

**ROAD TRANSPORT REGULATING  
AND ENFORCEMENT BODIES**

**GERMANY**  
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Country: GERMANY

Items to be controlled	Control authorities						
	Federal police	Federal States police	Customs	Transport Ministry	Road administration (BAG) <sup>1</sup>	Authorised technical experts/workshops	Other authorised bodies or officers
Traffic regulations and driving licences		x			x (only driving licence)		
Authorisations for international road transport (bilateral, EU, ECMT...)	x	x	x		x		
Special authorisations for carriage of passengers and other related documents (e.g. list of passengers)	x	x	x				
T1 documents or TIR Carnets		x	x				
Weights and dimensions		x			x		
Certificate for carriage of perishable foodstuffs and special equipment to be used for such carriage (ATP)		x			x		
Documents on veterinary and phytosanitary control		x					
Road user charges					x		
Technical conditions of motor vehicles		x			x		
Regulations on driving hours and rest periods		x			x		
Regulations on transport of dangerous goods	x	x	x		x		

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| 1 | Federal Office for Goods Transport (BAG) |
| 2 | Federal Police                           |

## USEFUL ADDRESSES, PHONE AND FAX NUMBERS IN GERMANY

EMERGENCY NUMBERS	
Police	110
Ambulance	112
Dangerous goods accident	110/112
Breakdown	110
Fire and Rescue	112

### National Competent Authorities and Control Authorities on International Passenger and Goods Traffic by Road

TRAFFIC REGULATIONS AND DOCUMENTS RELEVANT TO DRIVING			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Ministry of Transport and digital Infrastructure	+(49-228) 300 0	+(49-228) 300 3428
	Referat LA 21 (Driving License) Referat LA 22 (Traffic Regulations) Robert-Schuman-Platz 1 53175 Bonn <a href="http://www.bmvi.de">www.bmvi.de</a>	+(49-228) 300 4310 +(49-228) 300 4320	+(49-228) 300 5599 +(49-228) 300 5599
		Email: <a href="mailto:Ref-LA21@bmvi.bund.de">Ref-LA21@bmvi.bund.de</a> Email: <a href="mailto:Ref-LA22@bmvi.bund.de">Ref-LA22@bmvi.bund.de</a>	
Competent control authority	Federal States Police <a href="http://www.bundespolizei.de">www.bundespolizei.de</a>	<b>Free Hotline:</b> 0800 6 888 000	
		Email: <a href="#">through the website</a>	

TECHNICAL CONDITION OF VEHICLE			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Ministry of Transport and digital infrastructure	+(49-228) 300 0	+(49-228) 300 3428
	Referat LA 23 (Vehicle Safety) Referat LA 27 (Vehicle Engineering - Environment) Robert-Schuman-Platz 1 53175 Bonn <a href="http://www.bmvi.de">www.bmvi.de</a>	+(49-228) 300 4330 +(49-228) 300 2750	+(49-228) 300 5599 +(49-228) 300 2499
		Email: <a href="mailto:Ref-LA23@bmvi.bund.de">Ref-LA23@bmvi.bund.de</a> Email: <a href="mailto:Ref-LA27@bmvi.bund.de">Ref-LA27@bmvi.bund.de</a>	
Competent control authority	- Federal States Police <a href="http://www.bundespolizei.de">www.bundespolizei.de</a>		
	- Federal Office for Goods Transport <a href="http://www.bag.bund.de">www.bag.bund.de</a>	+(49-221) 5776 0 Email: <a href="mailto:poststelle@bag.bund.de">poststelle@bag.bund.de</a>	+(49-221) 5776 1777

