



Oregon Board of Parole and Post-Prison Supervision

Title: Out of Country Travel	Policy:
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I. PURPOSE

To establish policy and procedures governing offenders traveling out of the United States.

II. DEFINITIONS

- A. Offender: A person who is serving a period of parole or post-prison supervision under the authority of the Oregon Board of Parole and Post-Prison Supervision.
- B. Supervising Officer: The person assigned to supervise the offender on parole or post-prison supervision.
- C. Management: Position responsible for overseeing the staff assigned to supervise offenders on parole or post-prison supervision.

III. POLICY:

Under most circumstances the Board will not approve requests for travel outside of the United States for offenders on parole and post-prison supervision. There are circumstances however, where the Board may authorize such activity if it is not in conflict with public safety and offender rehabilitation.

The Board will consider the following non-exclusive factors when making a decision to approve travel outside of the United States.

- Length of time on supervision
- Conformance to supervision requirements
- Payment of financial obligations, which may included: Restitution, compensatory fines, extradition costs, treatment costs, supervision fees, and any other fees associated with supervision

- Purpose of travel
- Mode of travel
- Travel companions
- Offender's criminal history
- Victim concerns
- Country or countries of travel
- Military obligations
- Any requirements or concerns of the country countries being visited
- Recommendation of supervising officer and their command staff

If the Board approves a request for travel outside the United States, the offender is still subject to the imposed conditions of supervision.