

SAILING DIRECTIONS CORRECTIONS

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Page 16—Lines 13 to 14/L; read:

Canada is a confederation with a parliamentary democracy. The country is divided into ten provinces and three territories.

Elizabeth II, recognized as the Chief of State, appoints a Governor-General. The Governor-General appoints a Prime Minister after Parliamentary elections are held. The bicameral Parliament consists of a 105-member Senate, appointed by Governor-General for 5-year terms, and a directly-elected 301-member House of Commons, serving 5-year terms.

The legal system is based on English common law, except in the province of Quebec, where the legal system is based on French civil law.

(CIA Factbook; Statesmen's Yearbook) 21/03

Page 47—Line 10/R; insert after:

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(NIMA) 21/03

Page 57—Lines 27/L to 11/R; read:

Egypt is a republic. The country is divided into 26 governorates.

Egypt is governed by a President, nominated by the People's Assembly to serve a 6-year term, and confirmed in a national referendum. The unicameral 454-member People's Assembly, which is the principal legislative body, consists of 444 directly-elected members and 10 appointed members, all serving 5-year terms. There is also a 264-member Advisory Council, which functions only in a consultive capacity; it is composed of 176 directly-elected members and 88 appointed members.

The legal system is based on English common law, Islamic law, and the Napoleonic code.

The capital is Cairo.

Holidays

The following holidays are observed:

January 7	Coptic Christmas
April 25	Sinai Liberation Day
May 1	Labor Day
July 23	Revolution Day
October 6	Armed Forces Day

Islamic holidays, which are subject to the appearance of the moon, include Eid Al-Fitr (End of Ramadan), Eid Al-

Adha (End of Pilgrimage), Hijrah (Islamic New Year), Sham El Nessim (Spring Holiday), and the Prophet's Birthday.

(CIA Factbook; Statesmen's Yearbook) 21/03

Page 58—Lines 9 to 11/R; read:

The U.S. Embassy is situated at 5 Latin America Street, Garden City, Cairo.

The mailing address is Unit 64900, Box 15, APO AE 09839-4900.

U. S. Embassy Egypt Home Page
<http://cairo.usembassy.gov>

(Department of State) 21/03

Page 115—Lines 24 to 25/L; read:

The official currency is the new Israeli shekel (NIS), consisting of 100 new agorot.

(Statesmen's Yearbook) 21/03

Page 115—Lines 14 to 20/R; read:

Israel, an independent sovereign republic, was originally proclaimed in 1948. The country is divided into six districts.

The Knesset, directly elected for a 4-year term, is a 120-member Parliament. The system of election is by proportional representation. Executive power lies in the Cabinet, headed by the directly-elected Prime Minister. The President of the Knesset, who serves as chief of state for a maximum of two 5-year terms, is chosen by the Knesset.

The legal system is based on English common law, British Mandate regulations, and, in personal matters, Jewish, Christian, and Muslim traditions.

The capital, as proclaimed in 1950, is Jerusalem. The United States, like nearly all other countries, does not recognize this status and maintains its Embassy in Tel Aviv.

Holidays

The following holiday is observed:

Labor Day May 1

Other holidays, which are dependant on the appearance of the moon, include Passover, Independence Day, Pentecost, Rosh Hashana (Jewish New Year), Yom Kippur (Day of Atonement), and the Feast of the Tabernacles.

(CIA Factbook; Statesmen's Yearbook) 21/03

Page 116—Lines 39 to 40/R; read:

The mailing addresses are, as follows:

1. International mail—
PSC 98, Box 100
Tel Aviv
2. Diplomatic pouch—

U. S. Embassy Israel Home Page
http://telaviv.usembassy.gov

(CIA Factbook)

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Page 167—Lines 5 to 18/L; read:

The Kingdom of Norway is a constitutional monarchy. The country is divided into 19 provinces.

Norway is ruled by a king, in conjunction with a Prime Minister and the cabinet, who are appointed by the King with the approval of the Storting. The unicameral Storting consists of 165 members, directly elected according to a system of proportional representation, for 4-year terms.

The legal system is based on a mixture of customary law, civil law, and common law traditions.

The capital is Oslo.

Holidays

The following holidays are observed:

January 1	New Year's Day
Holy Thursday	Variable
Good Friday	Variable
Easter Monday	Variable
May 1	Norwegian Labor Day
May 17	Norwegian Constitution Day
Ascension Day	Variable
Whit Monday	Variable
December 25	Christmas Day
December 26	Second Christmas Day

(CIA Factbook; Department of State;
Statesmen's Yearbook)

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Page 171—Lines 52/L to 7/R; strike out.

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Page 172—Lines 39 to 41/R; read:

The U.S. Embassy is situated at Drammensveien 18, Oslo. The mailing addresses are, as follows:

- Norway address—
Drammensveien 18
0244 Oslo
- U. S. address—
PSC 69, Box 1000

U. S. Embassy Norway Home Page
http://www.usa.no

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Page 184—Lines 8 to 17/L; read:

Russia is a federation. The country is divided into 89 various administrative entities.

Russia is governed by a directly-elected President serving a maximum of two consecutive 4-year terms. The bicameral Federal Assembly is composed of the 178-member appointed Council of the Federation (upper chamber), serving 4-year terms, and the 450-member State Duma (lower chamber), of which 225 members are directly elected and 225 members are elected on the basis of proportional representation, serving 4-year terms.

The legal system is based on civil law.

The capital is Moscow.

Holidays

The following holidays are observed:

January 1	New Year's Day
January 7	Russian Orthodox Christmas
February 24	Defenders' Day
March 8	International Women's Day
May 1 and 2	Spring and Labor Holiday
May 9	Victory Day
June 12	Independence Day
August 22	Day of the Russian Federation State Flag
November 7	Day of Accord and Conciliation
December 12	Constitution Day

(CIA Factbook; Department of State;
Statesmen's Yearbook)

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Page 190—Lines 47 to 49/R; read:

The U.S. Embassy is situated at Bolshoy Devyatinskiy Pereulok No. 8, 121099 Moscow.

The mailing address is APO AE 09721.

U. S. Embassy Russia Home Page
http://moscow.usembassy.gov

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