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DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENTS

REGULATION IN OBTAINING YOUR DOCUMENTATION AS OF NOVEMBER 2012

You must go to the nearest Mexican Consulate in the area you are moving from to start the process of obtaining your Immigration documentation.

You can no longer start the process in Mexico.

Please speak to us personally for added information on how we can bring your goods into Mexico prior to getting your Documentation as the current regulations are continuing being updated.

1. Photocopy of the passport (photo page) of the person we are using for documentation.
2. Photocopy of Mexican Visa or Immigrante card (both sides) of the person above
3. If you have items in excess of normal quantities, you will need a separate letter explaining that these items are not for resale but for personal use such as craft items, hobby items, etc... See Excess Items Authorization Request letter in the Forms section.
4. A signed letter that is in Spanish that we will compose and send to you.
5. A list of all make, model and serial numbers for your items that include but are not limited to electronic items with plug or battery.
6. Inventory of what you are bringing into Mexico. (Currently Temporal Visa holder do not need to get the “ Meneje de Casa” approved by the Mexican Consulate. If you have a Permanente Visa or if you are a Mexican National please discuss this with us)
7. Stamped Meneje de Casa for all Permanente Visa Holders
8. Clients arriving by port of Mexico need an approved Menaje de Casa from a Mexican Consulate.
9. Mexican nationals are required to have an approved Menaje de Casa from a Mexican Consulate.

SHIPPING RULES BE SURE YOUR SHIPMENT DOES NOT CONTAIN ANY OF THE FOLLOWING.

- All keys and combinations **MUST** be discussed with us prior to shipment. We need to have these in our possession when crossing the border with your items. This is a **MUST** for inspection purposes, without them, damage could occur and/or your household belongings may not be able to cross the border and therefore cause you additional expenses.

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- 85% of payment must be made prior to your trailer arriving at our warehouse in Laredo, TX. Please make sure you have made arrangements with us.
- We must have all the proper documentation and scanned copies of your documents before we can cross your goods into Mexico.

The following may **NOT** be shipped due to cross-border regulations. In the event that you do and they are discovered at the border, your belongings could be confiscated and you will be fined or face possible imprisonment. It is not worth taking the chance, **so be sure your shipment does not contain any of the following:**

- Flammables - BBQ butane/propane bottles, lighters, lighting fluid, gas cans, matches, etc.
- Live plants
- Cleaning supplies and toiletries (that includes any type of cleaners, shampoo, mouthwash, perfumes etc.)
- No car seats from your vehicle
- Food (that includes all food in cans, bags, no spices, etc.)
- Firearms or weapons (which also includes bullets or any other type of ammunition, empty cartridges, holsters, cleaning equipment, pellet guns and accessories, machetes, bow and arrows etc., or even toy guns)
- Pornography (this includes photographs, artwork, magazines or videos)
- Drugs (including any over-the-counter pills and medications such as aspirin, vitamins, etc.)
- Alcohol or any type of liquor (no alcoholic beverages)
- Oils (cooking, motor vehicle or oil candles)
- New items under six (6) months of age (Heavy fines will apply) Please discuss any new items with us as we may be able to pay duty and bring those items into Mexico along with your used household goods.
- Cloth material in bulk (such as fabric)
- Mounted animals, birds, etc. (taxidermy items)
- Valuable jewelry, coins, stamps or any other extremely valuable items (these should be transported by you)
- Items of excess such as craft items. If you do have these in excess please discuss this with us.

What You Can And Can't Bring Into Mexico **Via Air**

What can be brought freely in your personal luggage

- Personal items such as clothing, footwear, personal medication and toiletries.
- One camera and or one video camera per person
- Other personal electronic items (one only), including cell phones, laptops, copiers, walkmans, radios, MP3 players, etc. (PC's are not included and are subject to duty.)

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- One set of binoculars per person.
- Up to 12 videocassettes either blank or recorded on. Up to five DVD's or laser disks.
- Up to 20 CD's or audiocassettes.
- A moderate amount of books or magazines, just so long as they're not so much that customs officials believe they are going to be resold in Mexico.
- Up to five toys, as long as they're small enough to be carried by one person.
- One musical instrument per person.
- If you are with a handicapped or otherwise disabled person, then whatever items need to be carried to assist them (wheelchairs, oxygen tanks, etc.)
- Adults can bring in 20 Packages of cigars or cigarettes of no more than 25 cigars/cigarettes each, or 200 grams of loose tobacco.
- Adults only: up to three liters of wine, beer, and liquor.
- Any other items (new or used) with a combined value of 300 dollars. This means you can bring a second camera, radio, etc, on your person, just as long as the combined worth of all these items are less than 300 dollars.

What needs to be declared (Via AIR Travel)

- Over 300 dollars worth of other items: the first 300 dollars worth won't be taxed, but the remaining difference will be. The tax will be calculated by global rate of 15 percent, as well as other formulas used by customs office. If an item is worth over 1,000 dollars, contact Customs official to learn what regulations need to be abided by.
- Animals and agricultural products.
- More than 10,000 dollars or the monetary equivalent in hard cash, checks, money orders, or any combination of the above.
- Firearms and cartridges need permission from both the Economic Secretary and the National Defense Secretary. For more information, check their websites at www.economia.gob.mx and www.sedena.gob.mx.

What's illegal to bring into Mexico:

- Narcotics and insecticides.
- Live predatory fish of any kind.
- Child pornography of any kind.
- Animal and agricultural products such as straw, hay, animal urine, fresh meat, and quarantined foods from non-North American countries, to prevent the spread of disease. For more information, check www.sagarpa.gob.mx.

Each shipment and documentation that is crossing the border goes through a double stop light system where a first "Red Light" means that the shipment must be thoroughly checked. As of March 2001, all Household Inventories have been receiving at least one "Red Light" due to people transporting illegal items such as guns or associated paraphernalia (even spent shells). Custom Agents are only doing their job and it is the foreigners coming into Mexico that have created the current problems. The second light is a 10% random light, which picks the shipments that have to be checked a second time. If your shipment gets a second "RED LIGHT" and there are any additional charges then it is your responsibility to bear these costs.

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When a shipment receives a “Red Light”, custom agents **WILL** check every make, model and serial number of each electronic item, appliance, tools, etc. They may totally empty the trailer and search all boxes. They are not always careful in how they reload the shipment and that is why we strongly recommend having your goods wrapped specifically for an International move and shipping in lift vans to avoid damage to your goods.

Fines are imposed in the event of new items not being declared, illegal items, items not listed on your inventory and incorrect model or serial number. If you have in your shipment a new item that you did not declare nor paid the appropriate duties and taxes prior to crossing, then a large fine will be imposed. Your shipment will **NOT** be able to move until that fine is paid in full and customs **WILL** confiscate the item(s) that are new. Please talk to us about any new items you wish to ship so we can get the proper documents needed for customs.

If any item (new or used) is packed in its original box, you **MUST** have the original invoice proving that it is more than 6 months of age. If you cannot produce the original receipt they will assess the item(s) as being new and the duty and taxes must be paid. In other words, it is not recommended to package **ANYTHING** in its original box.

It is **VERY IMPORTANT** to make sure that all make, model and serial numbers on your Inventory are correct for all your electronics, appliances, tools, etc... because they check these very closely. If a model or serial number is incorrect, even by a reversed or missed number, customs may impose a fine. All items with a make, model or serial number, which includes but not limited to items with a plug or battery must be listed.

