

National Tropical Botanical Garden

presents

**The Botany of Madagascar
& South Africa Tour**

Escorted by

Board of Trustee Member, Mrs. Christina Wilson

and

NTBG Director of Science, Dr. David H Lorence



OCT 31, 2008 – NOV 18th, 2008



In collaboration with MANGO SAFARIS

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**Oct. 31, Friday Tour members depart mainland USA for Johannesburg, So Africa
Nov. 01, Saturday arrive Johannesburg transfer to hotel where spend night.
Nov 02, Sunday transfer to Johannesburg airport for flight.**

**IN COUNTRY TOUR DATES
November 2nd – 17th, 2008**

Day 1 (November 2, Sun.): Group members not scheduled through Terra Nova Travel will meet at the Johannesburg Airport to board the morning flight to Antananarivo.

Antananarivo, Madagascar

Welcome to **Madagascar!** Your flight arrives in Antananarivo, Madagascar. On arrival, pass through Immigration, collect your luggage, and clear Customs. Proceed into the arrivals area where your guide will be waiting for you holding a sign with NTBG on it. You will be transferred to Palissandre Hotel & Spa.

Palissandre Hotel & Spa is perched on the slopes of a hill, 5 minutes drive from the business centre of Antananarivo (Tana). The hotel enjoys stunning views over the town.

Accommodations are in 46 spacious rooms, reflecting traditional Malagasy architecture with pink-colored bricks, Matasoia stone, rosewood and marble. The hotel offers all the facilities of a modern business and leisure hotel. There are 42 Standard and 6 family suites. All rooms are equipped with TV, air-conditioning, IDD telephones, in-room safe, mini bar, en-suite bathroom with shower, hairdryer and writing desk.

There is a brand new small gym and spa. You will enjoy meals at the Garden Restaurant with umbrellas and a swimming pool with recliners. The excellent La Table des Hautes Terres restaurant is also available.

After settling in, you will dine this evening at your hotel.

Palissandre Hotel & Spa – Welcome dinner

Days 2, 3 & 4 (November 3 Mon., 4 Tue. & 5 Wed.): Berenty, Madagascar

After breakfast, your driver will collect you from your hotel and transfer you to Ivato Airport where you will meet your scheduled flight to Fort Dauphin (Taolagnaro), on the far South-east coast. On arrival, your local guide will be waiting to transfer you directly to the Berenty Reserve.

Berenty, a privately run reserve, is in the south-east corner of the island and is about 30m above sea-level. Berenty located, about 80 kilometres to the west of the airport, but your road journey will take approximately three to four hours as the road is in poor condition. En route from the airport you will pass through paddy-field after paddy-field. As you travel on you will view lychee and jackfruit trees and pass through stands of the niaouli tree in Madagascar, the introduced *Melaleuca quinquenervia*.

Along the way you will also see some Antanosy memorial stones and pass through a transitional zone, part of the Andohahela National Park set aside to conserve the endemic Triangle palm, before entering the dry Spiny Forest zone with its characteristic baobab and Octopus trees.



The accommodations at Gite de Berenty Lodge consist of 13 very basic bungalows situated in a half circle near a breakfast/tea room area. Each bungalow has a ceiling fan, a small veranda with a deck chair which is perfect for observing the very gregarious resident lemurs.

In Berenty at the entrance of the reserve is an interesting museum offering a detailed history of the South, the various tribes, tribal dress and fauna/flora. The actual reserve has well laid out paths which facilitate viewing the various wildlife, especially the famous the Sifaka, Ringtail and Brown lemur. Berenty is surrounded by huge sisal plantations which offer a complete contrast to the Andohahela spiny forest that you drive through to get to Berenty.

You spend the next two days exploring Berenty. The spiny desert flora is remarkable plus there is also some good dry gallery forest along the Mandrare River. Berenty also offers great birding, as well as interesting reptiles and invertebrates.



Gite de Berenty Lodge – Breakfast, lunch, dinner & scheduled activities

Days 5, 6 & 7 (November 6 Thur., 7 Fri. & 8 Sat.): Perinet, Madagascar

Today after breakfast and checkout procedures, you will transfer back to Fort Dauphin and check in for your flight to back to Antananarivo. On arrival, collect your luggage and meet your driver for your private transfer to Perinet Reserve. This is a 3-4 hour drive by paved (twisty) road. There is lots of picturesque scenery en-route. You spend the next three nights at Vakona Lodge.



