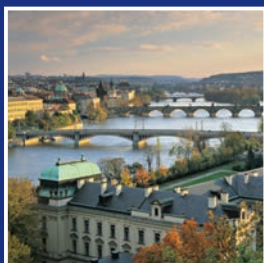


# All the right moves – Czech Republic



**Britannia**

REMOVALS, STORAGE AND INTERNATIONAL SHIPPING



# Welcome To Britannia In The Czech Republic

## Britannia In The Czech Republic

Britannia can offer you a door to door service to the Czech Republic, and can either transport your effects by shared load (groupage) or by full container load overland. In addition we can offer a door to door airfreight service. Our agents in the Czech Republic will arrange customs clearance, and deliver and unpack the effects, including removal of debris on the day of delivery.

## Importing Personal Effects

The UK has now left the EU and therefore new rules apply to movement of goods between the UK and EU Countries. Please bear in mind that all shipments to the EU from the UK will now have to clear customs on arrival and you must ensure you can provide all relevant customs documents required at destination. Your contact at your local Britannia office will assist you with which forms are necessary along with what supporting documentation you will need to provide. However, the responsibility for completion and submission of these forms now falls with the customer and it is advisable that all these formalities are prepared for prior to the move to avoid potential delays in transportation and additional charges.

## Documentation

It is important that you clarify what documentation is required for entry of your goods into any EU country. Now the UK has left the EU there are new regulations that are applicable. Britannia will assist you with documentation requirements for your chosen destination and any prohibitions that apply. You should always disclose a full and clear list of items that you require moving in order to take advantage of Britannia's expertise in this important area. There are restrictions on transporting some classes of goods across borders and within some countries. Several countries restrict the value or volume/weight of goods such as alcohol, tobacco and cigarettes. Failure to adhere to regulations that apply to each country may result in large fines plus the costs of delays to the vehicle and costs to any third parties who are thus also affected.

## Prohibitions And Restrictions

In general it is in your interest not to import the following items:

- Firearms & ammunition
- Inflammable goods & substances
- Plants & plant material
- Foodstuffs, perishables or otherwise

- Narcotics and dangerous goods
- Objectionable and indecent material

Despite the 'free market' of the European Union there are restrictions in transporting some classes of goods across borders and within some countries. Several countries restrict the value or volume/weight of such goods as alcohol, tobacco and cigarettes. Recent changes to legislation in Europe means that it is now forbidden to travel through France en route to other countries in any vehicle carrying more than a minimal amount of cigarettes or alcohol. If a vehicle is stopped and searched and these are found amongst household effects there are huge fines plus the costs of delays to the vehicle and costs to any third parties who are thus also affected.

## Transit Times

Transit times can vary subject to the method of transport chosen (by road van/container or by air), size of your consignment and the final destination. Britannia will advise you once this information is established.

## Tracking Consignment

All groupage consignments will be bar coded before they are loaded into the shipping container. This will ensure that no items are left at origin and will allow Britannia to check the status of your goods in transit.

## Additional Services

Britannia can provide a variety of complementary services to make your moving experience as efficient and easy as possible. From International foreign exchange to helping you relocate your family's pets. For further information about Britannia's partner companies please visit - <http://www.britannia-movers.co.uk/additional-services>

## Motor Vehicles

Motor vehicles can be imported duty and tax free subject to re-exportation. During the temporary importation period the motor vehicle cannot be sold. All vehicles must not be older than 8 years of age from the date of manufacture and also must not be younger than 12 months of age. Your local Britannia Member will be able to provide further advice for the importation of your motor vehicle.

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