

Important Phone Numbers

U.S. Border Patrol

Headquarters – Houlton 207-532-6521

Jackman Station 207-668-3151

Rangeley Station 207-864-5356

U.S. Customs (Ports of Entry)

Coburn Gore 207-297-2501

Jackman 207-668-3711

St. Pamphile 418-356-3222

Canadian Customs (Ports of Entry)

Armstrong PQ 418-597-3824

Woburn PQ 819-544-4051

Franklin County Sheriff's Department

1-800-773-2680

Maine State Police

1-800-482-0730

Somerset County Sheriffs Department

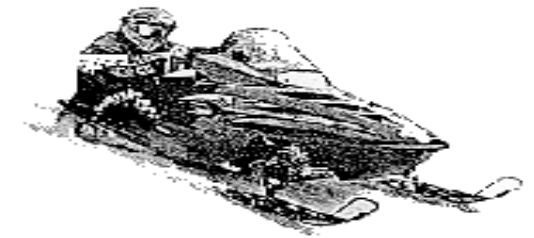
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ALONG THE BORDER

Facts about Snowmobiling along the Maine/Quebec Border



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BORDER FACTS

1. Currently there are NO approved trails that are routed directly on the Maine/Quebec border.
2. Contrary to popular belief the 6 meter cleared area (slash) along the U.S. / Canadian border is NOT a “neutral zone”.
3. Be aware that whichever side of an international boundary marker that you are on is considered the country that you are in and therefore subject to that countries laws and regulations.
4. Anyone riding the cleared area along the border (slash) could be in violation of U.S. or Canadian law.

CROSSING THE BORDER

1. You may only cross the border at an open Port of Entry.
2. Snowmobilers crossing the border into the United States or Canada without **FIRST** reporting to an open Port of Entry for inspection are subject to possible arrest, fines of up to \$5000 and/or the loss of their snowmobile.

NOTE: Agents of the U.S. Border Patrol and the Royal Canadian Mounted Police (RCMP) frequently patrol the border.

BORDER CROSSING NOTES

- 1 **You must stop at a Port of Entry to cross the Canadian/U.S. Border. The penalty for not stopping is \$5,000 and/or the loss of your snowmobile.**
- 2 **U.S. Residents must have a "Trail Pass" to ride Quebec trails. Pick up your pass from the first club or the " Canadian Federation of Snowmobile Clubs."**
- 3 **Canadian residents must have a nonresident Maine registration if traveling on Maine trails.**
- 4 **Trail 89/75 (Jackman) crossing is open twenty-four hours /seven days a week.**
- 5 **Trail 92/95 (St. Pamphile) crossing is only open:**

U.S. Customs

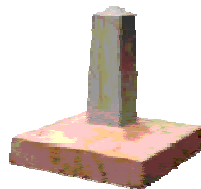
Monday-Friday 6:00am-2:00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed

Canadian Customs

Monday-Friday 9:00am-5:00pm

Saturday-Sunday Closed



A WORD ABOUT SMUGGLING

Smuggling of any items that the country of entry specifies as illegal, prohibited, dutiable, taxable, or requiring registration can result in **Severe Consequences!**

You may . . .

Forfeit the item(s); lose your snowmobile; be fined; be imprisoned; or, any combination of the above!

It is your duty to know your legal responsibilities when crossing the border. If uncertain, ask by calling ahead to the nearest Port of Entry.

REPORT SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY

Because policing the borders is a daunting task, the Border Patrol seeks the help of the public in the fight against illicit cross-border activities.

The public is urged to report suspicious activity to the nearest Border Patrol station or call our 24-hour toll-free number at 1-800-851-8727.

You will remain anonymous and could receive a cash award for your information.