

Belize <i>Customs Information</i>	
Documents Required	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Passport ➤ Residence Permit or Work Permit is required for non-nationals ➤ Inventory ➤ QRP - Qualified Retired Person (inquire with destination agent or Belize Tourist Board)
Customs Regulations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ CUSTOMER MUST BE PRESENT FOR CUSTOMS CLEARANCE ✓ Used household goods and personal effects imported duty-free if owned and used for a minimum of one year ✓ Belize nationals must have been out of the country for at least one year to be entitled to duty-free entry of household goods and personal effects. ✓ Items must arrive within six months of owner's arrival. ✓ New wood items, including furniture, require an import permit
Motor Vehicles	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Autos are examined by Customs for valuation depending on their condition and year of manufacture. ➤ Ownership papers required ➤ Duties applicable ➤ Boats require Import Permit (Permit is very difficult to obtain for boats made of wood) ➤ Autos imported from the USA should have a US Customs Investigation for Theft stamp
Dutiable / Restricted Items	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ New items (less than one year old) are dutiable and purchase invoice required ✓ New items that are duty-free include: refrigerators, computers, stoves and most sports items ✓ Bicycles are subject to a 8% sales tax and a 1% environmental tax