Vakona Lodge is located 15 minutes by car from the main entrance to the Perinet Reserve. The accommodations consist of bungalows with heaters, mini bar and en suite bathroom with hot water. A lounge (with TV/ Video) plus open plan restaurant, which services delicious meals, are built around a fireplace. There is a small souvenir shop. Board games, snooker table, swimming pool, horse riding and table tennis are available.

The next day you will spend the entire day exploring Perinet's rainforest. To maximize your experience, you will rise early as this is when the birds and wildlife are most active. The trails are not difficult to manage and you will also have a forest guide to accompany you. If lucky you will see Grey Bamboo Lemur, Red-fronted Brown Lemur,

Blue Coua, Velvet Asity and perhaps Nuthatch Vanga. You will also discover reptiles like the Malagasy Tree Boa and Parson's Chameleon. Orchids and other epiphytes festoon the trees.



On your final day in Perinet you can visit the nearby primary rainforest of Mantadia National Park, where the Perinet guides are used to taking visitors. This is more challenging terrain, less developed with steep paths in places but you can do as much as you feel comfortable with. The primary rainforest here is spectacular and wildlife includes Diadems Sifaka, Black-and-White Ruffed Lemurs and birds like Brown Mesite, Pitta-like and Scaly Ground-rollers, Brown Emutail and Madagascar Blue Pigeon.

Vakona Lodge – Breakfast, lunch, dinner & scheduled activities

Day 8 (November 9,Sun): Antananarivo, Madagascar

Today you have a final morning in Perinet before returning to Antananarivo by road in the afternoon. You stay at the Palissandre Hotel & Spa again for the night.

There will be a special dinner arranged at the hotel with invited experts from the botanical world.

Palissandre Hotel & Spa – Breakfast,lunch & dinner

Day 9, 10 & 11 (November 10,Mon. , 11 Tue & 12 Wed.): Cape Town, South Africa

Today after breakfast and checkout procedures, your driver will collect you from your hotel and transfer to the airport to meet your scheduled flight back to Johannesburg, South Africa. On arrival after clearing So African Customs & Immigration, you will connect to your onward scheduled flight to Cape Town. When you arrive, collect your luggage and proceed into the arrivals area, where you will be met by our South Africa partners. You will transfer to the Cape Grace.



Cape Grace is a member of the exclusive Leading Small Hotels of the World, a brand extension of the internationally recognized and respected organization, Leading Hotels of the World. It is the prime luxury hotel in Cape Town.

With a classically inspired exterior and gracefully elegant within, Cape Grace is set on its own private quay on Cape Town's vibrant Victoria & Alfred Waterfront. Cape Grace's charm lies in its intimate atmosphere, stylish décor and unique personalized hospitality, where you will find staff warm and flexible, with a spirit of unrivalled generosity.

Amenities and Services at the Grace include; One waterfront restaurant, Bascule whisky bar and wine cellar, 24-hour Room Service, complimentary underground and surface parking, laundry, dry-cleaning, and valet services, complimentary Cape Wine and History presentation every evening, complimentary transfer to city bowl area, cafe complete - tea, coffee, orange juice & pastries in the library.

Tonight you will enjoy welcome drinks and a fine dinner at One Waterfront restaurant.

Day 10 (November 11, Tue.): Cape Town, South Africa

This morning, you have a scheduled private full day Cape Peninsula Tour including Table Mountain, inclusive of entry fees and lunch at Harbour House.

Tonight you have a free evening to dine at one of Cape Town's fine restaurants of your choice.



The Cape Grace – breakfast (lunch at Harbour House)

Day 11 (November 12, Wed.): Cape Town, South Africa

Today you have a morning tour of Kirstenbosch Botanical Gardens, inclusive of entrance fees and lunch in the gardens.

Return to hotel with your afternoon free to explore Cape Town or relax at the Cape Grace.

This evening you will dine at Café Africa, a lively and popular dining spot with locals as well as visitors.

The Cape Grace – breakfast & dinner (lunch at Kirstenbosch)

Day 12 (November 13,Thu.): Franschhoek, South Africa

Today after breakfast and checkout, you will be collected from Cape Grace for a scheduled private full day Cape Wine Lands tour including entrance fees and lunch.



After a fun day of wine tasting and touring, you will be transferred to Franschhoek Country House for beautiful overnight accommodations.

