

# What is an ATA Carnet?

An ATA Carnet (pronounced *kar-nay*) is an internationally accepted customs document used for boomerang freight®. By presenting an ATA Carnet to foreign customs, your temporarily exported merchandise or equipment passes duty and tax free into carnet countries for up to one year.



At the end of the year, all the items listed on the carnet return to the U.S., thus the term boomerang freight®. The ATA Carnet also serves as the U.S. registration of goods for re-entry into the U.S., duty and tax free.

## Boomerang Freight® can be

- Aircraft, yachts, robots, UAVs
- Artifacts, antiques, collectibles, jewelry
- Demo equipment and sales samples
- Livestock, circus and race animals
- Musical instruments
- Photography, film and video equipment
- Presentation equipment
- Repair and testing tools
- Research equipment and prototypes
- Tools of the trade
- Trade show booths

“Your group’s customer service is astounding”

Steve Chafe • Online Impact Group • San Francisco, CA



## We’re Listening

On Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn, YouTube, Pinterest, and our boomerang carnets Blog.

Every once in a while you come across customer service so remarkable you have to share the story. I had questions about the carnet form and decided to call boomerang carnets to get help. It was only 6:30 a.m. and, understandably, I got voicemail but, didn’t leave a message. Not long after, my phone rang. Curt Wilson, President of boomerang carnets, thought I might be stuck in an airport with a problem with my carnet and wanted to make sure I was covered. It was only 7 a.m. That’s remarkable. I will never think of getting my carnets anywhere else. If you find yourself in the market for one, I encourage you to call Curt!

Tim Llewellyn • Llewellyn Creative • Boston, MA

## Your ATA Carnet Costs

The USCIB\* determines the Basic Processing Fees (cost) for ATA Carnets. The value of the goods determines the basic fee. Additional costs are typically incurred for the required security or other services. Call or e-mail boomerang carnets® for a quote.

Carnet HelpLine®	800-ATA-2900 (800-282-2900)
Carnet Email	Info@ATACarnet.com
Web Site	ATACarnet.com boomerangcarnets.com
UK ATA Carnet	boomerangcarnets.co.uk

\* The U.S. Council for International Business was appointed by U.S. Customs, now an agency of the Department of Homeland Security, to manage the ATA Carnet system in the U.S. Typically, the U.S. Council issues over 20,000 carnets a year covering goods valued at approximately \$8 billion dollars.



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# THE ATA CARNET SPECIALISTS

CLEAR CUSTOMS  
{ DUTY FREE • TAX FREE • GLOBALLY }



# WE PIONEERED { EASY & AFFORDABLE } boomerang carnets for international trade.

In 1987, Bruce and Curt Wilson, Founder and CEO, had the notion that more exporters would enjoy the benefits of ATA Carnets if they were easier to obtain. From the start in an 1895 farmhouse garage, with little more than a phone and a fax, to issuing thousands annually, we're known for our innovative service. Our motto is *Think Like a Customer*.

## Benefits of an ATA Carnet

- Internationally accepted customs document
- Eliminates duties and taxes for temporary imports into 87 countries & territories
- Valid for unlimited imports/exports into multiple countries for up to 12 months
- Serves as registration with U.S. customs upon re-entry
- Costs are known before departure
- Saves time and money
- Helps grow your export business: commercial or cultural

## The ATA Carnet Specialists

- Trained and qualified to inform on all aspects of ATA Carnets
- Knowledgeable on ATA Carnet use in all countries
- Licensed bond and insurance advisors for ATA Carnets and international travel

"I would like to add that Boomerang Carnets' customer service is the BEST I've ever experienced in my more than 30 years working in corporate America. Many thanks for all your assistance and help over the last four years."

Debra Straume • Ixix • Calabasas, CA



## Quality Customer Care

Our customer service and technology *streamline ATA Carnets* before, during and after use. Your application, bond, issuance, delivery and cancellation are *processed centrally* by our rapid-

response Specialists 24/7/365, after hours, on weekends and holidays.

- While many can plan in advance, others need their ATA Carnet the *same day* they submit an application. Our comprehensive delivery options *have you covered*.
- Locating customs in an airport can be frustrating. With our ATA Carnet *customized airport maps* on your smartphone, their location is in the *palm of your hand*.
- When your ATA Carnet returns from travel our newest division, *Expedited Cancellation Control*, monitors the final phase and guides you, step-by-step, to cancellation. This efficiency reduces liability, speeds up cancellation and, provides *peace of mind*.

These are some of the steps we've taken to make carnets easier than ever!

## 4 Simple Steps

- 1 Register for an account and complete your ATA Carnet and bond Application at [ATACarnet.com](http://ATACarnet.com). **SECURE.**
- 2 Revisions can be made later by phone or email. **SUBMIT.**
- 3 Review with an ATA Carnet Specialist. **SERVICE.**
- 4 Receive your ATA Carnet via overnight delivery. Typical processing time is 24 hours. **SMILE.**



## > ATACarnet.com

Available: Next Day Delivery or Same Day Service

Lost, Stolen, or Destroyed Carnet Warranties and Regularization Fee Protection (LSDR) in conjunction with certain syndicates at Lloyd's of London.

Albania • Algeria • Andorra • Antarctica • Aruba • Australia • Austria • Bahrain • Belarus • Belgium • Bosnia-Herzegovina • Botswana • Brazil • Bulgaria • Canada • Chile • China • Cote d'Ivoire • Croatia • Cyprus • Czech Republic • Denmark • Estonia • European Union • Finland • France • Germany • Gibraltar • Greece • Hong Kong • Hungary • Iceland • India • Indonesia • Iran • Ireland • Israel • Italy • Japan • Korea • Kazakhstan • Latvia • Lebanon • Lesotho • Liechtenstein • Lithuania • Luxembourg • Macau • Macedonia • Madagascar • Malaysia • Malta • Mauritius • Mexico • Moldova • Monaco • Mongolia • Montenegro • Morocco • Namibia • Netherlands • New Zealand • Norway • Pakistan • Poland • Portugal • Puerto Rico • Qatar • Romania • Russia • Senegal • Serbia • Singapore • Slovakia • Slovenia • South Africa • Spain • Sri Lanka • Swaziland • Sweden • Switzerland • Tahiti • Taiwan\*\* • Thailand • Tunisia • Turkey • Ukraine • United Arab Emirates • United Kingdom • United States

\*\* Call for details on traveling to Taiwan

DON'T SEE THE COUNTRY TO WHICH YOU ARE TRAVELING? Call the Carnet Helpline® and ask an expert. Countries are added to the ATA Carnet system regularly.