Some items like electric or gas golf carts are not allowed into the country unless it is your profession (i.e.: golf pro). Before you bring anything that might be in excess or unusual, please check with us because it is entirely up to Border Customs to decide what is allowed in and what is not. If you want to purchase something **NEW** and pay duty, **CHECK** with us **FIRST**. It can be very expensive to bring in new items, sometimes up to 50% of its value. If you have items for your hobby such as craft items that are in more than 5 boxes, then we may need a special letter with your Inventory stating that these items are for your hobby and not for resale (see Forms section).

When doing your inventory list, read over the examples carefully. Inventory lists are general and you should not be too specific in how you list your items. For example, if you were packing Waterford Crystal you would list it as glasses (vasos). They do not care what type of glassware or china it is. However, you **CANNOT** use the word “Miscellaneous” because it is just too general and covers too wide a range of what it could be.

We had to go through a move to Mexico ourselves, so we truly understand how it might feel overwhelming. If you are unsure about our instructions regarding packing or listing an item on your inventory please do not hesitate to ask. No question is bothersome. We prefer that our clients know the correct answer, which in turn makes your move much easier for both of us and helps eliminate any potential problems.

Deposits and wire transfers must be made in the USA. We work in US Funds because everything we pay for is also in US Funds. We have set up our Terms of Payment differently than most moving

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companies. Most moving companies require you to pay 100% upon confirmation. We do not require this. We allow a 15% hold back to be paid upon arrival of your belongings as a gesture of good faith.

Very Important New Regulation - Read Very Carefully!

Most people feel that because they are moving to Mexico, officials can be bribed or that things are just not as strict. **This is completely wrong!**

CUSTOMS RULES ARE VERY STRICT AND THEIR AGENTS ARE VERY COMPLIANT.

As of January 2004, Mexican Customs have implemented a new regulation regarding shipments with the following items:

- Items that are not declared as new when these items are less than six (6) months of age, or older than six (6) months of age.
- Items that are in their original box without a supporting receipt showing the retail company Tax Id Number and the date indicating it is older than six (6) months.
- Electronics and appliances large or small (including small kitchen appliances and any item that has a make, model or serial number) that do not have their make, model or serial number listed.

If these items are valued to a total of \$30,000 pesos or more (not quite US\$3,000), the shipment will be classified as **contraband** and will be confiscated PLUS the client may be jailed.

IF YOU HAVE FINE ART THAT IS ROLLED AND IN CYLINDERS, WE NEED TO KNOW THIS SO THAT A SPECIAL PERMIT IS OBTAINED.

If you would like to purchase something new, **BEFORE YOU DO, PLEASE** call us to see if there are any restrictions on the items. Many items have restrictions and it may not be worth your time and money to get the special authorizations and permits. We **MUST** make this a “new item(s)” declaration and pay the appropriate duty and taxes **BEFORE** the shipment reaches the border for crossing.

DO NOT take these new regulations lightly. Customs is serious and many moving companies have had serious problems when crossing the border. Strom-White Moving has been 100% compliant since inception and we have had no problems, however, we have had some clients in the past that felt they could go ahead and purchase a small item and it would sneak past. This is **NOT** the case. If you attempt to do so, this will only alert Customs to check your shipment closer and place you in an extremely High Risk position.

We understand that while preparing to come to Mexico many of our clients just lose steam in the packing phase. This is why we stress that you start the process of taking down all make, model and serial numbers of all your corded appliances and electronics (large or small), as soon as you make the decision to move.

PACKING SUGGESTIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Your personal belongings are important to you. Since we are not responsible for the condition that your personal items arrive we strongly recommend that you hire a local moving company to pack your belongings for an INTERNATIONAL MOVE. Below are a few other suggestions and recommendations:

- In shipping furniture our experience is to first, corrugate cardboard wrap and then shrink-wrap all furniture. The shrink-wrap (or plastic-wrap) is to protect against rubs caused by friction movements during transit.
- Remove all legs of furniture and place in drawers if possible. Roads in Mexico may not be in the same condition as Upper North America, so the drive could be a HARD BUMPY one and items could rub and bounce more. Once again, shrink-wrap helps eliminate rub marks. Rub marks are a normal hazard in shipping.
- Make sure that **ALL** boxes have your box number written on the sides **CONSPICUOUSLY**. **THE BOX NUMBER MUST CORRESPOND WITH THE INVENTORY LIST. If FRAGILE, please mark with “Fragil” and use up arrows.**
- Place in one box all instructions and hardware to furniture, then label the box as such. This will make it much easier for you to locate all items.
- Crate all fine art, mirrors, glass tabletops and lamps. When loading, these items need to be placed on edge and against one of the trailer sidewalls, securely fastened.
- Place bed mattresses and box springs in appropriate boxes or plastic.
- Furniture made of particleboard does not travel well in any country let alone in Mexico. These items frequently break because of vibration (not mishandling). If you must ship this type of furniture, do so only disassemble.
- Lampshades become brittle with continuous heating and cooling, therefore moving can cause them to deteriorate or disintegrate.
- There are times inventory lists have been questioned. It is usually when more than 2 (two) of the same appliance or electronic is listed. It is best to keep these to a reasonable number.
- All appliances and electronics (anything with a plug) **MUST be** listed on the inventory sheet with the corresponding make, model and serial number if it has one. (See Sample Inventory in Forms section.
- If you are shipping a Piano, Organ or any unusually heavy item, please let us know. We need to discuss this prior to your move so that these delicate items are transported properly and arrive in good condition.
- Do not leave shelves loose in your refrigerator or cabinets. Remove shelves and pack separately. Placing Cilium Pellets in the refrigerator will help prevent it from turning green inside if closed for a period of time. **DO NOT** wedge the door, as it will damage the seal.
- Do not ship furniture full of items (i.e.: dresser drawers, trunks, etc). These items are heavy enough as they are. Please pack those items in separate boxes.

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- Shippers know that packing requires boxes to be reasonable in size to make lifting easier. Books, dishes and such become very heavy even in smaller packing boxes.
- Dishes travel best when packed on their edge as opposed to being flat.
- Do not use packing tape on the surface of any piece of furniture. The glue will either melt onto the piece or when removed will take off the finish. You can purchase ahead of time 3-inch shrink-wrap, which will do the same job without damage.
- Many shippers say that they can pack for an International Move. Our experience has been that it is best for you to be present, at the time of packing, to ensure that your valuable goods are being packed properly.
- All furniture needs to be properly protected; this includes the legs. For exposed legs you can use 3-inch shrink-wrap. Experience has convinced us that corrugated cardboard wrap and then shrink-wrap (stretch wrap) is best. If you do not understand how to shrink wrap, or what it is, please let us know and we will be happy to explain this further, since this is the most important part of packing. If you are packing your own belongings, you can purchase these items reasonably priced from your local shipping supply store or moving company.
- If you are using used boxes, please place a label on each box with the box number, description and your last name. When using used boxes, make sure they are still strong, well taped on the top and bottom and are not boxes that have had eggs, meat or plant products in them, since these are NOT allowed to cross into Mexico.

