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Georgia – El Salvador Connection

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GOVERNMENT & COMMERCE

The Consulate General of the Republic of El Salvador is located in Woodstock, Georgia. Mr. Marcial Vela Ramos Aguilar serves as Consul General.

In 2006, El Salvador sponsored a trade mission to Atlanta on behalf of Americas Mart to increase business opportunities.



TRADE RELATIONSHIP

In 2009, El Salvador ranked 61st among Georgia's export destinations with exports totaling close to \$58.2 million. Georgia ranked 7th among U.S. states in exports to El Salvador. Georgia led among states in exports of steam generating boilers, mineral/chemical fertilizers, and eggs. Georgia ranked 2nd in exporting cotton/yarn, machinery for making paper, and plates/sheet/film of plastic, and the state ranked 3rd in exporting paper/paperboard.

In 2009, El Salvador ranked 41st among countries from which Georgia imports goods; our state ranked 5th among U.S. states receiving imports from El Salvador with imports totaling over \$140.2 million. Top imports included: apparel/clothing, electrical machinery, and footwear.



CAPITAL INVESTMENT

Georgia Companies with operations in El Salvador:

DELTA AIR LINES INC.

ExecuTrain

SPECTRUM BRANDS INC.

UPS SUPPLY CHAIN SOLUTIONS

TRANSPORTATION

Delta offers daily direct flights to San Salvador, El Salvador.

COMMUNITY & EDUCATION

As of 2006, 54 citizens of El Salvador were enrolled in the University System of Georgia.