Set in the picturesque wine-producing valley of Franschhoek, the Franschhoek Country House & Villas offers luxury and indulgence.

This restored manor house and former perfumery dating back to 1890, is situated on the outskirts of the village in the Cape wine lands and is surrounded by enchanting vineyards and majestic mountains.

The Monneaux Restaurant, where you will dine this evening, occupies the original site of Franschhoek's first *parfumerie*. Today it is now the heavenly scent of chef, Adrian Buchanan's cooking that has transformed this former parfumerie into a Cape culinary experience. Even by the Cape's food & wine capital high standards, Monneaux is an extraordinary success. Listed in the country's Top 100 list for six years consecutively, and the Top 10 list for two years, the Monneaux won the 2006 American Express Platinum Award for fine dining.

Franschhoek Country House- luxury room – breakfast & dinner (lunch on tour)

Days 13, 14 & 15 (November 14, Fri., 15 Sat. & 16 Sun.): Hermanus, South Africa

Today your driver will collect you from Franschhoek Country House and transfer you to Hermanus where you stay at Grootbos Private Nature Reserve.



You will be greeted with a smile and welcomed with a glass of fine South African sparkling wine, as all guests at Grootbos are made to feel instantly special.

You stay at the classic Garden Lodge, set in a lush indigenous surrounding. Set among the ancient Milkwood trees, the large private suites give guests a chance to unwind, surrounded by the splendors of nature and pampered by five star hospitality. From each luxury suite you can admire the sunsets over the ocean or start the day in tune with the forest birds. Strolling between your suite and the main lodge, winding pathways will guide you past the largest Milkwood forests in the world. Grootbos has local resident guides who will provide insights into the area's indigenous plants which are unique to this environment.

You have the next three days and two nights to explore the lovely area from incredible flora, to beachcombing, to whale watching. On the morning of November 15th, you have a scheduled Marine Boat trip.



Grootbos Garden Lodge - All meals & scheduled activities

Day 16 (November 17, Mon.): Depart

After over two glorious weeks, it's time to pack up all your camera gear and make ready for the journey home. After breakfast and checkout procedures, your driver will collect you from your lodge and transfer you back to Cape Town International Airport to meet your scheduled departure flight. If continuing directly back to the mainland USA, you will arrive home on Tuesday, Nov 18th. *(Extension available too-i.e. a short safari)....*

TRIP PARTICIPANT INFORMATION:

To confirm your participation on this departure, please send* a \$3000 per person nonrefundable deposit check, to Terra Nova Travel, LLC, along with your completed Registration and signed Limits of Liability forms. Since space is limited, please send your nonrefundable deposit check and completed forms to Terra Nova Travel, LLC by **Nov. 21, 2007** to reserve your place.

CONTACT INFORMATION ABOUT GENERAL TRIP INFORMATION:

Christina Wilson
(503) 297-3234
bumpus@pacifier.com

CONTACT INFORMATION ABOUT TOUR LOGICISTICS:

(i.e. flights, itinerary, extensions and other general travel questions)

*TERRA NOVA TRAVEL, LLC:
Nancy Pole-Wilhite
2154 NW Aspen Ave.
Portland OR 97210
Telephone: (800)267-8002 or
(503)296-7913 Fax: (503)292-4314
Email: nancy@terranovatour.com
www.terranovatour.com

LAND COST per person

\$10,382.00 (05 - 07 participants)

\$9,410.00 (08 - 12 participants)

SINGLE SUPPLEMENT:

\$2500.00

PLUS AIRFARE (SEE BELOW UNDER AIRFARE)

- *Rates subject to final 2008 pricing and currency fluctuation at time of final payment.*

Although the itinerary and price are shown for the entire trip of Madagascar and South Africa, it is possible to join the tour for only Madagascar or So. Africa. These rates are available upon request, but preference will be given to tour members who sign up for the entire trip due to the limited space.

AIRFARE:

**Estimated rates for International Airfare:
(not included in land price shown below) Schedules and dates not available for booking until late December 2007**

United/South African Airways
USA (West Coast gateway) – South Africa
(Cape Town with Johannesburg stopover)

\$2,100-2,400 per person coach class

\$7,500-7,800 per person business class

Overnight on outbound in Johannesburg with transfers is an Additional \$300.00 per person.

Airfare on other carriers available upon request.

Frequent flyer mileage coordination available for \$200.00 per person.