The best way to ship your goods is to pack all your belongings into Lift Vans. They are large forklift driven crates. Their size is 7 ¼ ft H x 7 ¼ ft L x 3 ½ ft W. and are especially made and Heat Treated for International moves. We work with many US and Canadian Moving Companies who can provide them for you. Packing your internationally wrapped belongings into Lift Vans gives them the ultimate in protection. I would be happy to have one of our representatives call you for a free survey and estimate.

Our Responsibility

Our responsibility is to co-ordinate the crossing of your personal items at the border. Since we have been in the business for many years, this has become second nature to us. You have given the headache to us. We will make sure that your shipment is brought down into Mexico to the address provided. Since shipping throughout Mexico is very different, we strongly recommend you look at the “PACKING SUGGESTIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS” pages. This will ensure that your precious belongings will arrive in the best condition possible. We strongly tell our clients that furniture, which is NOT shrink-wrapped or internationally packed, in most cases, will arrive damaged. We do not have the time or manpower available in Laredo, TX to repack items.

We will make every effort to bring your household belongings into Mexico as soon as possible. We reserve the right to delay delivery up to thirty (30) days. Due to escalating fuel surcharges and transportation logistics, final invoice will be calculated as per; “ACTUAL WEIGHT”, “ACTUAL VOLUME” and “ACTUAL FUEL SURCHARGE”.

Requirements for Shipments in Lift Vans for Mexico

The following is required by Strom-White Moving of Ajijic in order to cross our clients' belongings into Mexico. If the following is NOT complied with then our client will have problems and their belongings will not be able to cross into Mexico.

REQUIREMENTS FOR LIFT VANS ENTERING MEXICO

1. All lift vans must be certified as “**Heat Treated**” to assure that no bugs are in the wood. All such certified lift vans are officially stamped with a unique code.

XX-000

YY

XX- Represents the country code

000- Represents the number assigned by the national plant protection organization

YY- Represents the type of treatment (HT-Heat Treated or MB –Methyl Bromide)

2. Each lift van **MUST** be labeled i.e.: “1 of 3”, “2 of 3”, “3 of 3”, etc...and must have the client's name on each lift van.
3. On the same side of each lift van there **MUST** be a list of the box numbers that are located in that specific lift van. Moving companies use what we call a “Bingo Sheet” for this purpose. The numbers listed **MUST** be the box numbers that correspond to the Mexican Stamped Inventory list and not the moving agent's numbers, which may be different.
4. If any items are shrink wrapped on pallets please do not place too many boxes on top of each other **since time and weight damage can crush them**. Once again we need the box number information for each pallet as we do for lift vans as per above.
5. Cardboard lift vans are also available.

We work with many US and Canadian Moving Companies who can provide the regulation crates needed for moving to Mexico. Please ask us for a free survey and estimate.

If you have any questions whatsoever, please immediately give us a telephone call. Crossing procedures are very different and very specific. Please do not just guess what would be acceptable. You may reach us at any of our contact numbers or e-mail on the cover and we will respond right away.

HOUSEHOLD TRANSIT INSURANCE

Coverage

We strongly recommend you have your valuable personal belongings insured during the time they are in our possession. The cost is minimal compared to a loss. **Check with your present Homeowners Policy since many policies have this coverage already in place.** If not, we have various Insurance Packages available. If you move with us door to door, the following page lists the various options available. Strom-White Moving is an independent agent for TG International. We are authorized to offer their coverage; we carry the actual policies and receive payment for the various coverage they offer.

If you use another carrier and are insured with them, make sure that you have door-to-door coverage. If you do not, then the only type of insurance that you will qualify for, through Strom-White Moving of Ajijic, is Named Perils Insurance as per the next page. Having your insurance through us, will most likely reduce the total cost and allow you to have one complete insurance package from Point of Origin to Destination, plus coverage, while your belongings are in our warehouse.

Those who pack their own belongings only qualify for Named Perils Insurance, which covers for Total Loss ONLY, and NOT Individual Loss or Individual Damage.

For the other two types of coverage, Declared Value and Replacement Value, you MUST be professionally packed by an authorized moving company and obtain "Condition of Inventory" sheets which describe the condition of your belongings at time of packing. In order for you to process your claim under the time period allowed, we must document any damage that may have occurred. So upon arrival, Strom-White Moving, as the independent agent for TG International, **must** unpack your belongings.

We will be glad to provide at 100 pesos per hour per man for any other services such as cleaning, putting away items, hanging of pictures, setting up TV's, stereos, entertainment components, computers, furniture, etc.... If you do require this extra service, it needs to be scheduled prior to your belongings' arrival so that we have the right crew available.

Insurance Options

We can insure all of our client's belongings door to door whether they use another van line to our warehouse or if you use our service door to door. All covered clients receive a Certificate of Insurance and all claims are filed directly with the insurance company for speed and convenience. If you use your selected van line insurance to our warehouse, you can only get Named Perils Coverage (see below) from our warehouse in Laredo, TX through Mexico. Please discuss door-to-door insurance with us first so that your belongings are properly covered.

Clients That Use A Professional Packer

If you have your belongings professionally packed, then you may select one of the following:

- **DECLARED VALUE COVERAGE:** Valued declaration of the entire shipment must be provided with a certificate reporting copy (supplied with the insurance application). Claim settlement will be based upon the declared value specified on the declaration, or the cost of replacement, or the cost of repair, whichever amount is less.

If a value declaration of the entire shipment is not provided, claim settlement will be based upon the actual cash value (replacement cost, less depreciation) of the property at the time of loss, or the cost of replacement, or the cost of repair, whichever amount is less.

Note: A declaration/value list of high value items should be provided to TGI with certificate reporting copy to avoid limited recovery.

- **REPLACEMENT VALUE COVERAGE:** Declaration (value list) of high value items (over \$1,000) MUST be provided to TGI with a certificate reporting copy, and the entire shipment MUST be insured at 100% of its current replacement cost.

In the event of a claim, Full Replacement Value Coverage allows for replacement with new items of comparable quality, or the declared value, or the cost of repair, whichever amount is less. Recovery is limited to the total insured value.

- **NAMED PERILS PROGRAM:** No deductible household goods/personal effects for loss and/or damage only when loss/damage is a direct result and caused by collision, upset or overturn of the transporting conveyance, derailment, fire, lightning, sling loss, flood (rising of navigable waters) collapse or subsidence of docks, earthquake, cyclones/hurricanes or sprinkler leakage.

Clients That Pack Their Own Belongings

You can be covered door to door **ONLY** with the **Named Perils Program**.

Insurance Rates

Premium rates per US \$100 of Declared Value for a minimum coverage of US \$10,000.