<b>WEIGHTS AND DIMENSIONS OF A VEHICLE</b>			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Ministry of Transport and digital Infrastructure	+(49-228) 300 0	+(49-228) 300 3428
	Referat LA 23 (Vehicle Safety) Robert-Schuman-Platz 1 53175 Bonn <a href="http://www.bmvi.de">www.bmvi.de</a>	+(49-228) 300 4330	+(49-228) 300 5599
		Email: <a href="mailto:Ref-LA23@bmvi.bund.de">Ref-LA23@bmvi.bund.de</a>	
Authority/body in charge of issuing special permits for excess weight and dimensions	Road Traffic Authorities of the Federal States		
Competent control authority	- Federal States Police <a href="http://www.bundespolizei.de">www.bundespolizei.de</a>		
	- Federal Office for Goods Transport <a href="http://www.bag.bund.de">www.bag.bund.de</a>	+(49-221) 5776 0 Email: <a href="mailto:poststelle@bag.bund.de">poststelle@bag.bund.de</a>	+(49-221) 5776 1777

<b>MARKET ACCESS: INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORT OF GOODS BY ROAD</b>			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Ministry of Transport and digital infrastructure		
	Referat LA 24 (International Road Transport) Robert-Schuman-Platz 1 53175 Bonn <a href="http://www.bmvi.de">www.bmvi.de</a>	+(49-228) 300 4340	+(49-228) 300 1470
		Email: <a href="mailto:Ref-LA24@bmvi.bund.de">Ref-LA24@bmvi.bund.de</a>	
	Road Traffic Authorities of the Federal States		
Competent control authority on the use of authorisations by non-residents	Federal Office for Goods Transport <a href="http://www.bag.bund.de">www.bag.bund.de</a>	+(49-221) 5776 0 Email: <a href="mailto:poststelle@bag.bund.de">poststelle@bag.bund.de</a>	+(49-221) 5776 1777
	- Federal States Police - Customs Authorities - Federal Police - Federal Office for Goods Transport <a href="http://www.bag.bund.de">www.bag.bund.de</a>	+(49-221) 5776 0 Email: <a href="mailto:poststelle@bag.bund.de">poststelle@bag.bund.de</a>	+(49-221) 5776 1777

<b>MARKET ACCESS: INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORT OF PASSENGERS BY ROAD</b>			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Ministry of Transport and digital infrastructure		
	Referat LA 25 (Passenger Transport) Robert-Schuman-Platz 1 53175 Bonn <a href="http://www.bmvi.de">www.bmvi.de</a>	+(49-228) 300 4350 Email: <a href="mailto:Ref-LA25@bmvi.bund.de">Ref-LA25@bmvi.bund.de</a>	+(49-228) 300 1470
	Road Traffic Authorities of the Federal States		
	Federal Office for Goods Transport <a href="http://www.bag.bund.de">www.bag.bund.de</a>	+(49-221) 5776 0 Email: <a href="mailto:poststelle@bag.bund.de">poststelle@bag.bund.de</a>	+(49-221) 5776 1777
Competent control authority on the use of authorisations and other related documents by non-residents	- Federal States Police		
	- Customs Authorities - Federal Police		

<b>ROAD USER CHARGES</b>			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Ministry of Transport and digital infrastructure		
	Referat G 15 Invalidenstraße 44, 11030 Berlin <a href="http://www.bmvi.de">www.bmvi.de</a> :	+(49-30) 300 2460 Email: <a href="mailto:Ref-G15@bmvi.bund.de">Ref-G15@bmvi.bund.de</a>	+(49-30) 300 1920 / 1922
	Federal Office for Goods Transport <a href="http://www.bag.bund.de">www.bag.bund.de</a>	+(49-221) 5776 0 Email: <a href="mailto:poststelle@bag.bund.de">poststelle@bag.bund.de</a>	+(49-221) 5776 1777
	Federal Office for Goods Transport <a href="http://www.bag.bund.de">www.bag.bund.de</a>	+(49-221) 5776 0 Email: <a href="mailto:poststelle@bag.bund.de">poststelle@bag.bund.de</a>	+(49-221) 5776 1777
Competent authority/body in charge of collecting and control of charges	Federal Office for Goods Transport <a href="http://www.bag.bund.de">www.bag.bund.de</a>	+(49-221) 5776 0 Email: <a href="mailto:poststelle@bag.bund.de">poststelle@bag.bund.de</a>	+(49-221) 5776 1777

