Canada: (A small) FALL in the value of PASSPORT

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January 13, 2024: **Toronto**, Canada: The rank of the Canadian Passport has dropped to the bottom of both the **G7** and the **'Five Eyes Security Alliance'** (and near the bottom of **the OECD**).

The most-respected passports are from **France**, **Germany**, **Italy** and **Spain**, followed by the **Netherlands** and **Singapore**. Those countries' passports will get their bearers into 192 or more countries without a separate visa.



Ranks of the US and Canadian Passport are 30 and 31 respectively

Prime Minister Justin Trudeau had criticized Stephen Harper's foreign policies and had promised to raise the reputation of Canada in the comity of nations. Instead, Canadians have suffered the mortification of less than honorable words from President Xi Jinping, for their Prime Minister, without any riposte, whatsoever.

Saturday, January 13, 2024: Today, on a day considered to be a day of festivities (LOHRI) by Canadians of Indian origin, Henley & Partners, the International Recruitment and Relocation Consultancy, has downgraded the rank of Canada's Passport to 31 from having a rank among the 'Top 20', when the Liberals came to office in 2015. Today's rank of the Canadian Passport is behind that of Brunei, Malta, Monaco, Hungary, Estonia and Slovenia. The rank of the Canadian Passport is only marginally above that of Croatia, the United Arab Emirates and the Republic of Mauritius.

EDITORIAL COMMENTS: <u>www.DiGiNews360.com</u> feels that the rank depends on the internal harmony and financial well-being of a country.

PM Trudeau has worked for the laudable objective of de-carbonization in the interest of the earth's health. **If the policies could be tuned to take into account the need for carrying Alberta and British Columbia**, Canada may have been able to sustain the policies better.

PM Trudeau did try to use a one-week visit to India in the interest of building stronger ties with the largest democracy of the world and a fellow-member of the Commonwealth. If the advisors of the PM had been sensitive to the worries of India about Khalistani terrorists, who had found shelter in Canada, a strong alliance of Canada and India would have been in place.

If RCMP were more competent in detecting interference by China through its Police Stations in its Consulates and through influencing and even coercing Canadians of Chinese origin, the relations between Canada and China might not have deteriorated. President Jinping would not have dared use in-appropriate language at the 2022 G20 summit.

Note: Please read "Canada: Khalistanis attack Hindus, promise attack on Al Plane" dated November 14, 2023 at https://diginews360.com/canada-khalistanis-threaten-hindus-ai-plane/