

which they are qualified, and whose occupation or profession is among those approved under the FTA may be included in this category.

Proof of Canadian citizenship, as well as a letter from the U.S. employer and supporting documents that show the nature and length of activity in which the traveller will be engaged, the arrangements for remuneration, educational or other appropriate credentials, and proof that all state laws and licencing requirements are met, must be provided. A processing fee of US \$50 is payable upon application at a U.S. point of entry. Qualified applicants will then be accorded written permission to work.

Traders and Investors ("E" visas)

This category includes traders who work in a Canadian-owned or controlled firm in the U.S. that carries on substantial trade in goods or services principally between Canada and the United States, and investors who have invested in or are in the process of investing a substantial amount of capital in an enterprise in the United States.

To qualify, the trader must hold a supervisory or executive position or possess skills essential to the operation of the firm located in the United States; an investor must develop and direct the operation of the enterprise. Traders and investors are required to apply

for a U.S. non-immigrant visa, for which there is a \$40 processing fee, at a U.S. Consulate before leaving Canada. Proof of Canadian citizenship is required and possession of a Canadian passport is recommended.

In addition to the United States Embassy (Ottawa, Ontario, Tel: 613-238-5335), the following U.S. Consulates General in Canada may be contacted for further information on business travel to the United States:

- Vancouver, B.C., Tel: (604) 685-4311;
- Calgary, Alta., Tel: (403) 266-8962
- Toronto, Ont., Tel: (416) 595-1700;
- Montreal, Que., Tel: (514) 281-1886;
- Quebec City, Que., Tel: (418) 692-2095; and
- Halifax, N.S., Tel: (902) 429-2480.

Port Directors, U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service, may be contacted at:

- Blaine, Washington, Tel: (206) 332-8511/8512;
- Sweetgrass, Montana, Tel: (406) 335-2911;
- Detroit, Michigan, Tel: (313) 226-3290;
- Buffalo, New York, Tel: (716) 885-3367;
- Alexandria Bay, New York, Tel: (315) 482-2681;
- Ogdensburg, New York, Tel: (315) 393-0770;
- Champlain, New York, Tel: (518) 298-3221/8433;
- Houlton, Maine, Tel: (207) 532-2906; and
- Calais, Maine, Tel: (207) 454-2546/2547.