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The Embassy of Canada presents its compliments to all diplomatic missions and all international organizations accredited to the Kingdom of the Netherlands and has the honour to inform of updated requirements to enter Canada by air.

As of March 15, 2016, citizens of visa-exempt countries, including holders of diplomatic or official passports, who wish to fly to Canada or transit through a Canadian airport, will need to obtain an Electronic Travel Authorization (eTA) prior to travelling. This change does not affect individuals entering Canada at a land-border crossing or at a marine port-of-entry.

Information on this new requirement, as well as instructions on how to apply for an eTA, may be found at <http://canada.ca/eTA>. The Embassy of Canada respectfully requests that all diplomatic missions and all international organizations accredited to the Kingdom of the Netherlands help in relaying this information to their citizens so that they may be informed of any requirement to obtain an eTA for their next voyage to Canada by air.

The Embassy of Canada avails itself of the opportunity to renew to all diplomatic missions and all international organizations accredited to the Kingdom of the Netherlands the assurances of its highest consideration.

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