

vii. holders of a permit to enter Canada, in force for the time being, in form A of schedule one to this Act, signed by the Minister or by some person duly authorized: Holders of permit to enter Canada. Provided that whenever in the opinion of the Minister or Superintendent of Immigration or Board of Inquiry or officer acting as such, any person has been improperly included in any of the non-immigrant classes, or has ceased to belong to any of such classes, such person shall thereupon be considered an immigrant within the meaning of this Act and subject to all the provisions of this Act respecting immigrants seeking to enter Canada; Proviso.

(h) "family" includes father and mother, and children under eighteen years of age; "Family."

(i) "head of family" means the father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister upon whom the other members of the family are mainly dependent for support; "Head of family."

(j) "passenger" means a person lawfully on board any ship, vessel, railway train, vehicle or other contrivance for travel, or transport, and also includes any person riding, walking or otherwise travelling across any international bridge or highway; but shall not be held to include the master or other person in control or command of such vessel, ship, railway train, vehicle, bridge, highway or other contrivance for travel or transport, or any member of the crew or staff thereof; or military or naval forces and their families who are carried at the expense of the Government of the United Kingdom, or the Government of any British Dominion or Colony: Proviso. Provided that any member of the crew of a ship or of the staff of a railway train or other contrivance for travel or transport who deserts or is discharged in Canada from his ship or railway train or other contrivance for travel or transport shall thereupon be considered a passenger within the meaning of this Act;

(k) "stowaway" means a person who goes to sea secreted in a ship without the consent of the master or other person in charge of the ship, or of a person entitled to give such consent; or a person who travels on any railway train or other vehicle without the consent of the conductor or other person authorized to give such consent; "Stowaway."

(l) "ship" or "vessel" includes every boat and craft of any kind whatsoever for travel or transport other than by land; "Ship."

(m) "master" means any person in command of a ship or vessel; "Master."

(n) "owner" as applied to a ship or vessel includes the charterers of such ship or vessel and the agent of the owner or charterer thereof; "Owner."

(o) "port of entry" means any port, railway station or place in Canada at which there is an officer and where inspection of immigrants may be carried on; "Port of entry."

(p) "land," "landed" or "landing," as applied to passengers or immigrants, means their lawful admission into Canada; "Landed."