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International TIR Data Bank and electronic tools of the TIR secretariat

International TIR Data Bank (ITDB)

Note by the TIR secretariat

1. In line with the established practice, the Committee may wish to be informed of the status of the transmission of legally required documentation. The following table shows the status of the transmission of data to the ITDB in compliance with Annex 9, Part II, paragraphs 4 and 5, as well as the status of transmission of statutory information concerning insurance certificates, which is required at the beginning of each calendar year.
2. The ITDB contains at present information on more than 33,000 persons/companies authorized by national Customs authorities to utilize the TIR procedure and more than 34,000 persons/companies who have been withdrawn from the TIR system or have decided to end their TIR activities. It also contains information on persons excluded from the TIR procedure in accordance with Article 38 of the Convention.
3. The information contained in the ITDB can be consulted and amended on-line, using the ITDB online+ website, by Customs TIR Focal Points and by other Customs officials appointed by the national TIR Customs Focal Point and subsequently authorized by the TIR secretariat. National associations may also collaborate with Customs authorities to request modifications in the ITDB using the ITDB online+ website. The modifications requests will be validated by the competent Customs authorities. Authorization for national association's users should be requested through the corresponding TIR Focal Point.
4. Pending the consideration and possible adoption by the Committee of an Explanatory Note to Annex 9, Part II, paragraphs 4 and 5 (ECE/TRANS/WP.30/AC.2/2013/4), in the attached table the TIR secretariat has already taken into account that many Contracting Parties perform their data transmission by means of the ITDB online+ website.

Transmission status of the legally required documentation				
No.	Country	Reception of Insurance Certificate for 2013	Regular updates on TIR Carnet holders *	Annual updated list as per 31 December 2012 *
1	ALBANIA			YES
2	AUSTRIA	YES	YES	
3	ARMENIA	YES		
4	AZERBAIJAN	YES	YES	
5	BELARUS	YES	YES	
6/7	BELGIUM/LUXEMBOURG	YES	YES	YES
8	BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA	YES	YES	YES
9	BULGARIA	YES	YES	YES
10	CROATIA	YES	YES	YES
11	CYPRUS			
12	CZECH REPUBLIC	YES	YES	YES
13	DENMARK	YES	YES	
14	ESTONIA	YES	YES	
15	FINLAND	YES	YES	
16	FRANCE	YES	YES	YES
17	GEORGIA		YES	YES
18	GERMANY	YES	YES	
19	GREECE		YES	
20	HUNGARY	YES	YES	YES
21	IRAN		YES	YES
22	IRELAND			
23	ITALY	YES	YES	YES
24	ISRAEL			
25	JORDAN			
26	KAZAKHSTAN		YES	
27	KYRGYZSTAN		YES	YES
28	KUWAIT			
29	LATVIA		YES	YES
30	LEBANON			
31	LITHUANIA	YES	YES	YES
32	FYRO MACEDONIA		YES	YES
33	MALTA			
34	MOLDOVA, REPUBLIC OF			
35	MONTENEGRO	YES		
36	MONGOLIA			YES
37	MOROCCO			
38	NETHERLANDS	YES	YES	
39	NORWAY	YES	YES	YES
40	POLAND	YES	YES	
41	PORTUGAL		YES	
42	ROMANIA	YES	YES	YES
43	RUSSIAN FEDERATION	YES	YES	YES
44	SERBIA	YES	YES	YES
45	SLOVAKIA		YES	
46	SLOVENIA		YES	
47	SPAIN	YES	YES	YES
48	SWEDEN	YES	YES	YES
49	SWITZERLAND	YES	YES	YES
50	SYRIA			
51	TAJIKISTAN	YES		
52	TUNISIA			
53	TURKEY	YES	YES	
54	TURKMENISTAN	YES	YES	YES
55	UNITED KINGDOM	YES		
56	UKRAINE	YES	YES	YES
57	UZBEKISTAN	YES	YES	YES

* Both could be fulfilled by using the ITDB online+ website (<http://itdb.unece.org>)