NAMED PERILS INSURANCE -COSTS \$2.25 PER \$100 WITH A MINIMUM COVERAGE OF US \$10,000

Deductible (US\$)	Declared Value Coverage (US\$)	Replacement Value Coverage (US\$)
\$250	\$2.80	\$3.00
\$500	\$2.50	\$2.80

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. If you are not going to be present in Ajijic when your shipment arrives we can arrange for storage. We can hold your shipment in our warehouse up to one month free of charge and then you will need to make other arrangements with us. Please discuss your needs as we need to make sure we have the space needed for your shipment. We have 24 storage units at our facility and the prices range from \$600 pesos to \$1400 pesos per month depending on the size of your unit.
2. Our intention in this guide is not to scare people but to make them aware of the specific rules and regulations for moving your belongings into Mexico. **The Laredo, TX / Nuevo Laredo, TAM border crossing is the busiest of all borders. This makes them one of the most compliant, as we are, which makes things easier for all.** We reserve the right to cancel any shipment with a client if we feel that they are not being compliant. We have a very good reputation at the border and Lakeside and we will not jeopardize that. **It is imperative that you follow our instructions. Our compliance and presence at the border for each crossing are the reasons we do not have the same problems at the border as other moving companies.**
3. We ask our clients weeks before the packers arrive to go through their home and write down on paper all the electronics and appliances with make model and serial numbers. This information is very important and we cannot always read what the professional packers write down. This helps assure that customs gets the correct information that they require.
4. If you are packing your own belongings, please make sure that each box is filled very full, so that when they are placed on top of each other they do not get crushed or sag in the middle. Also, please do not overfill a box so that the top is rounded. This makes it very difficult when loading and does not make for a tight load, resulting in more movement inside the trailer and possible damage.
5. If you are being professionally packed the Moving Company will label your shipment. If you are packing your own boxes a sample Inventory Label is as follows:
 - Name _____
 - Box # _____
 - Description _____

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6. Uniformity in forms is something that Customs looks at closely. They require each page and form to be in the same format. That is why we have included samples and have not had any problems with this format.
7. On our quotations, under “Not Included in Price”, there is a phrase, “any additional cost we may incur for delays not related to our service, which includes custom charges for delayed inspections over one day and trailer charges or storage charges due to custom inspections, etc. These Customs delays usually happen when someone tries to ship something illegal.
8. There are some new items that you **MUST** have a special permit in order to bring them into the country. Please ask us if you are intending to bring something new into the country before you buy it. You may find that it will cost you more to bring it in than if you were to buy it in Mexico. The rules on new items change constantly so we need to check with our Broker first when we know someone wants to bring in something new. We would hate to have a client purchase something new, only to find that we are unable to bring it into the country or that the costs are so high you wouldn't have brought it in the first place. When Customs imposes a fine or duty, it must be paid at that moment. This does not allow us the luxury of time to call our clients before hand to ask what they would like to do, therefore we **NEED** to **KNOW BEFORE** we even load the trailer to avoid any problems or additional expense to you. There is no such thing as just telling the custom agent to remove the item. Once it is on the inventory, it is in your shipment and we have to follow all the rules and regulations.
9. If you have a specific hobby and have more than 5 boxes of items for this hobby or craft we need to know ahead of time. We may have you fill out a letter for customs. This special letter states that these items are for your hobby and not for resale.
10. This guide is supplied to you for assistance and we ask that you do not give this to other people since from the time we have given you this guide some things may have changed. We have constant contact with our clients, which we would not be able to have with someone not using our service and an outdated guide could cause him or her considerable problems. If you have any suggestions to make our guide easier please let us know. We strive to make each clients move as easy as possible. We are open to any and all suggestions.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Is driving down through Mexico safe?

When driving through any country it is always wise to use good judgment. It is safer not to drive at night because of possible animals attempting to cross the roads.

What do I do if stopped by the Police?

You could be stopped by the Federal Police who will be in uniform and may carry guns. They may stop you to check for weapons and drugs. They are friendly and courteous. They do not take bribes but may like a coca cola or fruit. If they want to search your vehicle, only one person should get out and keep all doors locked. Open only the area they want to inspect and do it **TOGETHER**. This will protect you from any illegal entry or planting of drugs. Once they have seen this area, lock it before you proceed to the next place they want to check out. Always be pleasant and courteous.

The Policia or Transito could also stop you. Some of them will tell you that they have stopped you for some traffic infraction. They will tell you that it will cost you so many pesos **NOT** to have a ticket written. What they are looking for is a bribe. If you decide to pay a bribe, negotiate an amount you think might be reasonable. A ticket is not expensive and when paid ahead of time there is a substantial discount given. Do not get angry or follow them to a police station. This is for your own protection in the event of a holdup.

How long does it take to drive to Ajijic from Laredo, TX?

We have driven the route many times. We use the toll roads as we find them safer and better to travel on. We drive usually 60-70 mph and it takes us about 12 hrs to reach Ajijic. We pack our own lunch and stop to eat at any of the many Pemex gas stations along the way (going to a restaurant can add up to 2 hrs to your travel time).

If you are driving down through Laredo, just ask us for a copy of our “Trip Ticket” which will give you directions.

What will tolls cost and do they take American/Canadian Money?

Tolls will only take Pesos. It is always advisable to get at least \$5,000 Pesos (not dollars) for tolls, hotels and emergencies.

Is it safe to stay overnight in a hotel?

Many hotels are very safe to stay at. You can stay in Saltillo or Matuhaula, which is approximately half way. They have many familiar named hotels there for your comfort. Once you are familiar with Mexico there are many other choices.

If you need a short rest, a busy Pemex gas station or restaurant is usually a safe choice.

Do I need Mexican Vehicle Insurance before I cross the border?

Remember that once you cross the border into Mexico you no longer have vehicle insurance. You will need to make prior arrangements to purchase Mexican Insurance. You can get this at the border or go on the internet where there are many companies to choose from.

What personal documentation do I need to cross the border?

You will need to stop at the Immigration window in the town of Nuevo Laredo before you proceed further into Mexico. Have the following documents with you:

1. Your immigration document or tourist visa. Make sure that you have this stamped at the border
2. A valid driver license.
3. Passport depending on your citizenship.
4. Your vehicle registration (in your name); you **MUST** have this to get your Vehicle Permit. If it is a leased vehicle or a company owned vehicle you will need to check with your Mexican Consulate what is required.

Once you receive your Vehicle Permit, you peel off the removable Hologram part and stick it onto the inside of your windshield as per the instructions on the permit. The other part you keep with your vehicle to be replaced with a photocopy later since this is the actual permit.

5. An international credit card will be needed if you are driving into Mexico. They will take an imprint of this, which is customary and there is a small fee also. If you do not have a credit card then you **MUST** post a bond for your Vehicle Permit.

Notes:

- Check with your local Mexican Consulate what you will need for your pets.
- All of the above **MUST** be in the same name. Immigration has a problem when one name is different or misspelled.
- Allow a little extra traveling time in the event the office is busy.
- Be sure to get all your documents back and good luck.

If you have any corrections or suggestions please let us know so that we may improve our document.

FORMS

The following pages provide you with a number of forms that you will need or might find useful depending on your personal situation.

All these forms and more can be downloaded off our web site. www.stromwhitemovers.com

The letter on page 19 translates as follows:

Permission to Import Letter

By this means, under oath and under the law, I manifest that my household goods and personal effects that will be imported by customs under your admirable charge, they have more than six months of use and have no value greater than \$ US Dollars.

I declare under oath that I commit to returning my household goods to their country of origin. At the same time I will let the customs authorities know of any change of address that I might have during my stay in Mexico and as long as my immigration status remains. According to Fraction IV, incise B Article 106 of the customs federal law and article 159 of their Regulations.

I also declare that within my menaje de casa and personal effects there's no new articles, copyright items, alcoholic beverage, drugs, medicine, vitamins, supplements, food, pornography, prohibited materials, guns or ammunition or vehicles of any sort. Therefore, if there was any inconsistency in the inspection, I assume any infractions that this might incur, duties, taxes or any infraction imposed by the respective authority.

