

**ROAD TRANSPORT REGULATING
AND ENFORCEMENT BODIES**

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Country: IRELAND

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			X1
Authorisations for international road transport (bilateral, EU, ECMT...)				X			
Special authorisations for carriage of passengers and other related documents (e.g. list of passengers)				X			X2
T1 documents or TIR Carnets			X				
Weights and dimensions							X1
Certificate for carriage of perishable foodstuffs and special equipment to be used for such carriage (ATP)							X3
Documents on veterinary and phytosanitary control							X3
Road user charges				X			X4
Technical conditions of motor vehicles							X1
Regulations on driving hours and rest periods				X			X1
Regulations on transport of dangerous goods							X5,X6

Note: 1 = Road Safety Authority
2 = National Transport Authority
3 = Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food
4 = Department of Environment, Community and Local Government and Department of Finance
5 = Health and Safety Authority
6 = Department Of Jobs, Enterprise, & Innovation

USEFUL ADDRESSES, PHONE AND FAX NUMBERS IN IRELAND

EMERGENCY NUMBERS	
Police	999 or 112
Ambulance	999 or 112
Dangerous goods accident	999 or 112
Breakdown	999 or 112
Fire and Rescue	999 or 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	Department Of Transport Tourism and Sport, 4 Kildare Street, Dublin 2. www.dttas.ie	+(353 – 1) 6707444	
		Email: info@dtas.ie	
Competent control authority	Road Safety Authority, Moyvalley Business Park, Primrose Hill, Dublin Road, Ballina, Co. Mayo. www.rsa.ie	+(353 – 96) 25000	
		Email: info@rsa.ie	

TECHNICAL CONDITION OF VEHICLE			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Road Safety Authority, Moyvalley Business Park, Primrose Hill, Dublin Road, Ballina, Co. Mayo. www.rsa.ie	+(353 – 96) 25000	
		Email: info@rsa.ie	
Competent control authority	Road Safety Authority, Moyvalley Business Park, Primrose Hill, Dublin Road, Ballina, Co. Mayo. www.rsa.ie	+(353 – 96) 25000	
		Email: info@rsa.ie	

WEIGHTS AND DIMENSIONS OF A VEHICLE			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Road Safety Authority, Moyvalley Business Park, Primrose Hill, Dublin Road, Ballina, Co. Mayo. www.rsa.ie	+(353 – 96) 25000 Email: info@rsa.ie	
Authority/body in charge of issuing special permits for excess weight and dimensions	Road Safety Authority, Moyvalley Business Park, Primrose Hill, Dublin Road, Ballina, Co. Mayo. www.rsa.ie	+(353 – 96) 25000 Email: info@rsa.ie	
Competent control authority	Road Safety Authority, Moyvalley Business Park, Primrose Hill, Dublin Road, Ballina, Co. Mayo. www.rsa.ie	+(353 – 96) 25000 Email: info@rsa.ie	

MARKET ACCESS: INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORT OF GOODS BY ROAD			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Road Transport Operator Licensing Unit, Department Of Transport Tourism and Sport, Clonfert House, Bride Street, Loughrea, Co. Galway www.dttas.ie	+(353 – 1) 6707444 Email: rtol@dtas.ie	
Competent control authority on the use of authorisations by non-residents	Road Safety Authority, Moyvalley Business Park, Primrose Hill, Dublin Road, Ballina, Co. Mayo. www.rsa.ie	+(353 – 96) 25000 Email: info@rsa.ie	

MARKET ACCESS: INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORT OF PASSENGERS BY ROAD

	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Road Transport Operator Licensing Unit, Department Of Transport Tourism and Sport, Clonfert House, Bride Street, Loughrea, Co. Galway www.dttas.ie	+ (353 – 1) 6707444	
		Email: rtol@dtas.ie	
Competent control authority on the use of authorisations and other related documents by non-residents	Road Safety Authority, Moyvalley Business Park, Primrose Hill, Dublin Road, Ballina, Co. Mayo. www.rsa.ie	+ (353 – 96) 25000	
		Email: info@rsa.ie	

