Bon Voyage, but...

Information for Canadians Travelling Abroad

Canadians travel outside Canada for business, pleasure and other reasons. Most enjoy a trouble-free trip but others encounter difficulties varying from loss of a passport to lengthy detention in a foreign jail.

This booklet is based on the idea that careful preparation will do much to ensure your trip will be trouble-free. The sections, for example, on safe handling of passports and other important documents; on avoiding the more common problems with foreign laws and regulations; on dual nationality; on where to turn for help in case of serious difficulty, contain information you will find valuable before and during your trip.

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