Thanking you for the terms in importing my household goods, I present my respectful salutes.

Information Sheets

Please supply the following information by e-mail when you receive this guide.

US Client

Full name as on your passport: _____

US residential address: _____

Phone number (or Contact): _____

EIN Number: _____

Residential address in Mexico: _____

Canadian Client

Full name as on your passport _____

Canadian residential address: _____

Phone number (or Contact): _____

EIN Number: _____

Residential address in Mexico: _____

Permission to Import Letter

This is just a sample of what we will send you to sign and scan back to us once we have your personal information.

Fecha

Administrador de la Aduana
De Nuevo Laredo, Tamps.
P r e s e n t e

Por medio de la presente y bajo protesta de decir verdad manifiesto que mi menaje de casa y efectos personales que serán importados por esa Aduana a su digno cargo, tienen mas de seis meses de uso y no tienen un valor mayor de \$ US Dólares.

Declaro bajo protesta de decir verdad que me obligo a retornar mi menaje de Casa al extranjero, así como dar aviso a la autoridad aduanera de algún cambio de Domicilio durante mi estancia en Mexico y mientras dure mi calidad migratoria, De conformidad con la Fracción IV, Inciso B, Artículo 106, de la Ley Aduanera Y Artículo 159 de su Reglamento.

Así mismo declaro que dentro de mi menaje de casa y efectos personales no incluye ningún tipo de artículos nuevos, piratería, bebidas alcohólicas, drogas, medicamentos, vitaminas, suplementos, comida, armas, municiones, pornografía, vehículos de cualquier tipo o materiales prohibidos por lo que en el momento de ser revisados, se encuentre algo, me hago responsable por los gastos que se originen como multas, demoras y gastos legales.

Agradeciendo las facilidades para la importación de mi menaje de casa y su atenciones, le presento mis respetuosos saludos.

A t e n t a m e n t e Nombre:

**Dirección de origen:
de destino**

Dirección

Excess Items Authorization Request Letter - EXAMPLE

TO: Mexican Consulate

Dear Sir:

My partner Partner's Name has been involved in the hobby of making quilts and teddy bear items for over 20 years. These items were never sold but given as gifts for birthdays, anniversaries, and weddings or for our own home as decorations.

My partner also does a lot of "crafts"; therefore these items that are included in our inventory are necessary to do these crafts. This is now and has always been just a hobby and has never been for profit.

In preparation for this move to Mexico, we had several garage/yard sales where we attempted to sell a lot of the craft and hobby materials but had very little success. We thought that we should dispose of them but it was mentioned that it would be okay to bring them. None of the material is new and has been with us for years. These materials are used strictly for crafts and hobby and will not be for sale.

Sincerely,

(Signature)

(Print your name)

cc: ADMINISTRADOR DE LA ADUANA FRONTERIZA DE NUEVO LAREDO,
TAMAULIPAS, MEXICO

Waiver

I have been informed that Strom-White Moving or any of its associates do not carry any insurance for loss or liability, which occurs while in possession of my personal belongings.

I have been informed that it is recommended that I do carry coverage.

I understand that it is my personal responsibility to acquire and pay for this coverage. However, I hereby state that I may or may not have personal coverage.

I do not hold Strom-White Moving or any of its associates liable in any way.

I hereby state that I am not transporting any illegal items and my shipment DOES NOT contain any of the following: flammables, live plants, food, firearms and or bullets, toy guns, pornography, drugs, alcohol, oils, new items, mounted animals such as taxidermy items, valuable jewelry, gems, coins, or stamps.

Signed this _____ day of _____ in the year of _____
(Date) (Month) (Year)

(Signature) (Print Name)

DESTINATION SERVICES DECLARATION

In the interest of keeping you, the customer as educated and informed as possible. It is necessary to understand all of those things which could arise at your destination. Certain instances could result in additional charges being applied to your total cost, and those instances are outlined here.

First and foremost is the possible need for shuttle service. A shuttle is the act of unloading the shipment from the semi, and transferring it onto a smaller vehicle in an effort to access the property. A shuttle is required when a property is not able to be accessed by a large moving van (semi truck) within a reasonable distance. Circumstances that may lead to this include sharp turns, steep inclines, narrow roads, and small bridges (but are not limited to such).

Hoisting or lowering can result in additional charges as well. This service is necessary when you desire that a piece be placed in an area that is not accessible by any other means. Examples would be an armoire that you want in an upstairs bedroom, but does not fit up the stairwell.

Unpacking service (beside beds and furniture) is normally not included in your quote. Should you desire, the crew can assist in unpacking. Be aware, that this service typically results in charges over and above the estimated total. When replacement insurance is purchased unpacking to the extents to determine damage will be provided.

Those are some of the circumstances that can lead to unexpected cost. We feel it is important that you understand that Strom White Movers in any way attempts to deliberately incur these cost. Destination conditions are typically unknown and we rely on your information about those items to calculate your estimate.

_____	_____
Customer	Date
_____	_____
Agent	Date

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TABLE OF MEASUREMENTS – CUBE SHEET

No.	Article	Cu.	Sum	No.	Article	Cu.	Sum
LIVING ROOM				ELECTRONICS			
	Bar Portable	15	0		Computer	10	0
	Bench, Piano	5	0		Printer	8	0
	Bookcase	20	0		Scanner	5	0
	Bookshelves, Sect	5	0		Fax Machine	8	0
	Chair, Occasional	15	0		Photocopier, Small	10	0
	Chair, Overstuffed	25	0		Photocopier, Large	30	0
	Chair, Rocker	12	0		Monitor	5	0
	Chair, Straight	5	0		UPS	8	0
	Clock, Grandfather	20	0		Satellite, Small	15	0
	Curio Cabinet	10	0		Satellite, Large	25	0
	Desk, Small/Winthrop	22	0		Speakers	5	0
	Desk, Secretary	35	0		Stereo, Component	8	0
	Figurines/Ornaments		0		Stereo, Console	15	0
	Fireplace Equipment	5	0		Theatre Sound System	10	0
	Footstool	2	0		TV, up to 19"	15	0
	Hall Tree Rack, Small	2	0		TV, up to 27"	20	0
	Hall Tree Rack, Large	12	0		TV, up to 37"	30	0
	Lamp, Floor/Pole	3	0		TV, (specify)	50	0
	Lamp, Table-Small	3	0		TV, Stand	3	0
	Lamp, Table-Medium	4	0		Typewriter	5	0
	Lamp, Table-Large	5	0		VCR/DVD	3	0
	Magazine Rack	2	0		Fan/Heater	5	0
	Mirrors-See under pictures		0	BEDROOM			
	Music Cabinet	10	0	(Beds Incl Springs & Mattress)			
	Piano, Baby Grand/Upright	70	0		Bed, Bunk (set of 2)	70	0
	Piano, Grand Parlor	80	0		Bed, Rollaway	20	0
	Piano, Spinet/Console	60	0		Bed, Single/Hollywood	40	0
	Pictures, Mirrors-Small	1	0		Bed, Standard/Double	60	0
	Pictures, Mirrors-Medium	2	0		Bed, Queen	65	0
	Pictures, Mirrors-Large	4	0		Bed, King	70	0
	Rugs, Large Roll/Pad	10	0		Bed, Waterbed Base	10	0
	Rugs, Medium Roll/Pad	5	0		Chair, Boudoir	10	0
	Rugs, Small Roll/Pad	3	0		Chair, Vanity	3	0
	Sofa, Sectional(Per Section)	30	0		Chaise Lounge	25	0
	Sofa, Loveseat	35	0		Chest, Bachelor	12	0
	Sofa, 3 Cushion	50	0		Chest, Cedar	15	0
	Sofa, 4 Cushion/Hide-a-bed	60	0		Chest, Armoire	30	0
	Statues, Floor	5	0		Dresser, Vanity	20	0
	Tables, Coffee	5	0		Dresser, Single	30	0
	Tables, Drop/Occasional	12	0		Dresser, Double	40	0
	Tables, End	5	0		Dresser, Triple	50	0
DINING ROOM					Night Stand	5	0
	Bench, Harvest	10	0		Trunk	5	0
	Buffet, Base	30	0		Suitcase	5	0
	Buffet, Hutch	20	0		Wardrobe, Small	20	0
	Cabinet, Corner	20	0		Wardrobe, Medium	30	0
	Dining Table	30	0		Wardrobe, Large	40	0
	Dining Chair	5	0	NURSERY			

