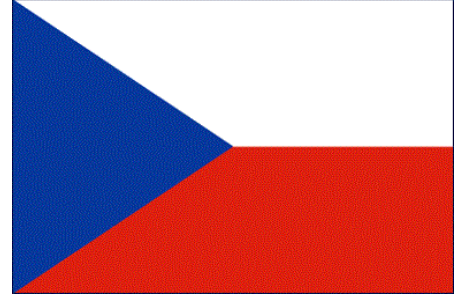


# Country Guide: Czech Republic



## Used Household Goods and Personal Effects

### Documents Required

1. Passport
2. Packing list
3. Inventory list
4. Copy of lease agreement
5. Letter of employment
6. Original bill of lading (OBL) / air waybill (AWB)
7. Czech ID card (instead of a lease agreement for Czech nationals)
8. Customs import declaration provided by the local embassy (diplomats)

### Specific Information

1. Shipments are duty free if documentation requirements are met.

## Motor Vehicles

### Documents Required

1. Passport
2. Packing list
3. Inventory list
4. Copy of lease agreement
5. Letter of employment
6. Czech ID card (instead of rental contract for Czech nationals)
7. Vehicle title
8. Original OBL / AWB
9. Purchase invoice
10. Vehicle operations manual

### Specific Information

1. Vehicles must pass a Czech technical inspection (STK).
2. Vehicles passing inspection will be issued a certificate valid for 3 months to allow time for registration; the operations manual and technical specifications of the vehicle are required.
3. Persons residing in the Czech Republic for more than 12 months must register motor vehicles.
4. Vehicles must be less than 5 years old for some types of vehicles and 8 years old for others.
5. The import tax is CZK 10,000; however, an import tax is not required if the owner of the goods has resided abroad for at least 12 months and has used it within the 6 months prior to importation.

## Pets

### Documents Required

1. Vaccination record
2. Veterinary health certificate

### Specific Information

1. Pets must be identifiable through tattoo or an electronic identification system.

## Restricted/Dutiable Items

1. Coats, fur, leather shoes made of animal products from protected species (authorization required).

2. Medication for personal use only is permitted.
3. Limits by land: cigarettes (40), cigarillos (20), cigars (10), smoking tobacco (50 g)
4. Limits by air or sea: cigarettes \*200), cigarillos (100), cigars (50), smoking tobacco (250 g)
5. Items for personal use of a non-commercial nature may be imported within the limits indicated:
  - Air or sea: 430 euro
  - Land: 300 euro
  - Age 15 and younger 150 euro
6. There are no restrictions currently from another EU country; other countries must not exceed 10,000 euro.
7. Food products may be permitted if in original sealed container; check with destination agent for further details.
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## Prohibited Items

1. Meat and dairy products from non-EU countries; some exceptions apply.
2. Protected species and products identified by CITES (e.g., ivory, tortoise shells, etc.).