

## **Press Release**

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### **New travel facilitation to Macao SAR Passport holders**

After negotiations with the relevant authorities, the Identification Services Bureau has been confirmed of the following travel facilitation for holders of the Macao SAR Passport:

Holders of the Macao SAR Passport visiting the Cook Islands can be exempted from visa requirement for a maximum stay of 31 days.

Holders of the Macao SAR Passport visiting the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia can apply for a visa upon arrival for a maximum stay of 30 days. Applicants have to provide 2 photographs and a fee of 50 USD when applying for the visa on arrival. Besides, holders of the Macao SAR Passport can also choose to apply for an electronic visa before departure. Details of the electronic visa can be found in the following website: <https://www.evisa.gov.et/#/home>.

At present, a total of 136 countries or territories have agreed to grant visa-free access or visa-on-arrival to the Macao SAR Passport holders. Besides, 16 countries have confirmed that the Macao SAR Passport holders can apply for e-visa or apply for visa online. For further details, please visit the website of the Identification Services Bureau: [www.dsi.gov.mo/download/visa\\_free\\_list\\_e.pdf](http://www.dsi.gov.mo/download/visa_free_list_e.pdf) and [http://www.dsi.gov.mo/download/E\\_visa\\_e.pdf](http://www.dsi.gov.mo/download/E_visa_e.pdf).