

**CUSTOM TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS
PROPOSAL ONLY**

Date: 24 February 2004
Code: Bhutan / Myanmar – October 2005
Travellers: CSAA Group x 15

Itinerary: We recommend the following itinerary for your trip:

SAT / OCT 29 ARRIVE BANGKOK

Upon arrival in Bangkok you will be met and transferred to your hotel. Balance of the day is at leisure.

SUN / OCT 30 BANGKOK / PARO

You are transferred to the airport to join your flight to Bhutan, an incredible destination nestled in the Himalayas. Barely touched by globalization, the country has maintained its self imposed isolation for centuries. With its spectacular mountains, lush valleys, peaceful Buddhist culture and friendly people Bhutan offers travelers a truly unique travel experience.

Upon arrival in Paro transfer to your hotel. This afternoon visit the National Museum and the Paro Dzong, one of the oldest and most celebrated monasteries in all of Bhutan. Built in the 15th century, this architectural wonder is the religious and secular center for all the affairs of the Paro Valley. Bhutan's National Museum provides a very interesting perspective of the Bhutanese people. Tonight enjoy a special welcome banquet at the hotel.

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MON / OCT 31 PARO

Today an excursion is planned into the Paro Valley where you will visit some of the most important temples in Bhutan. Note: Travellers will need to wear comfortable and durable walking shoes as today's touring will entail some light hiking. For the truly ambitious, an optional pilgrimage to the Tiger's Nest Temple can be made. It is said that Guru Rinpoche, the father of Bhutanese Buddhism, arrived in the valley a thousand years ago on the back of a flying tigress. He meditated in a cave for three months where the Tiger's Nest Temple was later built.

Return to the hotel with the balance of the day at leisure.

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TUE / NOV 01 PARO / PUNAKHA

This morning you depart Paro and journey to Punakha by motorcoach. Punakha is the former capital of Bhutan and present day winter retreat for the central monk body. Your drive will take you via the Dochu La Pass where you will have your first glimpse of the Central-Eastern Himalaya Range and where you can enjoy spectacular views of the

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- Air:** DJI handling the following air:
Bangkok / Paro / Bangkok (Business Class)
Yangon / Mandalay (Economy Class)
Bagon / Yangon (Economy Class)
- Hotels:** Rates include taxes, and service charges. Based on the following hotels or similar, although subject to availability at the time of booking:
Oct 29-30 (1nt) Bangkok / Oriental Hotel
Oct 30-Nov 01(2nts) Paro / Amankora
Nov 01-02 (1nt) Punakha / Meri Punsum Resort
Nov 02-04 (2nts) Chuzomsa / Chuzomsa Resort
Nov 04-06 (2nts) Thimphu / Druk
Nov 06-07 (1nt) Paro / Zhiwaling Hotel
Nov 07-09 (2nts) Yangon / Governors Residence
Nov 09-12 (3nts) Cruise
- Transfers:** Private group transfers as indicated below.
* Bangkok airport / hotel
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* Paro airport / hotel
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- Tours:** Private sightseeing with professional English-speaking guides including entrance fees on group tours.
- Misc:** All taxes, service charges, and VAT for services listed above.

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TOUR COST: PER PERSON, BASED ON DOUBLE OCCUPANCY

LAND ARRANGEMENTS:	\$10,300 per person
SINGLE ROOM SUPPLEMENT	TBA
AIR: Air Bangkok / Paro / Bangkok:	\$975.00 per person

\$1500 per person deposit non-refundable
Final payment due July 25, 2005

Cancellation penalties:

90-61 days prior	15% of total package
60-43 days prior	25% of total package
42-31 days prior	50% of total package
30 days or less	100% of total package

Prices quoted are based on in-house tariffs and current rate of exchange. Prices quoted are ESTIMATED only and subject to change until paid in full. Prices based on a minimum of 16 full-paying travelers. Should minimum numbers not be reached, supplements will apply.