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	Figurines/Ornaments	2	0		Baby Carriage	4	0
	Plants, Artificial	5	0		Bathinette	5	0
	Statues	4	0		Bed, Youth	30	0
	Tea Cart	10	0		Chair, Child	3	0
No.	Article	Cu.	Sum		Chest	12	0
	KITCHEN/LAUNDRY				Chest, Toy	5	0
	Breakfast Table	10	0		Crib, Baby	10	0
	Chairs, Breakfast Suite	5	0		Playpen	10	0
	Chairs, High	5	0		Table, Childs	5	0
	Clothes Basket	5	0	No.	Article	Cu.	Sum
	Clothes Hamper	5	0		PATIO/OUTDOOR(cont)		
	Ironing Board	2	0		Table, Medium	4	0
	Kitchen Cabinet	30	0		Table, Large	8	0
	Microwave Stand	10	0		Umbrella	5	0
	Serving Cart	15	0		Wheelbarrow	8	0
	Stool, Bar	5	0		Misc Garden Tools (small)	5	0
	Stool, Step	3	0		Misc Garden Tools (medium)	10	0
	Trash Can	7	0		Misc Garden Tools (large)	15	0
	Utility Cabinet	10	0		Plant Stands	10	0
	APPLIANCES				WORKOUT ROOM		
	Air Conditioner	20	0		Barbells (lbs)		0
	Dehumidifier	10	0		Bicycle	5	0
	Dishwasher	20	0		Tricycle	2	0
	Dryer	25	0		Exercise Bike	5	0
	Freezer, 10 or less	30	0		Hot Tub		0
	Freezer, 11 to15	45	0		Stair Climber	15	0
	Freezer, 16 or over	60	0		Rowing Machine	15	0
	Microwave	5	0		Treadmill	30	0
	Oven, Convection	5	0		Universal Weight System		0
	Range up to 36"	30	0		OFFICE/GAMES		
	Refrigerator 6-10 cu ft	45	0		Bookcase	20	0
	Refrigerator 11 cu ft and up	60	0		Bowling Ball/Bag	3	0
	Vacuum Cleaner	5	0		Chairs, Desk	5	0
	Washing Machine	25	0		Chairs, Folding	1	0
	PATIO/OUTDOORS				Chairs, Standard	5	0
	BBQ, Small	2	0		Desk, Small	30	0
	BBQ, Medium	10	0		Desk, Medium	50	0
	BBQ, Large	25	0		Desk, Large	75	0
	Chairs, Aluminum	1	0		Fan	5	0
	Chairs, Iron	5	0		Filing Cabinet, 2 Drawer	10	0
	Chairs, Metal	3	0		Filing Cabinet, 4 Drawer	20	0
	Chairs, Plastic	3	0		Metal Shelves	5	0
	Chairs, Wood	5	0		Ping Pong Table	40	0
	Garden Hoses & Tools	10	0		Pool Table	100	0
	Glider or Settee	20	0		Table, Card	2	0
	Ladder, 6' step	3	0		Table, Games	20	0
	Ladder, 8' metal	2	0		SEWING ROOM		
	Ladder, Extension	8	0		Bookcase	20	0
	Lawn Mower, Hand	5	0		Cabinet	20	0
	Lawn Mower, Power	15	0		Mannequin	15	0
	Lawn Mower, Riding	35	0		Sewing Machine, Portable	5	0
	Leaf Sweeper	5	0		Sewing Machine, Console	10	0

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Lounge Chair, Aluminum	15	0		Sewing Machine, Cabinet	20	0
Lounge Chair, Iron	35	0		Surger Sewing Machine	5	0
Lounge Chair, Metal	25	0		Table	5	0
Lounge Chair, Plastic	15	0		WORKSHOP/MISC		
Lounge Chair, Wood	20	0		Metal Shelving	5	0
Outdoor Child Slide	10	0		Power Tools, Hand (ea)	3	0
Outdoor Child Gym	20	0		Power Tool Stand	15	0
Outdoor Swings	30	0		Table, Utility	5	0
Picnic Table	20	0		Tool chest, Small	5	0
Picnic Bench	5	0		Tool chest, Medium	10	0
Roller, Lawn	15	0		Tool chest, Large	15	0
Spreader, Lawn	2	0		Work Bench	20	0
Table, Small	2	0		Tire	3	0
No. Article Cu. Sum				Tire w/Rim	5	0
BOXES				Footlocker	5	0
Dish Pack	5	0		No. Article Cu. Sum		
1.5 Carton	1.5	0		<u>0</u>	<i>Sub-totals all pages combined.</i>	
Books	1.5	0			<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
3.0 Carton	3	0		Total Cubic Feet	0	
4.0 Carton	4	0				
6.0 Carton	6	0		Cubic Feet of Space		
Wardrobe	10	0		8X8X8	512 Cu Ft	
Crate (dimensions)		0		8X8X12	768 Cu Ft	
<u>0</u> <i>Sub-totals all pages combined.</i>		<u>0</u>		8X8X20	1,280 Cu Ft	
Total Number of Items		0		8X8X28	1,792 Cu Ft	
				8X8X53	3,392 Cu Ft	

This cube sheet is also available in an electronic format; please contact us if you will like us to e-mail it to you.

