



CONSULATE GENERAL FOR THE REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

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REQUIREMENTS FOR THE REPATRIATION OF HUMAN REMAINS TO TRINIDAD & TOBAGO

- Two (2) original copies of Death Certificate;
- Two (2) original copies of the Medical Certificate of Death;
- Burial Permit;
- Certificate verifying the embalming of corpse in accordance with health regulations;
- A letter from the Health Department stating that there was no communicable disease (including COVID-19) at the time of death;
- Certificate for shipment of a body outside of the Province of Ontario;
- Letter from the Board of Funeral Services indicating that the Funeral Director's License is valid and in good standing;
- **Original Trinidad and Tobago* Passport of the deceased** (even if said passport is expired):
- Name, Address, Phone and Facsimile number of Consignee;
- Letter from the funeral home indicating tentative travel arrangements (Airline schedule and the name, address and phone number of person and or funeral home receiving the remains);
- Money order payable to the 'Consulate General of Trinidad and Tobago' in the amount of **CDN\$20.00**; and
- A Letter from the Consulate General/Embassy confirming the authenticity of the above mentioned documents for the transportation of the human remains (will be provided by the Consulate once approval has been granted by the authorities in Trinidad and Tobago).

**If a valid or expired Trinidad and Tobago passport cannot be provided, a Canadian passport can be submitted but it must be accompanied by the deceased's Trinidad and Tobago birth certificate.*

N.B. With effect from July 1st, 2022, a negative COVID-19 test ceased to be a requirement for the entry of human remains into Trinidad and Tobago. However, if the deceased died as a result of COVID-19, please contact the Consulate for further guidance.

For further information, please call (416) 495-9443 ext. 235 or 260.