Arrival in Madagascar on flights other than the group flights from Johannesburg to Madagascar will result in a private transfer surcharge.

Plus a tax-deductible contribution checks of:

\$1,000.00

to the

National Tropical Botanical Garden

(Contribution checks are to be made payable to the NTBG and mailed directly to NTBG headquarters.)

Contribution checks should be sent at final payment.

**** NONREFUNDABLE DEPOSIT BY WEDNESDAY, NOV 21,2007**

\$3000.00 PER PERSON*

(Note: the tour is based upon a minimum of five participants)

***Payments is accepted by check payable to Terra Nova Travel,LLC, wire transfer or credit card (Visa, Master Card or Am Express are accepted but 3.5-4% will be added to the trip cost.**

Final Payment will be due July 11, 2008

COMPLETE THE ENCLOSED REGISTRATION FORM & LIMIT OF LIABILITY FORMS

**and mail your
nonrefundable deposit check to:
TERRA NOVA TRAVEL,LLC
ATTN: Nancy Pole-Wilhite
2154 NW Aspen Ave.
Portland OR 97210
USA**

Mango African Safaris & Terra Nova Travel LLC

Terms & Conditions

Land costs include:

- ❖ Accommodations as indicated or similar based on twin-bedded rooms with private bath facilities.
- ❖ All sight seeing and activities as identified in the itinerary
- ❖ Transportation including flights round trip from Johannesburg to Antananarivo,
- ❖ Internal Madagascar flights and road transfers as indicated.
- ❖ Madagascar departure tax, and drinks as indicated.
- ❖ Private guide in Madagascar who will accompany you throughout.
- ❖ English speaking Forest Guides at each location in Madagascar.
- ❖ Private guides as indicated in South Africa
- ❖ South Africa entrance fees and drinks as indicated
- ❖ Guide tips included
- ❖ Baggage handling
- ❖ MEALS included:
- ❖ Palissandre Hotel & Spa – Breakfast & dinner
- ❖ Gite de Berenty Lodge – Breakfast,lunch, dinner & scheduled activities
- ❖ Vakona Lodge – Breakfast, lunch dinner & scheduled activities

- ❖ The Cape Grace – breakfast & dinners on November 10th & 12 (at local restaurant)
- ❖ Franschhoek Country House - breakfast & dinner (lunch on Wineland tour)
- ❖ Grootbos Private Nature Reserve Lodge - All meals & scheduled activities

NOT INCLUDED:

- ❖ International Airfare to Johannesburg
- ❖ Overnight in Johannesburg
- ❖ Passport fees and medical immunizations prior to departure
- ❖ Visa Fees
- ❖ Items of a personal nature such as additional tips to local staff, naturalist, resource people and guides, liquor, laundry, mail, phone calls, and other communication charges.
- ❖ Excess baggage /weight fees
- ❖ Any sightseeing/optional activities, beverage or meals not included in the itinerary
- ❖ Insurance to cover cancellation and curtailment, medical, baggage, money, and emergency evacuation back home.
- ❖ NTB \$1000 Tax Deductible Donation

N.B. additional expenses incurred due to change or cancellation by client or those beyond our control, of flight or land services will be the responsibility of the tour member.

Departures and Pricing

All prices are per person based on double occupancy. A single supplement includes a private room or tent with bath facilities wherever possible. Quoted tour rates are based on current exchange rates and operations as planned. For reasons beyond our control, we reserve the right to pass on increases in National Park fees, government taxes and fuel surcharges.

Airlines & Flight Schedules:

We cannot be held liable for any delays or additional costs incurred as a result of an airline not running to schedule. We cannot be held responsible should airlines discontinue flights on certain routings or change scheduled timetables resulting in missed connections, etc. Should an amendment in a routing or itinerary be necessary, we will re-quote you accordingly. It is not always possible to specify departure or arrival times for regional and/or charter flights as suppliers decide such times to suit their aircraft movements in order to maximize their seat occupancy.

Giving Back to the Community Program

As part of our commitment to the local community, we will undertake to identify organizations in keeping with the philosophy of giving back to our host community. Specific details about the exact nature of these organizations will be communicated to tour members in future communications. On a strictly volunteer basis, we invite tour members to contribute to these worthy causes.

General Notes:

Upon reservation, we will send you a pre-trip packet including all necessary details regarding your day-by-day itinerary, what to bring, visa information, travel insurance applications and a suggested reading list.