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Household Inventory - Examples

Print Name: John Howard Jones **TO:** John Howard Jones
Address: 123 Street Name in USA **Address in Mexico**
City: Your City USA, State **Ajijic, Jalisco**

EIN No: 123-45-6789
Date: 01 January 2001

Box Number	English Description	Spanish Description
1	Patio Equipment	Equipo de Terraza
2	Plastic Dishes & Picnic Supplies	Artículos Para De Campo
3	Decorations	Adornos
4	Books	Libros
5	Photos	Fotos
6	Lawn Items	Artículos de Jardín
7	Pictures	Cuadros
8	Clothes	Ropas
9	Party Supplies	Artículos Para Fiesta
10	Glasses, Vases & Decorations	Vasos, Florero y Adornos
11	Dishes	Lozas
12	Hangers	Ganchos
13	Bathroom Items	Artículos de Baño
14	Mirror	Espejo
15	Kitchen Utencils	Utensilios de Cocina
16	Pillows & Towels	Almohadas y Toallas Ropa Blanca
17	Bedding	Cubrecama
18	Office Supplies	Suplementos de la Oficina
19	Pots & Pans	Ollas y Sartenes
20	Musical Items	Música
21	Silverware, Plates & Cups	Cubiertos, Platos y Tazas
22	Crystal & Candle Holders	Cristal y Veladora
23	Crystal	Cristal

Household Inventory Appliances - EXAMPLE

Print Name: John Howard Jones **TO:** John Howard Jones
Address: 123 Street Name in USA **Address in Mexico**
City: Your City USA, State **Ajjic, Jalisco**

Social Security No: 123-45-6789
Date: 01 January 2001

English Description	Box No.	Spanish Descripción	Model	Serial Number
Blood Pressure	10	Medico	Mabix 04-208-001	B651349
Calculator	10	Calculadora	Big Display	8 Digit Power
Clippers	12	Maquinilla Cortapelos	Oster 113 Series E	Nada
Clock	12	Reloj	Westclox	22090-22540
Clock	12	Reloj	GE	7334-3A
Coffee Maker	17	Cafetera	Home Concepts GM-6106	E126879
Drill	63	Herramientas Chicas	Craftsman 315.271420	A3205
Fan	70	Ventilador	Duracraft 14FO	970222
Hairdryer	71	Secador	Vidal Sazón	1875
Hand Mixer	100	Mezcladora	Black & Decker	MX50
Heater	101	Calentador	Air Care 6200	A2168805
Heating Pad	110	Calentador de Medico	Sunbeam	E12107
Hedge trimmer	120	Herramientas de jardin	Craftsman 315.799560	A9918
Iron	130	Plancha	Black & Decker Light & Easy	Nada
Leaf Blower	135	Herramientas de Jardin	Weedeater	2560
Radio	136	Radio	Sound Design	2236BLK
Sander	137	Herramientas Chicas	Craftsman 315.116040	D2150
Telephone	139	Telefono	Sprint	43-5504
Vacuum	175	Aspiradora	Royal 02003	193A40022
Stereo	372	Estero	Aiwa CXM800V	1PM62E0058
VCR	373	VCR	Emerson 4000	30260162-2545719
Speakers	373	Vocinas	Aiwa	SXANV8000
VCR	373	VCR	Magnavox VR9310AT01	35221636
Speaker	373	Bocinas	KLH	9520
TV	374	TV	Thompson 96P108	528575828
TV	374	TV	Magnavox RD0946-T102	49207320
Computer	394	Computadora	46610	466100309004
Computer Monitor	394	Monitor de Computadora	Sylvania F748	LCAA0807275
Printer	393	Impresora de Computadora	Cannon	K10186

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Strom-White Movers Checklist

- _____ Scanned Copy of the picture page of your US Passport (Use one person per family)
- _____ Scanned Copy of the picture page of your Mexican Visa or Scanned Copy of both sides of your Immagrante card.
- _____ Electronic list: Make, Model & Serial Numbers of all items that plug in or have a battery
THIS LIST IS YOUR RESPOIBILITY AND MUST BE MADE OUT TO AVOID FINES FROM MEXICAN CUSTOMS. WE INFORM THE US MOVERS BUT CANNOT GUARANTEE THAT THEY WILL PERFORM THIS TASK FULLY.
- _____ Letter Describing Excess Items (Only if applicable)
- _____ Signed Letter that we will send to you once we receive the below client information
- _____ US Address
- _____ Mexico Address
NEW RULE effective Sept 1st (US citizens only)
- _____ EIN Number from person above
- _____ Signed Insurance application and Value sheets if purchasing Insurance with us.
- _____ Signed Waiver Below
- _____ 85% of payment is due prior to your shipment being sent.

WAIVER: I have read this manual and fully understand what is required by Strom White Movers to facilitate our move. All the above information must be sent to Strom White Movers before any items are brought into Mexico. It is understood that I have been informed that Strom-White Movers or any of its' associates do not carry any insurance for loss which occurs while in possession of my personal belongings. I have been informed that it is recommended that I do carry coverage. I understand that it is my personal responsibility to acquire and pay for this coverage, however, I hereby state that I may or may not have personal coverage. I do not hold Strom White Movers or any of its associates liable in any way. I hereby state that I am not transporting any illegal items and my shipment DOES NOT contain any of the following: flammables, live plants, food, firearms and or bullets, pornography, drugs, alcohol, oils, new items, mounted animals such as taxidermy items, valuable jewelry, gems, coins, or stamps.

Signed this _____ day of _____ in the year of _____.
(Date) (Month)

(Signature)

(Print Name)

ENGLISH / SPANISH INVENTORY GLOSSARY

alarm.....	alarma	cedar chest.....	baúl
alarm clock.....	despertador	ceramic kiln.....	horno para cerámica
answering machine.....	contestadora	ceramics.....	cerámicas
area carpet.....	tapete grande	chair.....	silla
area rugs.....	tapete chico	chest.....	baúl
artificial flowers.....	flores artificiales	chesterfield.....	sofá
arts & crafts.....	artesanías	children keepsakes.....	recuerdos de los hijos
auto care items.....	artículos para el coche	china.....	loza
automobile parts.....	refacciones	china cabinet.....	trastero
baby high chair.....	una silla para bebe	Christmas decorations.....	adornos navideños
baby stroller.....	carriola	Christmas lights.....	luces navideñas
baking sheets.....	placa de hornear	Christmas tree.....	arbolito navideño
bar refrigerator.....	refrigerador chico	clay figurines.....	figuritas de barro
bar stools.....	bancos altos	clay pots.....	ollas de barro
barbecue BBQ.....	asador	clock.....	reloj
baskets.....	canastas	clock radio.....	reloj de radio
bathroom toiletries.....	artículos del baño	clothes.....	ropa
battery charger.....	electronica de bateria	clothes closet.....	ropero
bed.....	cama	clothes hangers.....	ganchos
bed (electric).....	cama eléctrica	clothes rack.....	percha
bed frame.....	base de cama	coat rack.....	percha
bed headboard.....	cabecera	coffee grinder.....	molinillo de café
bedding.....	ropa de cama	coffee pot/coffeemaker.....	cafetera
bench.....	banco	coffee table.....	mesa de centro
bicycle/bike.....	bicicleta	commode.....	baño
binoculars.....	binocular	compressor.....	compresor
bird cage.....	jaula	computer.....	computadora
blanket.....	cobija	computer speaker.....	vocina de computadora
blender.....	licuadora	cookware.....	equipo de cocina
bookcase.....	estante	cooler.....	hielera
books.....	libros	cosmetics.....	cosméticos
bowls.....	plato hondo	costume jewelry.....	joyería de fantasía
box springs (bed).....	colchon	craft supplies.....	artículos para artesanía
bread machine.....	máquina para masa de pan	crock pot.....	olla de lento cocinar
briefcase.....	portafolio	crystal.....	crystal
brooms.....	escobas	cups.....	tazas
buffet.....	bufet	curio cabinet.....	vitrina
bug killer machine.....	matabichos	curling iron.....	tenacillas
cabinet.....	gabinete	curtains.....	cortinas
calculator.....	calculadora	cushions.....	cojines
camcorder.....	cámara video	cutlery.....	cubiertos
camera.....	cámara	decorations.....	adornos
camping equipment.....	equipo de campamento	desk.....	escritorio
camping stove.....	estufita de campamento	dining table.....	mesa del comedor
can opener.....	abrelatas	dishes.....	loza
candle holder.....	candelero	dishwasher.....	lavaplatos
candles.....	velas	dog bed.....	cama del perro
canning jars.....	envases	dolls.....	muñecas
car washer.....	lavacoches	dolly (furniture).....	plataforma
carpets/rugs (sm).....	tapetes	drapery.....	cortinas
carving set.....	chuchillo	dresser.....	buró
casserole dishes.....	cazuela	dresser w/mirror.....	buró con espejo
cassette tapes.....	casset de grabadora	dressing table.....	tocador
CDs.....	CDs	drill.....	taladradora

