## All the Right Moves - Canary Islands



















# Welcome To Britannia In The Canary Islands

#### Britannia in the Canary Islands

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

#### **Importing Personal Effects**

Shipments of used household and personal effects may be imported duty free provided the shipper has owned and used them prior to shipment. Your local Britannia Member will provide you with detailed customs regulations.

All necessary documentation must be completed and submitted when requested, before your shipment is dispatched. Please note that you must be in the country in order to successfully complete all customs clearance procedures.

#### **Documentation**

Britannia and our agents will assist you with completion of customs formalities. To assist us with this please let us have a copy of your passport (and visa if applicable).

The required documentation will be supplied to you on arrival. To avoid any potential additional charges and delays it is advisable that relevant forms are completed and returned promptly to our Agents. The most important requirement is your NIE (National Identification Certificate).

### **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
- Offensive material

#### **Transit Times**

Groupage or shared containers usually take an average of 7-9 weeks door to door. However, this can vary depending on volumes being shipped, customs or immigration delays and prevailing weather conditions. Sole use container loads take on average 4-6 weeks door to door.

#### **Computer Tracking**

Through satellite and computer technology we are able to monitor the progress of your consignment.

#### **Bar Coding**

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.

#### **Domestic Pets**

Britannia can recommend a specialised shipper of animals to assist you in sending your family pet(s) from home to home. They will coordinate all documentation and necessary veterinary procedures.

#### **Motor Vehicles**

The import of Motor Vehicles is comparatively simple, though you will have to pay import tax. Your local Britannia Member can give you more information if you wish to ship your vehicle.

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