VISAS:

Madagascar requires a visa, but So Africa only requires that travelers have a passport with at least six month validity beyond entry and one blank passport page.

To facilitate entry, Terra Nova Travel, will obtain all visas required for the group in advance of travel.

The baggage allowance on regional and/or charter flights are restricted to 15kg and 20kg (depending on country visited) per person in a soft bag, plus a day bag with a reasonable amount of photographic or video equipment. Any excess luggage may result in a traveler facing the additional cost, which must be settled directly.

Cancellations & Refunds

Cancellations for bookings must be made in writing and effective upon receipt of written notification. **Cancellations received before final payment will result in the forfeiture of your deposit. For cancellations after final payment has been made, no refund will be given.** All tours are subject to the minimum number required to operate the tour.

UNITED/SOUTH AFRICAN Airlines-

In addition to any airline penalties, Terra Nova Travel, LLC, has a \$100.00 administrative fee for any cancellation received prior to ticket issuance. Once the ticket has been issued, there is a \$250.00 administrative fee.

Trip cancellation insurance is highly advised to insure the entire cost of this trip. If insurance is declined, tour participants are required to sign an acknowledgement form declining trip insurance. (see below under Insurance.)

Refunds for Unused Portions of the Trip

If a passenger fails to join a tour or leaves before its end, no refund will be given. No partial refunds will be made regarding a client missing scheduled activities, meals, accommodations, etc. Mango/Terra Nova Travel, LLC reserves the right to deviate from

the published route without notice due to events including sickness or injury of clients or crew, local disturbances, unavoidable mechanical breakdown and other unpredictable and unforeseen circumstances.

*****IMPORTANT NOTE*****

While we endeavor to make the itinerary as accurate as possible, it should be considered as an approximate schedule of activities rather than a rigid schedule of events. Trip itineraries are subject to revision due to weather, trail conditions, government restrictions and other reasons beyond our control. In addition, frequent reconnaissance of routes sometimes determines a better routing - we do our best to ascertain that the most beautiful and best route possible is taken into the area. With regard to hotels/guesthouses/lodges, we occasionally must substitute accommodations due to local conditions beyond our control. Terms and Conditions of this trip are explained on the **RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK form, which must be signed and returned along with your Registration Form.**

Insurance

For your safety, Terra Nova Travel offers Travel Guard Insurance and requires all passengers to obtain travel insurance that includes emergency medical evacuation back home, major medical, trip interruption and loss of personal effects.

Trip Leaders

Christina Wilson is a National Tropical Botanical Garden member currently on the Board of Trustees. This will be her third trip which she has both organized and lead for NTBG.

Christina has been interested in traveling her entire life. In 1982 Christina took her first trip to Nepal and India. Since then, she has been going to every exotic place she can find in the world. Her goal is to visit all the interesting places including her own back yard during her lifetime. Christina worked with Outward Bound for many years and it was there, putting women's trips together, that she found her passion. Outward Bound taught her that it was the journey, not the destination that was important. Also, the importance of giving back to the community that she visits. A service project or contribution to local organizations are always included in planning her trips. Christina has led many trips all over the world. Her trips are usually small so that the group travels intimately and easily. For the last twenty years she has led many groups to interesting places, Peru, Bolivia, Ecuador, Asia, Tibet, Italy, England, Micronesia, Bali, Indonesia, just to name a few. Her most recent adventure was in January 2007 with a small group who toured Southern India.

Christina Wilson is also very involved in her family and garden. She now is making plans to take her grandsons on a trip of a lifetime. Her interest in gardening has been a passion for many years and tours of her gardens are very popular and keep her busy in the summer. She also enjoys serving on boards that involve conservation, art, garden conservation, and education.

Dr. David H Lorence will accompany the group as the National Tropical Botanical Garden's staff representative. Dr. David H. Lorence is Director of Science at the National Tropical Botanical Garden. His research specialties are systematics and floristics of tropical vascular plants. David's systematic research focuses on Pacific and tropical American members of the large and diverse Rubiaceae family, which includes coffee, quinine, and gardenias. He is the leading authority on the Monimiaceae family of the Malagasy and Mascarene region. His floristic research involves heading a multi-institutional collaboration on a Web-based "Vascular Flora of the Marquesas Islands" with the Smithsonian Institution and French Polynesian Delegation for Research. Floristic inventories and studies of the plants of Micronesia are another interest. David has carried out extensive fieldwork in Hawaii, Samoa, the Marquesas, Micronesia, New Caledonia, Mexico, and the Mascarene Islands and Malagasy region. He serves on the board of directors of the Heliconia Society International and curates NTBG's diverse living collections of Zingiberales and Rubiaceae. He is also editor of *Allertonia*, NTBG's series of occasional papers.

