

**ROAD TRANSPORT REGULATING  
AND ENFORCEMENT BODIES**

**SWITZERLAND**

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Country: SWITZERLAND

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

## USEFUL ADDRESSES, PHONE AND FAX NUMBERS IN SWITZERLAND

EMERGENCY NUMBERS	
Police	117
Ambulance	144
Dangerous goods accident	117/118
Breakdown	140
Fire and Rescue	118

### 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	Office fédéral des routes 3003 Berne <a href="http://www.astra.admin.ch">www.astra.admin.ch</a>	+ (41) (0) 58 462 94 11	
		Email: <a href="mailto:info@astra.admin.ch">info@astra.admin.ch</a>	
Competent control authority	Polices cantonales Bureau de douane de frontière <a href="http://www.ezv.admin.ch">www.ezv.admin.ch</a>		
		Email: <a href="mailto:ozd.zentrale@ezv.admin.ch">ozd.zentrale@ezv.admin.ch</a>	

TECHNICAL CONDITION OF VEHICLE			
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		Email: <a href="mailto:info@astra.admin.ch">info@astra.admin.ch</a>	
Competent control authority	Polices cantonales Services cantonaux des automobiles Bureau de douane de frontière <a href="http://www.ezv.admin.ch">www.ezv.admin.ch</a>		
		Email: <a href="mailto:ozd.zentrale@ezv.admin.ch">ozd.zentrale@ezv.admin.ch</a>	

<b>WEIGHTS AND DIMENSIONS OF A VEHICLE</b>			
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		Email: <a href="mailto:info@astra.admin.ch">info@astra.admin.ch</a>	
Authority/body in charge of issuing special permits for excess weight and dimensions	Office fédéral des routes 3003 Berne <a href="http://www.astra.admin.ch">www.astra.admin.ch</a>	+ (41)-(0)58462 94 11	
		Email: <a href="mailto:info@astra.admin.ch">info@astra.admin.ch</a>	
Competent control authority	Polices cantonales Bureau de douane de frontière <a href="http://www.ezv.admin.ch">www.ezv.admin.ch</a>		
		Email: <a href="mailto:ozd.zentrale@ezv.admin.ch">ozd.zentrale@ezv.admin.ch</a>	

<b>MARKET ACCESS: INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORT OF GOODS BY ROAD</b>			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Office fédéral des transports 3003 Berne <a href="http://www.bav.admin.ch">www.bav.admin.ch</a>	+ (41)-(0)58 464 63 43	+ (41)-(0)58 464 11 86
		Email: <a href="mailto:Charles.Wicht@bav.admin.ch">Charles.Wicht@bav.admin.ch</a>	
Competent control authority on the use of authorisations by non-residents	Polices cantonales Bureau de douane de frontière <a href="http://www.ezv.admin.ch">www.ezv.admin.ch</a>		
		Email: <a href="mailto:ozd.zentrale@ezv.admin.ch">ozd.zentrale@ezv.admin.ch</a>	

<b>MARKET ACCESS: INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORT OF PASSENGERS BY ROAD</b>			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Office fédéral des transports 3003 Berne <a href="http://www.bav.admin.ch">www.bav.admin.ch</a>	+ (41)-(0)58 464 6341	+ (41)-(0)58 464 1186
		Email: <a href="mailto:jasmina.trlajic@bav.admin.ch">jasmina.trlajic@bav.admin.ch</a>	
Competent control authority on the use of authorisations and other related documents by non-residents	Office fédéral des transports 3003 Berne <a href="http://www.bav.admin.ch">www.bav.admin.ch</a>	+ (41)-(0)58 464 6341	+ (41)-(0)58 464 1186
		Email: <a href="mailto:jasmina.trlajic@bav.admin.ch">jasmina.trlajic@bav.admin.ch</a>	
	Police cantonales Bureau de douane de frontière <a href="http://www.ezv.admin.ch">www.ezv.admin.ch</a>		

ROAD USER CHARGES			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Office fédéral du développement territorial <a href="http://www.are.admin.ch">www.are.admin.ch</a>	+ (41) - (0) 58 462 75 20	+ (41) - (0) 58 462 78 69
		Email: <a href="mailto:Aurelio.Vigani@are.admin.ch">Aurelio.Vigani@are.admin.ch</a>	
Competent authority/body in charge of collecting and control of charges	Bureau de douane de frontière <a href="http://www.ezv.admin.ch">www.ezv.admin.ch</a>		
		Email: <a href="mailto:ozd.zentrale@ezv.admin.ch">ozd.zentrale@ezv.admin.ch</a>	