ROAD USER CHARGES

	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Department Of Environment, Heritage and Local Government, Custom House, Dublin 1. www.environ.ie	+ (353 – 1) 8882000	+ (353 – 1) 8882888
		Email: department@environ.ie	
	Department Of Transport, Tourism and Sport, 44 Kildare Street, Dublin 2. www.dttas.ie	+ (353 – 1) 6707444	
		Email: rtol@dtas.ie	
		+ (353 – 1) 6767571	+ (353 – 1) 6789936
Department Of Finance, Government Buildings, Upper Merrion Street, Dublin 2. www.finance.gov.ie		Email: webmaster@finance.gov.ie	
Competent authority/body in charge of collecting and control of charges	Department Of Environment, Heritage and Local Government, Custom House, Dublin 1. www.environ.ie	+ (353 – 1) 8882000	+ (353 – 1) 8882888
		Email: department@environ.ie	

VETERINARY AND PHYTOSANITARY CONTROL			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Department of Agriculture & Food Kildare St., Dublin 2 www.agriculture.ie	+(353 – 1) 6072000	
		Email: info@agriculture.gov.ie	
Competent control authority	Department of Agriculture & Food Kildare St., Dublin 2 www.agriculture.ie	+(353 – 1) 6072000	
		Email: info@agriculture.gov.ie	

TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Health & Safety Authority, The Metropolitan Building, James Joyce Street, Dublin 1. www.hsa.ie Department Of Jobs, Enterprise & Innovation, 23 Kildare Street, Dublin 2.	+(353 – 1) 8792600	+(353 -1) 6147125
		Email: wcu@hsa.ie	
Authority/body in charge of special authorisations	Health & Safety Authority, The Metropolitan Building, James Joyce Street, Dublin 1 www.hsa.ie	+(353 – 1) 8792600	+(353 -1) 6147125
		Email: wcu@hsa.ie	
Competent control authority/body	Health & Safety Authority, The Metropolitan Building, James Joyce Street, Dublin 1 www.hsa.ie	+(353 – 1) 8792600	+(353 -1) 6147125
		Email: wcu@hsa.ie	

SOCIAL REGULATIONS (DRIVING AND RESTING HOURS)			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Road Transport Operator Licensing Unit, Department Of Transport Tourism and Sport, Clonfert House, Bride Street, Loughrea, Co. Galway www.dttas.ie	+(353 – 1) 6707444	
		Email: rtol@dtas.ie	
Competent control authority	Road Safety Authority, Moyvalley Business Park, Primrose Hill, Dublin Road, Ballina, Co. Mayo. www.rsa.ie	+(353 – 96) 25000	
		Email: info@rsa.ie	

CUSTOMS AND TRANSIT REGULATIONS			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Revenue Commissioners, Government Offices, St. Conlons Road, Nenagh, Co. Tipperary. www.revenue.ie	+(353 – 67) 63218	+(353 – 67) 44126
		Email: transit@revenue.ie	
Competent authorities/bodies in charge of T and TIR regimes	Revenue Commissioners, Government Offices, St. Conlons Road, Nenagh, Co. Tipperary. www.revenue.ie	+(353 – 67) 63218	+(353 – 67) 44126
		Email: transit@revenue.ie	

MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT		
	Phone	Fax
Ministry of Transport www.dttas.ie	+ (353-1) 6707444	
	Email: info@dtas.ie	
Road Transport Department – Section of Freight Transport www.dttas.ie	+ (353-1) 6707444	
	rtol@dtas.ie	
Road Transport Department – Section of Passenger Transport www.dttas.ie	+ (353-1) 6707444	
	Email: rtol@dtas.ie	
Department of International Relations www.dttas.ie		
	Email : info@dtas.ie	

ASSOCIATIONS OF INTERNATIONAL ROAD TRANSPORT OPERATORS		
	Phone	Fax
Freight Transport: Irish Road Haulage Association http://www.irha.ie Freight Transport Association Ireland http://www.ftai.ie Irish International Freight Association http://www.iifa.ie		
	Email:	
Passenger Transport: Private Coach Bus Owners Alliance http://www.pcboa.ie Coach Tourism & Transport Council of Ireland http://www.cttc.ie		
	Email:	