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Subject: Accreditations

- Appointment of H.E. Mr Negassi Kassa TEKLE as the Head of Mission of the State of Eritrea to the European Union to replace H.E. Mr Mohammed Sulieman Ahmed

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With reference to the procedure agreed by exchange of letters on 3 and 9 November 1966, you are hereby informed that the Government of the State of Eritrea intends to appoint H.E. Mr Negassi Kassa TEKLE as Head of Mission of the State of Eritrea to the European Union to replace H.E. Mr Mohammed Sulieman Ahmed.

- Your tacit agreement will be assumed on 22 March 2014 unless you make specific objections by that date.

Please find attached a copy of the note verbale sent to the Commission by the Mission of the State of Eritrea to the European Union and the curriculum vitae of H.E. Mr Negassi Kassa TEKLE.

Uwe CORSEPIUS  
Secretary-General

- note verbale
- curriculum vitae

### **NOTE VERBALE**

The Embassy of the State of Eritrea to the European Union, presents its compliments to the Protocol Service of the European Commission and has the honour to inform the latter that the Government of the State of Eritrea proposes to appoint H.E. Mr NEGASSI KASSA TEKLE, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary, as Head of Mission of the State of Eritrea to the European Union. Agrément is hereby requested to his appointment. The Curriculum Vitae of H.E. Mr NEGASSI KASSA TEKLE is attached hereto.

The Embassy of the State of Eritrea to the European Union avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Protocol service of the European Commission the assurances of its highest consideration.

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## CURRICULUM VITAE

Name                      Negassi Kassa Tekle  
Address                  Avenue Wolvedael 15-17  
                                1180 Brussels

Date of Birth             October 22, 1952  
Place of Birth          Mearda, Eritrea  
Marital Status         Widower  
Nationality             Eritrean

### **Educational Qualifications**

#### **Graduate**

School            -David Livingstone Institute of Overseas Development Studies, University of Strathclyde, Glasgow, UK

Degree        - MA, June 1983 - Development Economics

#### **Undergraduate**

School        - Haile Selassie First University, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia; and Nairobi University, Nairobi Kenya

Degree        - BA, July, 1978

Major         - Economics

Minor         - Political Science

#### **Special Courses**

- Financial Management, Eritrean Institute of Management, Embatkala town 5 February -5 March 1996

- Information Processing and Reporting: March 21 - April 2, 1995 Asmara, Eritrea.

- Organization of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs: 24 January- 4 February 1994, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Stockholm, Sweden.

- Performance Improvement Programming and Team Building: April 21- May 5, 1994 Asmara, Eritrea

- Intelligence Analysis and Diplomacy: 1993 Asmara, Eritrea

- Training tour to the UK, focusing on the functioning of the Foreign Ministry, December 1993

## **Career**

July 2012 - Present	Chargés d' Affaires a.i. Embassy of the State of Eritrea, Kingdom of Belgium, the European Union, the Duchy of Luxembourg and the Netherlands
November 2002 - June 2006	Counselor, Embassy of the State of Eritrea, Kingdom of Belgium, the European Union and the Duchy of Luxembourg
July 2006 - June 2007	Counselor, Embassy of the State of Eritrea, the Hague, the Netherlands
June 2000 - October 2002	First Secretary, Embassy of the State of Eritrea, Kingdom of Belgium, the European Union and the Duchy of Luxembourg
January 2000 - May 2000	Head of Administration and Finance Division, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Eritrea
1994 - 1999	Head of Finance Unit, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
1992 - 1993	Head of Consular Affairs and Finance, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
June - December 1991	Head of Documentation, Finance and Consular Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
October 1989 - 1991 May	Staff at the documentation, EPLF Foreign Relations Office, Head Quarter, Eritrea
January 1985 - September 1989	Head of Administration and Finance, EPLF Information Office in Cologne, Germany, covering Belgium
September 1983 - December 1984	Information and propaganda, EPLF Foreign Relations Office, Rome, Italy
August 1983	Joined Eritrean People's Liberation Front (EPLF)

## **Member of Delegation**

- Participated in different important Regional and International Conferences, Summits and meetings

## **Hobby**

- Reading
- Photography