclosed booklet 'Arrested abroad'. Be sure to read it thoroughly.
- A staff member will contact you and visit you.
- By accepting consular assistance, you consent to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs saving and using your personal information.

1.1 I would like to have contact with a staff member from the Dutch Ministry of Foreign Affairs:

Yes No

2 Contact person in the Netherlands

You can choose someone in the Netherlands to be your contact person (18 or older). A staff member at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in The Hague will then contact that person and inform them of your situation.

2.1 I would like to choose a contact person:

Yes No

Fill in the details you have for your contact person. Leave the space blank if you don't know.

2.2 Contact person's surname and given name

surname | given name
|_____|

2.3 Contact person's street + house number

street | house number
|_____|

2.4 Contact person's postcode + town/city

postcode | town/city
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2.5 Contact person's phone number and email address

phone number | email address
|_____|

2.6 Relationship to you (for example partner, father, mother, child (18 or older), friend)

|_____|

3 Local lawyer

Fill in the details you have for your local lawyer. Leave the space blank if you don't know.

3.1	Name of law firm	_____	
3.2		<input type="checkbox"/> Government-appointed (at no cost to you)	<input type="checkbox"/> Paid for by you
3.3	Surname and given name lawyer	surname	given name
		_____	_____
3.4	Phone number and email address lawyer	phone number	email address
		_____	_____

4 Organisations that help Dutch nationals in prison abroad

The Dutch government works with organisations that help Dutch nationals who are in prison abroad. These organisations are listed below. Find out how these organisations can help you by reading the enclosed information.

a. International Office of the Dutch Probation Service

In many countries the International Office works with a Dutch-speaking volunteer who will visit you in prison. The volunteer will send a report of the visit to the International Office in the Netherlands.

b. Epafra Foundation

The Epafra Foundation has volunteers in many countries that can visit you to provide spiritual support.

c. Dutch & Detained and Lawyers Across Borders

Dutch & Detained and Lawyers Across Borders provide additional legal assistance. They advise Dutch nationals in prison abroad and their contact persons in the Netherlands. Your information pack contains the form for prisoners in the country where you are detained.

I consent to my information being shared with:

- 4.1 The International Office of the Dutch Probation Service, and I would like a visit from a volunteer: Yes No
- 4.2 The Epafra Foundation, and I would like a visit from a spiritual counsellor: Yes No
- 4.3 Dutch & Detained or Lawyers Across Borders, and I would like additional legal assistance: Yes No

5 Signature

		surename	given name
5.1	Your surname and given name	_____	_____
5.2	Country of detention	_____	
5.3	Name of detention centre/prison	_____	
5.4	Prison number	_____	
5.5	Date (day/month/year)		
5.6	Your signature	_____	

Complete this form and return it as soon as possible using the envelope provided. Or give the form to the Ministry of Affairs staff member when they visit you. If you later decide that you no longer want help, you can indicate that in a short letter. The change will apply only once the staff member receives your letter.