Local Madagascar and So African Guides/Resource People

In Madagascar local Forest guides with knowledge of the ecology and plants of Burmese will accompany the group at each location.

Additional resource persons will be invited to address the group giving an overview of the Madagascar culture and history as well as botany of the area.

In South Africa, you will have local guides for the general sightseeing. At Kirstenbosch you will have a private tour of the gardens. Grootbos maintains their own resident guides who are experts on the unique indigenous flora and fauna of the Western Cape.

The Person Organizing Your Trip at Terra Nova Travel, LLC

Nancy Pole-Wilhite has worked as a travel consultant since 1978, specializing in exotic destinations. Since 1999 she has been an independent agent/trip designer operating her own company, Terra Nova Travel, LLC. Her keen interest in adventure travel and endangered cultures lead to her connection with Christina Wilson. For the last ten years she and Christina have collaborated on such trips as Baja kayaking, a trek to Macchu Picchu and both NTBG Friends' trips to Bhutan in 2002 and Thailand/Myanmar in 2004. Nancy has traveled several times to Southern Africa and has organized numerous trips for clients through Mango Safaris.

Nancy has a BA from the University of California at Berkeley in English Literature and French. Her passion for Renaissance literature and art extends into the music world. For the past fifteen years she has been a member of the liturgical choir, Cantores in Ecclesia. www.cantoresinecclesia.org. Cantores is devoted to the performance of polyphonic music from the Renaissance as well as Gregorian Chant. She also enjoys cooking French and ethnic food, as well as gardening.

Nancy will serve as your travel resource person in the USA. She will be available to answer your travel questions regarding the “nuts and bolts” of this trip. Please visit our website at www.terrannotour.com.

Mango Safaris

Started in 1998 by Teresa Isabelle and Casey Gamba, Mango has grown to become a leader in the luxury and adventure travel industry. Casey and Teresa have been organizing, guiding safaris and exploring remote corners of Madagascar, East and Southern Africa for the past nine years. They have worked and traveled with many different local tour companies. This on-the-ground knowledge and experience has built strong relationships with lodge, transfer and charter companies. In the last three years, they have also added the Indian Ocean island destinations to their portfolio. Mango has been included as one of the featured operators in Outside Magazine for their '40 New Trips of a Lifetime' and National Geographic Traveler in 'Tours of a Lifetime, 50 of the World's Best'. Mango enjoys planning customized journeys for a number of special interest groups like the NTBG.

MANGO & TERRA NOVA TRAVEL CUSTOM GROUP RESERVATION FORM

To be included in this adventure of a lifetime, complete the reservation form (1 form per person) and send it to us with a **nonrefundable deposit of \$3000.00 per person** for the land cost. Please send reservation checks made out to **Terra Nova Travel LLC, 2154 NW Aspen Ave Portland OR 97210. Please include a photo copy of your passport with these forms.**

DEPOSIT ENCLOSED _____ SINGLE SUPPLEMENT PLEASE INDICATE YES NO
The balance of your payment is due July 11, 2008.

Cancellations for bookings must be made in writing and effective upon receipt of written notification. Cancellations received before July 11, 2008 result in forfeiture of your deposit. For cancellations after final payment, no refund will be given. Trip cancellation insurance is strongly recommended.

All prices are based on double occupancy for hotels and lodges. All prices are subject to change at any time due to currency fluctuations or other circumstances beyond Mango's & Terra Nova Travel LLC's control. FIT/custom trips are itemized per individual itinerary specifics.

It is your responsibility to ensure that passports, visas, health certificates, inoculations or other documentation required for the trip are obtained and in order. It is your responsibility to meet any additional costs incurred by yourself (or by Mango/Terra Nova Travel on your behalf) as a result of any failure to comply with such requirements.