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drums	tambores	highchair	silla para bebe
dryer.....	secadora	hiking equipment	equipo de caminata
DVD movies	cintas para DVD	hobby items	articulos de hobby
DVD player	DVD	hose	manguera
easel	caballete	humidifier	humidificador
Easter decorations.....	adornos para pascuas	ice chest	hielera
easy chair	sillon	iron.....	plancha
egg cooker	olla para preparar huevos	ironing board	tabla de planchar
electric fry pan.....	olla de la cocinar	jack	gato
electric grill.....	asador eléctrico	jar/jars.....	jarron/envases
electric heater.....	calentador	juicer	licuadora
electric knife	cuchillo electrica	keepsakes	recuerdos
end table.....	mesa chica para sala	kettle	caldero
entertainment center	centro de video	kitchen utensils	cosas de la cocina
exercise bike	bicicleta estacionaria	ladder	escalera
exercise equipment	equipo para hacer ejercicio	lamp	lámpara
extension cords	extensiones eléctricas	lamp shades	pantallas de lámpara
fan	ventilador	laundry basket.....	canasto
fax machine	máquina fax	laundry items	cosas de lavandería
figurines.....	figuritas	lawn furniture	muebles del patio
filing cabinet.....	archivero	lawn mower	podadora
film	película	Level	nivel
Fine art.....	cuadros	Light fixtures	lámparas
fireplace tools	herramientas de chimenea	Linen.....	sábanas
fishing equipment	equipo para pescar	Lounge chair.....	sillon
fishing pole	caña de pescar	luggage	maleta (or equipaje)
Floor polisher.....	pulidor de pisos	luggage rack.....	red de maletas
Flower pots	macetas	map	mapa
Folding chairs	sillas	masks	maskaras
Food processor.....	procesor de comida	massager	masajista
Food trays	charolas	Mattress	colchon
Foot stool	escabel	Medical supplies	botiquín personal
Freezer	congeladora	metal shelves	estante de metal
Furniture	muebles	microwave	microondas
Furniture dolly	diablo	mirror.....	espejo
games.....	juegos	mixer.....	mezcladora
garbage can	bote de basura	model airplane	modelo de avióneta
garden tools	herramientas del jardin	model boat	modelo de lanchita
glass	vidrio	monitor (computer).....	monitor
Glass table top	crystal para mesa	mop	trapeador
glasses.....	vasos	movie camera.....	cámara de película
glue gun	maquina de pegamento	movies	películas
Golf clubs	palo de golf	musical instruments	instrumentos musicales
Grandfather clock	reloj abuelo	Nails & screws.....	clavo y tornillo
grill	asador	Night stand.....	cómodo
grinder	molino	office supplies.....	cosas de la oficina
guitar.....	guitarra	ornaments	adornos
hair dryer	secador de pelo	ottoman	otomano
Halloween decorations	adornos de halloween	paintings	cuadros
hammer.....	martillo	paper cups & dishes.....	trastes de carton
hammock	jamaca	paper shredder	trituradora de documentos
hand tools.....	herramientas de mano	party decorations.....	adornos para fiesta
hangers.....	ganchos	party supplies	artículos para fiesta
hat boxes	maleta para sombreros	patio chair	silla del patio
hatchet	hache	patio furniture	muebles del patio
hats.....	sombreros	patio umbrella	sombrilla del patio
headphones	audiófonos	personal records.....	archivos personales
heater	calentador	pet supplies	articulos de mascotas

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photo albums	álbumes de fotos	spices	especias
photocopier	copiadora	sports equipment.....	artículos de portivos
photos	fotos	stand.....	soporte
picnic supplies	artículos para día de campo	statue.....	estatua
pictures	cuadros	steam iron	planchar
piece to something	pieza de ??? una cosa	stereo	estereo
pillows	almohadas	stereo cabinet.....	gabinete de estereo
plates.....	platos	Stool.....	taburete
platters	platos de servir	Storage boxes.....	cajas
playpen	un corral para niños	Storage cabinets.....	archiveros
popcorn maker	maquina de palomitas	stove.....	estufa
portrait	retrato	stuffed animals.....	animales de peluche
pot.....	olla	suitcase	maleta
pots & pans	sartenes	table	mesa
pottery	artículos de barro	tackle box.....	caja de pescar
printer	impresora	tape recorder	grabadora
projector.....	proyectora	tax records	archivos de impuestos
projector screen.....	pantalla	telephone.....	teléfono
purse	bolsa	telephone table.....	mesa de teléfono
Quilt.....	colcha	telescope	telescopo
Racquets	raquetas	television.....	televisión
Radio	radio	television/TV stand.....	mesa para televisión/TV
recliner chair	sillon reclinable	tennis equipment.....	artículos para tenis
record cabinet	gabinete de discos	tent	tienda
record player.....	tocadiscos	thermos	termo
records	discos	timer.....	temporizador
refrigerator.....	refrigerador	toaster	tostador
Rocking chair.....	meecedora	tool box.....	caja de herramientas
Router	router	tools (small).....	herramientas chicas
Rug	tapete	towel rack	cuelgatoallas
saber saw	sierra	towels.....	toallas
safe.....	caja fuerte	toys	jugetes
saw.....	sierra	travel memento	recuerdos de viaje
saw (chain).....	sierra de cadena	Tray	bandeja
saw (circular)	sierra circular	Treadmill	tapiz
saw (hand)	serrucho	Tripod	trípode
saw (table)	sierra de mesa	trunk.....	baúl
scanner (computer)	escaner	tupperware (plastic)	artículos de plástico
screen.....	pantalla	TV trays	charolas para comer
serving dishes	vasija	typewriter.....	máquina de escribir
sewing basket.....	cesta de costura	umbrella.....	sombrilla
sewing machine	máquina de coser	vacuum cleaner.....	aspiradora
sheets	sábanas	vanity	tocador
shelves/ shelving.....	repisas	vase.....	florero
shoes	zapatos	VCR.....	VCR
shop vacuum.....	aspiradora	video tapes	cintas para video
silver	plata	Waffle iron.....	plancha de waffles
silverware	cubiertos	Wagon	carrito
sink (bathroom)	lavamanos	Walker	andadera
sink (kitchen)	fregador	Washing machine	lavadora
skates	patines	Waste basket.....	cesto
slide projector	proyector de 35mm	Weed eater.....	cortazacate
smoker	fumador	Wheel chair.....	silla de ruedas
sofa	sofá	Wheelbarrow	carretilla
sofa table.....	mesa del sofá	Wine rack.....	vinera
speakers	bocinas	World globe.....	globo terraqueo
		Yarn	hilo