



Regular Office Hours

7 days per week, 0730-2230
Eastern Time (ET)

Hours of Service for Entrance and Clearance

Inspection services for the entrance/
arrival of aircraft at Wilmington
International Airport are generally
available between 0730-2230, 7
days per week, in accordance with
the port's permission to land
procedures.

Commercial aircraft operators
departing the U.S. must obtain an
outbound clearance by contacting
CBP directly.

Contact Information

(910) 364-8660 CBP Wilmington airport office
(910) 772-5900 CBP Wilmington administrative office
(800) 973-2867 SECTOR Communications toll free
(407) 975-1740 SECTOR Communications commercial
ilmpax@cbp.dhs.gov

Permission to Land Procedures

Pilots must secure permission to land by providing notice of
arrival to CBP at least two hours prior to departure from the
foreign port or place. Permission to land must be confirmed
by CBP either telephonically or via email.

Permission to land is granted with a tolerance of (+/-) 30
minutes. If your ETA deviates outside these parameters,
previously granted permission(s) are invalid and you must
contact the CBP port to re-secure permission to land.

Inspection Process

- Aircraft should park on the ramp at the FIS.
- The aircraft control tower can direct you in if needed.
- The FIS is not attached to the FBO or main terminal.
- A CBP Officer will meet the aircraft on the ramp to begin the inspection.
- All crew and passengers will be processed inside the FIS.
- Be prepared to present passports, visas, pilot's license, medical certificate, aircraft registration, and user fee decal (if appropriate).
- Aircraft crew will be directed to dispose of regulated waste/garbage in appropriate bins.
- Passengers can depart directly from FIS at the conclusion of their inspection.

Special Procedures/Miscellaneous

- Wilmington International Airport (KILM) is a designated airport to receive flights from south of 30 degrees north latitude [19 CFR 122.23; 19 CFR 122.24].
- Requests for clearance outside of regular hours (0730-2230) will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis.
- Advise CBP if transporting live or dead animals, weapons, hunting trophies or commercial imports.
- Any duty payments or other fees must be paid with U.S. cash or a check drawn on a U.S. bank.
- FBO contact information: Aero Center (910) 260-4933 and Modern Aviation at (910) 763-0146.

NOTE: For further detailed information regarding national GA processing standards and procedures, please refer to the CBP Private Aircraft Arrival Information Document or contact GAsupport@cbp.dhs.gov