Destination _____
Departure Date _____
Sharing With _____ Bed preference _____
Or Single _____
Name (As appears on passport) _____
Nationality _____
Passport # _____ Expiration _____
Address _____ City _____
State _____ Zip _____ Email _____
Telephone (Home) _____ (Work) _____
(Cell) _____ Fax _____
Birth Date _____ Sex _____
Height _____ Weight _____ Dietary requirements _____
Allergies _____ Drink preferences _____
Mens T-Shirt Size _____ Ladies T-Shirt Size _____
Frequent Flyer Account; _____
Airline _____ Frequent Flyer Number _____
Originating City _____ Seating preference _____

In Case of Emergency, Please Contact: _____
Phone: _____ Email: _____

I have read, understand and accept the Mango Terms/Terra Nova Travel, LLC and Conditions Agreement, and Limit of Liability.

Signature _____ Date _____

LIMITS OF LIABILITY FORM

LIMITS OF LIABILITY:

Terra Nova Travel &Mango Safaris, LLC, dba Mango African Safaris (hereafter referred to as MANGO), its owners, employees, and agents give notice that they are acting only as the agent for the travel suppliers which furnish the means of transportation whether by plane, motorcoach, ship, and/or all other related travel services. TERRA NOVA TRAVEL & MANGO assume no responsibility for bodily injury, accident, emotional trauma, death, loss or damage, annoyance, delays, or irregularity, and/or expenses occurring directly or indirectly as a result of Act of God, detention, quarantine, strikes, thefts, pilferage, force majeure, failure of any means of conveyance to arrive or depart as scheduled, civil uprising or disturbances, strikes, military uprising, terrorism, revolt, government restrictions, regulations, and discrepancies or changes occurring in either the country of origin, destination or through passage affecting transit, tour or hotel services. Reasonable changes in the itinerary may be made by TERRA NOVA TRAVEL & MANGO with no advance notice when deemed advisable for the comfort and well being of the travelers.

Client initial: _____

ASSUMPTION OF RISK:

I am aware that travel in remote areas of the world involves hazardous activities. I am voluntarily participating in these activities with the knowledge of the dangers involved and hereby agree to accept any risks. This trip involves numerous risks and dangers including, but not limited to: accommodations, all means of conveyance; forces of nature; civil unrest; terrorism; accident of illness in remote regions without means of rapid evacuation or availability of medical supplies and facilities; the adequacy of any evacuation plan, medical care, equipment or supplies that may be provided. I realize that this complete Assumption of Risk is a material consideration to TERRA NOVA TRAVEL & MANGO for arranging any travel plans for me. I verify that I understand and accept this statement.

Client initial: _____

RELEASE:

As a material consideration for being permitted by Terra Nova Travel & MANGO to participate in these activities, I hereby agree on behalf of myself, my heirs, executors, administrators, personal or legal representatives or any other person and/or entity claiming through me to indemnify and hold MANGO and any of its affiliated organizations harmless from any and all claims, demands, actions for bodily injury, accident, emotional trauma, death, loss or damage, however caused, which occurs during the travel arranged through TERRA NOVA TRAVEL & MANGO. I forever release TERRA NOVA TRAVEL & MANGO and any of its affiliated organizations from any and all liability arising out of or connected in any way with my participation on the trip.

Client initial: _____

AGREEMENT TO ARBITRATION:

If a controversy arises which relates in any respect to Terra Nova Travel & MANGO and its affiliate organizations and/or travel arrangements provided by Terra Nova Travel & MANGO to the undersigned, Terra Nova Travel & MANGO and the agree that such controversy shall be settled by binding arbitration in accordance with the Commercial Arbitration Rules of the American Arbitration Association. The selection of Arbitrator(s) shall be as set forth in said Rules. The choice of laws shall be as set forth in laws of the State of Colorado. The venue for any such arbitration hearing shall be in the City and County of Denver. Client expressly waives the right to remove the arbitration hearing to any other venue. Judgement upon the award rendered by the Arbitrator (s) may be entered in any Colorado court having jurisdiction thereof.

Client initial: _____

KNOWING AND VOLUNTARY EXECUTION:

My signature below certifies that I have carefully read and fully understand the contents of this agreement including the Terms and Conditions, especially those regarding cancellation and refund policies, limitation of liability, and responsibility borne by trip participants. On the advance of a deposit to Terra Nova Travel & MANGO, the depositor, his or her family and heirs agree to be bound by the above Terms and Conditions. I understand this is a legally binding and enforceable contract and sign it of my own free will.

Signature (1) _____ Date _____
Signature (2) _____ Date _____