<b>VETERINARY AND PHYTOSANITARY CONTROL</b>			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Ministry of Food and Agriculture		
	Referat 512 (Phytosanitary) Referat 321 (Animal Protection) Rochusstr. 1, 53123 Bonn <a href="http://www.bmel.de">www.bmel.de</a>	+(49-228) 529 3590 +(49-228) 529 4354 Email: <a href="mailto:poststelle@bmel.bund.de">poststelle@bmel.bund.de</a>	+(49-228) 529 4262 +(49-228) 529 4262
Competent control authority	State agencies	Email:	

<b>TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS</b>			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Ministry of Transport and digital infrastructure		
	Referat UI 33 (Transport of Dangerous Goods) Robert-Schuman-Platz 1 53175 Bonn <a href="http://www.bmvi.de">www.bmvi.de</a>	+(49-228) 300 2640 Email: <a href="mailto:Ref-G24@bmvi.bund.de">Ref-G24@bmvi.bund.de</a>	+(49-228) 300 3428
Authority/body in charge of special authorisations	State agencies	Email:	
Competent control authority/body	- Federal States Police		
	- Federal Office for Goods Transport <a href="http://www.bag.bund.de">www.bag.bund.de</a>	+(49-221) 5776 0 Email: <a href="mailto:poststelle@bag.bund.de">poststelle@bag.bund.de</a>	+(49-221) 5776 1777

<b>SOCIAL REGULATIONS (DRIVING AND RESTING HOURS)</b>			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Ministry of Transport and digital infrastructure		
	Referat LA 24 (International Road Transport) Robert-Schuman-Platz 1 53175 Bonn <a href="http://www.bmvi.de">www.bmvi.de</a>	+(49-228) 300 4340 Email: <a href="mailto:Ref-LA24@bmvi.bund.de">Ref-LA24@bmvi.bund.de</a>	+(49-228) 300 1470
Competent control authority	- Federal States Police		
	- Federal Office for Goods Transport <a href="http://www.bag.bund.de">www.bag.bund.de</a>	+(49-221) 5776 0 Email: <a href="mailto:poststelle@bag.bund.de">poststelle@bag.bund.de</a>	+(49-221) 5776 1777

CUSTOMS AND TRANSIT REGULATIONS			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Federal Ministry of Finance		
	Referat III B 2, 53003 Bonn <a href="http://www.bundesfinanzministerium.de">www.bundesfinanzministerium.de</a>	+ (49-228) 682-0 Email: <a href="mailto:poststelle@bmf.bund.de">poststelle@bmf.bund.de</a>	+ (49-228) 682-4420
Competent authorities /bodies in charge of T and TIR regimes	- Customs Authorities		

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		Email: <a href="mailto:poststelle@bmvi.bund.de">poststelle@bmvi.bund.de</a>
Land Transport Department – Section of Freight Transport <a href="http://www.bmvi.de">www.bmvi.de</a>		Email: <a href="mailto:Ref-LA24@bmvi.bund.de">Ref-LA24@bmvi.bund.de</a>
Land Transport Department – Section of Passenger Transport <a href="http://www.bmvi.de">www.bmvi.de</a>		Email: <a href="mailto:Ref-LA25@bmvi.bund.de">Ref-LA25@bmvi.bund.de</a>
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<b>Freight Transport:</b> Federal Association of Freight, Logistics and Disposal (BGL) Breitenbacherstraße 1, 60487 Frankfurt am Main <a href="http://www.bgl-ev.de">www.bgl-ev.de</a>	+ (49-69) 7919 0	+ (49-69) 7919 227
		Email: <a href="mailto:bgl@bgl-ev.de">bgl@bgl-ev.de</a>
<b>Passenger Transport:</b> Federal Association of German bus and Coach operators e.V. (bdo) Rheinhardstraße 25, 10117 Berlin <a href="http://www.bdo-online.de">www.bdo-online.de</a>	+ (49-30) 240 89 300	+ (49-30) 240 89 400
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