

During what hours and days are gasoline stations closed in Canada?

A. Gasoline stations in Canada are required by law to close every evening at 7 p.m. with the exception of those stations five miles or more beyond city limits which are allowed, but not required, to remain open on Saturday night until 9 p.m. All gasoline stations must remain closed throughout Sunday and on statutory holidays and are not permitted to reopen at the sale of gasoline before 7 a.m. on any morning.

Q. In what way gasoline is being produced for use by American visitors of credit cards at certain filling stations?

A. No credit cards may be used in the purchasing of gasoline at any filling station in Canada.

Q. Is a visitor to Canada permitted to bring gasoline into Canada whether or not in a tank which is an integral part of the taxi? Can containers be carried?

A. A visitor may bring gasoline, up to maximum capacity, in the regular tank of his car, but is not permitted to carry any extra gasoline in supplementary tanks or in containers to both the car and other than the regular tank provided for that purpose.

Q. How does an American visitor obtain for business purposes obtain a supplementary license of gasoline?

A. Any person who can qualify as a non-resident business man who may visit Canada for business purposes should write in advance to the nearest consular office in Canada stating the purpose of his visit, the length of stay in Canada, and supplying documentation to support the claim, in the nature of a statement from his employer or business associate. Supplementary licenses of gasoline under this license are usually restricted to more or less one business day. A reasonable application that the claim is accurate, the regional oil control office will mail to the applicant a non-resident application form for license carrying in business which must be completed and returned together with the motor vehicle permit issued by the state in which the vehicle is registered and a registration fee of one dollar. If the application is approved the applicant will be registered for gasoline privileges, and a gasoline license and motor coupon book, containing the appropriate coupon allowances, will be issued in respect of the said application.

Q. What factors usually justify the granting of such supplementary allowances?

A. The usual criterion is that of bona fide business.

Q. What provisions are there for business visitors to obtain gasoline for pleasure boats and pleasure motor cars for use at summer resorts and camps?

A. On application a special one-time motor application form for non-commercial pleasure engines will be furnished to the applicant. This form must be properly completed and returned to the Toronto regional oil control office, 26 George Avenue, Toronto, accompanied by gasoline privilege registration fee of one dollar, together with allowances for the period varying from 15 units to 18 units, depending