TERMS & CONDITIONS

RESERVATIONS: A non-refundable file fee of \$35.00 is required to receive an abbreviated proposal/itinerary with estimated price. For extensive tour planning a “plan-to-go” a non-refundable fee of \$75.00 is required in addition to the \$35.00 file fee. Bookings will be made and confirmations received after receipt of a PER PERSON deposit in the amount of \$50.00 (DJI Express), \$250.00 (independent tours). Certain custom programs may require additional deposits as suppliers warrant. Deposits are due within 7 days of booking. Late fees of \$75.00 or more per booking apply for bookings made within 15 business days of departure. Full payment for independent or custom/special interest tours due for bookings made within 45 days prior to departure unless otherwise specified. Full payment for DJI Express due 30 days prior to departure. Travel Insurance is recommended and can be purchased for an additional cost, through DJI.

**Note: Special conditions apply regarding international air reservations. International air tickets are subject to cancellation penalties. PLEASE NOTE: The following air is NOT included in the cost.
Honolulu / Bangkok
Bangkok / Yangon
Yangon / U.S.**

Note: Special conditions apply regarding land. A nonrefundable deposit of \$1500 is requested at the time of booking. Final payment is due 90 days (JULY 25) prior to departure.

Note: Additional deposits may apply for air and land. Deposits are non-refundable.

FINAL PAYMENT: Deposits are Non-refundable. Final payment is due 90 days before departure. Quoted price represents a “package price” for services offered and an itemization of individual component costs will not be made under any circumstances. Hotels and other components of tour package are subject to availability at the time of booking.

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Note: In compliance with Illinois state law and the Travel Promotion Consumer Protection Act, DJI Ltd. shall deposit 90% of all tour deposits and final payments into a special trust account in Harris Bank. DJI Ltd. shall withdraw money from this account under the following circumstances: (1) for partial or full payment for the services contracted for/by the traveler(s) to the person providing the services offered by DJI Ltd., (2) to make refunds provided for by written contract between DJI Ltd. and traveler(s) as outlined in the cancellation policy below or (3) to transfer balance to DJI Ltd. after tour has commenced.

CHANGES: Once a tour is confirmed, a charge of \$25.00 per booking, per change, will apply.

HOTELS: Based on standard rooms for single (1 person), double (2 people), or triple (3 people) occupancy. Special room requests can be taken in advance but are not guaranteed. Additional costs apply for upgraded rooms. Hotel rooms are generally not available until 12:00 Noon. Check-out time is generally 11:00 AM. Single accommodations based on single rooms, which can be considered small by North American standards. Heat and air-conditioning in Asian hotels may not be up to the standards of the USA. DJI reserves the right to substitute hotels listed for accommodations of similar standard as conditions may require. Porterage and city taxes are not included in the price, unless otherwise indicated.

BOAT TRAVEL: Superior A Deck cabins will be reserved on the Orient Express cruise.

TOURS: For programs including individual tours by English-speaking professional guide(s), additional charges may apply for entrance fees.

Special Note: Please communicate locally with your guide or driver. Asking questions or simply talking about the sites will “open up” your guide or driver, bringing the trip to a personal level and ultimately enhancing the overall tour experience. However, should you wish to make an additional stop to shop, have a snack, etc., you will need to relay this to your guide or driver/guide locally. Deviations to your itinerary are possible, provided there is a limited increase in mileage and time.

TRANSFERS: Group transfers are based on a coach with driver. **Individual transfers will incur additional costs.** Excess baggage may create logistical problems and will incur an additional expense.

MEALS / BEVERAGES: Breakfast, lunch and dinner is included in Bhutan and on the Orient Express cruise. DJI will endeavor to meet special meal requests where possible, but such requests must be made prior to departure. Beverages are considered a personal expense.

BAGGAGE: Baggage and personal effects are at the owner’s risk throughout the tour. Porterage within hotels is included in Bhutan and Myanmar. **On domestic flights in Myanmar, luggage is restricted to 44 pounds.** Baggage insurance is strongly recommended and available through DJI Ltd.