PHYTOSANITARY CONTROL			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Office fédéral de l'agriculture 3003 Berne  Contrôle phytosanitaire Office fédéral de l'agriculture Section Certification, protection des plantes et des variétés 3003 Berne <a href="http://www.blw.admin.ch">www.blw.admin.ch</a>	+ (41) - (0) 58 462 25 11	+ (41) - (0) 58 462 26 34
		+ (41) - (0) 58 462 25 11	+ (41) - (0) 58 462 26 34
		Email: <a href="mailto:phyto@blw.admin.ch">phyto@blw.admin.ch</a>	
Competent control authority	Office fédéral de l'agriculture Section Certification, protection des plantes et des variétés <a href="http://www.blw.admin.ch">www.blw.admin.ch</a>  Bureau de douane de frontière (Service phytosanitaire) <a href="http://www.ezv.admin.ch">www.ezv.admin.ch</a>	+ (41) - (0) 58 462 25 50	+ (41) - (0) 58 462 26 34
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		Email: <a href="mailto:ozd.zentrale@ezv.admin.ch">ozd.zentrale@ezv.admin.ch</a>	

<b>VETERINARY CONTROL</b>			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Office fédéral de la sécurité alimentaire et des affaires vétérinaires 3003 Berne <a href="http://www.blv.admin.ch">www.blv.admin.ch</a>	+(41)-(0)58 463 30 33	
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Competent control authority	Office fédéral de la sécurité alimentaire et des affaires vétérinaires 3003 Berne <a href="http://www.blv.admin.ch">www.blv.admin.ch</a>	+(41)-(0)58 463 30 33	
		Email: <a href="mailto:info@blv.admin.ch">info@blv.admin.ch</a>	
	Bureau de douane de frontière <a href="http://www.ezv.admin.ch">www.ezv.admin.ch</a>		Email: <a href="mailto:ozd.zentrale@ezv.admin.ch">ozd.zentrale@ezv.admin.ch</a>

<b>TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS</b>			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Office fédéral des routes 3003 Berne <a href="http://www.astra.admin.ch">www.astra.admin.ch</a>	+(41)-(0)58 462 94 11	
		Email: <a href="mailto:info@astra.admin.ch">info@astra.admin.ch</a>	
Authority/body in charge of special authorisations	Office fédéral des routes 3003 Berne <a href="http://www.astra.admin.ch">www.astra.admin.ch</a>	+(41)-(0)58 462 94 11	
		Email: <a href="mailto:info@astra.admin.ch">info@astra.admin.ch</a>	
Competent control authority/body	Polices cantonales Bureau de douane de frontières <a href="http://www.ezv.admin.ch">www.ezv.admin.ch</a>		
		Email: <a href="mailto:ozd.zentrale@ezv.admin.ch">ozd.zentrale@ezv.admin.ch</a>	

<b>SOCIAL REGULATIONS (DRIVING AND RESTING HOURS)</b>			
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National competent authorities	Office fédéral des routes 3003 Berne <a href="http://www.astra.admin.ch">www.astra.admin.ch</a>	+(41)-(0)58 462 94 11	
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Competent control authority	Polices cantonales Sevices cantonaux des automobiles Bureau de douane de frontière <a href="http://www.ezv.admin.ch">www.ezv.admin.ch</a>		
		Email: <a href="mailto:ozd.zentrale@ezv.admin.ch">ozd.zentrale@ezv.admin.ch</a>	

<b>CUSTOMS AND TRANSIT REGULATIONS</b>			
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National competent authorities	Direction générale des douanes 3003 Berne <a href="http://www.ezv.admin.ch">www.ezv.admin.ch</a>		
		Email: <a href="mailto:ozd.zentrale@ezv.admin.ch">ozd.zentrale@ezv.admin.ch</a>	
Competent authorities/bodies in charge of T and TIR regimes	Direction générale des douanes 3003 Berne  Bureau de douane de frontière <a href="http://www.ezv.admin.ch">www.ezv.admin.ch</a>		
		Email: <a href="mailto:ozd.zentrale@ezv.admin.ch">ozd.zentrale@ezv.admin.ch</a>	

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Federal Office of Transport – Section of Freight Transport <a href="http://www.bav.admin.ch">www.bav.admin.ch</a>		+ (41)-(0)58 464 63 43	+ (41)-(0)58 464 11 86
	Email: <a href="mailto:charles.wicht@bav.admin.ch">charles.wicht@bav.admin.ch</a>		
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Passenger Transport: ASTAG <a href="http://www.astag.ch">www.astag.ch</a>		+ (41)-(0)31 370 85 85	+ (41)-(0)31 370 85 89
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