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The regular monthly "Travel between Canada and other countries" release, containing data for August, has been delayed. The release, originally scheduled for today, October 17, has been postponed to October 24 because of unforeseen operational problems.

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Travel Activities and Motivation Survey

Data are now available from the Travel Activities and Motivation Survey, which was conducted between October 1999 and March 2000 on behalf of several federal, provincial and territorial agencies responsible for tourism.

The survey collected, among other things, information on Canadian residents' travel patterns during the past two years, their travel intentions over the next two years, their participation in entertainment and recreational activities at home and while on an overnight trip, the reasons for travelling or not travelling in Canada, the types of accommodation used, the sources of travel planning information and their impressions of Canada.

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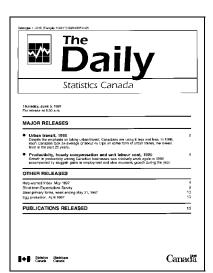
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