TAXES / SERVICE CHARGES: Taxes, VAT, and/or service charges as assessed by hotels, local authorities, and restaurants are included for services specified in the itinerary. Local city taxes are not included, where applicable, and must be paid directly to hotels.

DOCUMENTS: Final tour documents will be sent prior to departure provided full payment has been received.

PASSPORTS: All U.S. citizens traveling to internationally require a valid passport. Passports must be valid at least six months.

NOT INCLUDED IN TOUR COST: International airfare to and from Bangkok and to and from Yangon; meals other than those stated in the itinerary; tips to drivers, driver/guides, and professional guides (**in**

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Bangkok and Myanmar); costs of obtaining a passport; visas, excess baggage charges; items of a purely personal nature such as beverages, telephone calls, laundry, and faxes; hotel portorage (**in Bangkok**); airport departure taxes; local city taxes; airport surcharges; additional driver costs, etc. on rental cars; and excess mileage carried out at the unanimous request of the tour participants. Anything not specifically mentioned as being included is at travelers' own expense.

CANCELLATIONS: Per Person deposits of \$1500 are non-refundable. Custom/Special Interest tours subject to conditions stated at time of booking. File fees and deposits are non-refundable. Thereafter, the following penalties will apply: 90-61 days prior (15% of package price); 60-43 days prior (25% of package price); 42-31 days prior (50% of package price); 30 days or less prior subject to 100% of package per person.

Cancellations must be made in writing to DJI and received during normal office hours: Monday through Friday, 9:00 AM—5:00 PM Central Standard Time. DJI Ltd. reserves the right to amend these terms for independent tours or groups where suppliers dictate otherwise.

Cancellations of air reservations are subject to \$200 per person, in addition to the rules and regulations of the respective air carrier companies. Trip cancellation insurance is strongly recommended and available through DJI Ltd.

REFUNDS / CLAIMS: Once the tour has commenced, no refunds will be made for any unused portion of the tour whether for missed days, accommodations, meals, or any other service not utilized by tour participant. No refunds will be made in the event of traveler's "no show" or trip interruption. Tour termination for whatever reason does not automatically or necessarily guarantee any refund. Trip insurance is strongly recommended and available through DJI. Claims must be made in writing and will not be accepted after 30 days of tour completion.

Payment of the tour and other services constitutes your acceptance of the Terms & Conditions outlined here-in. DJI, Ltd. purchases services and products from outside agents. Vendors, suppliers, hoteliers, rental companies, rail companies, tour companies and other outside agents cannot assure refunds of money paid to DJI, Ltd. Assurances of refunds made by outside agents are not the responsibility of DJI. Ltd.

SPECIAL NOTE: All rates are quoted in U.S. dollars based on "three-month average" rate of exchange as of January 2005 and are subject to change without notice. Deposits do not guarantee rates of exchange and supplements can apply should there be a marked increase in rates of exchange. To guarantee quoted price, travelers have the option to pay in full within ten days after receipt of confirmed itinerary. Additional expenses incurred due to change or cancellation of flights will be the responsibility of the traveler.

RESPONSIBILITY: The tour is not operated by the Central Station Alarm Association (CSAA). Distinctive Journeys International, Ltd. contracts through independent suppliers and therefore acts only as an agent for the traveler regarding all services, accommodations, and transportation. Distinctive Journeys International and CSAA cannot be held liable for any loss, damage, injury, or expense to property or person for any reason. Distinctive Journeys International and CSAA are not liable for acts of God, acts of governments or other authorities, civil disturbances, terrorist acts, strikes, thefts, dangers pertaining to sea, land, or air travel, and any other similar act beyond its control. Distinctive Journeys International is not responsible for any delays or non-operation of any rail, air, or other means of transportation due to reasons beyond its control. Distinctive Journeys International reserves the right not to accept or retain any person as a member of any tour and to cancel or alter the tour. Payment of the tour cost constitutes acceptance of these terms and conditions as stated herewith and specifically outline in the individual tour itineraries.

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