

CHAPTER XVIII

TOURISM

Tourists to  
be encouraged

18.01 a. The tourist industry has become a vital part of Canada's national economy. Tourists are welcome to Canada.

b. In monetary value, the tourist industry amounts to several hundreds of millions of dollars annually.

c. The cultural aspects of a prosperous tourist trade are of far-reaching importance.

Admissibility  
of Tourists

18.02 Tourists are admissible to Canada as non-immigrants and visas, when requested, may be granted without prior reference, see Chapter IX.

Canadian  
Government  
Travel  
Bureau

18.03 a. The Canadian Government Travel Bureau is a division of the Department of Trade and Commerce.

b. The Travel Bureau publishes booklets, maps, etc., which may be obtained upon application.

c. The Travel Bureau maintains a staff of experts on various aspects of tourism. Inquiries concerning specific questions or particular areas may be directed to the Travel Bureau. A close liaison is maintained with Provincial tourist agencies.

Current  
Publications

18.04 Current publications of the Travel Bureau include:

"How to enter Canada", which contains information regarding conditions of entry, customs, regulations, aircraft and automobile regulations, admission of pets and plants.