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#### REVISION OF THE CONVENTION

# **Implementation of phase I of the TIR revision process**

## **Note by the UN/ECE secretariat**

- 1. In accordance with the Convention (Minimum conditions and requirements) the competent authorities of the Contracting Parties shall transmit to the TIR Executive Board (TIRExB) the following information and data:
- a) A certified copy of the written agreement or any other legal instrument between the competent authorities and the national association together, if necessary, with a certified translation into English, French or Russian, shall be deposited with the TIR Executive Board. Any changes to the written agreement or any other legal instrument shall be immediately brought to the attention of the TIR Executive Board. [Annex 9, Part I, article 1 (e)]

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- b) A certified copy of the insurance or financial guarantee contract(s) as well as all subsequent modifications thereto shall be deposited with the TIR Executive Board, including a certified translation, if necessary, into English, French or Russian. [Annex 9, Part I, article 1 (f) (v)]
- (....) to provide (....) a certificate of insurance made out by the international insurers, stating the name(s) of the insurance company(ies) and the name of the beneficiary (the national association). [TRANS/WP.30/AC.2/51, TRANS/WP.30/1998/11, TRANS/WP.30/1998/7]
- c) The competent authorities shall transmit within one week from the date of authorization or withdrawal of authorization to use TIR Carnets, the particulars of each person to the TIR Executive Board in conformity with the specimen authorization attached (MAF). [Annex 9 Part II, par. 4 and Art. 38 article 2]
- d) The association shall transmit annually an updated list as per 31 December of all authorized persons as well as of persons whose authorization has been withdrawn. This list shall be transmitted one week following the 31 December to the competent authorities. The competent authorities shall forward a copy thereof to the TIR Executive Board. [Annex 9 Part II, article 5]
- 2. At present, the following 31 countries with which a TIR transit operation can be established, out of 44, have transmitted the above mentioned information to the TIRExB:

Austria	413	Lithuania	1938
Belarus	2885	FRYO of Macedonia	665
Belgium and Luxembourg	107	Moldavia	143
Bulgaria	4918	Netherlands	505
Cyprus	43	Norway	23
Croatia	1203	Poland	2857
Czech Republic	1626	Romania	261
Denmark	58	Russian Federation	1139
Estonia	345	Slovak Republic	1881
Finland	473	Slovenia	879
France	224	Spain	42
Germany	764	Sweden	82
Greece	2235	Switzerland	83
Hungary	1080	Turkey	758
Ireland	0	United Kingdom	176

3. The following 13 countries have not jet transmitted the above mentioned information to the TIRExB:

Azerbaijan Latvia
Georgia Morocco \*/
Iran Portugal \*/
Italy Tunisia \*/
Jordan Ukraine
Kazakstan Uzbekistan

Kuwait

 $<sup>\</sup>stackrel{*/}{\mbox{--}}$  In this country there are no authorised TIR Carnet users