

**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) ¹	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		

Note:

(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	Federal Ministry for Digital and Transport www.bmdv.bund.de	+49 228 300 0	+49-228 300 3428
		Email: poststelle@bmdv.bund.de	
	Department StV 11 (Driving License)	+49 228 300 7560	+49 228 300 807 7560
	Department StV 12 (Traffic Regulations) Robert-Schuman-Platz 1 53175 Bonn www.bmdv.bund.de	+49 228 300 7530	+49 228 300 807 7530
		Email: Ref-StV11@bmdv.bund.de Email: Ref-StV12@bmdv.bund.de	
Competent control authority	Federal States Police www.bundespolizei.de	Free Hotline: 0800 6 888 000	
		Email: through the website	

TECHNICAL CONDITION OF VEHICLE			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Federal Ministry for Digital and Transport www.bmvi.de	+49 228 300 0	+49 228 300 3428
		Email: poststelle@bmdv.bund.de	
	Department StV 22 (Vehicle Safety and innovative Technologies) Department StV 23 (Vehicle Engineering - Environment) Robert-Schuman-Platz 1 53175 Bonn www.bmdv.bund.de	+49 228 300 7630 +49 228 300 7640	+49 228 300 807 7630 +49 228 300 807 7640
		Email: Ref-StV22@bmdv.bund.de Email: Ref-StV23@bmdv.bund.de	
Competent control authority	- Federal States Police www.bundespolizei.de	+49 221 5776 0	+49 221 57 76 17 77
	- Federal Office for Goods Transport www.bag.bund.de	Email: poststelle@bag.bund.de	

WEIGHTS AND DIMENSIONS OF A VEHICLE			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Federal Ministry for Digital and Transport www.bmdv.bund.de	+49 228 300 0	+49 228 300 3428
		Email: poststelle@bmdv.bund.de	
	Department StV 22 (Vehicle Safety and innovative Technologies) Robert-Schuman-Platz 1 53175 Bonn www.bmdv.bund.de	+49 228 300 7630	+49 228 300 807 7630
		Email: Ref-StV22@bmdv.bund.de	
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 www.bundespolizei.de	+49 221 5776 0	+49 221 57 76 17 77
	- Federal Office for Goods Transport www.bag.bund.de	Email: poststelle@bag.bund.de	

MARKET ACCESS: INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORT OF GOODS BY ROAD			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Federal Ministry for Digital and Transport www.bmdv.bund.de	+49 228 300 7540	+49 228 300 807 7540
		Email: Ref-StV13@bmdv.bund.de	
	Department StV 13 (International Road Transport) Robert-Schuman-Platz 1 53175 Bonn www.bmdv.bund.de Road Traffic Authorities of the Federal States	+49 221 5776 0	+49 221 57 76 17 77
		Email: poststelle@bag.bund.de	
Federal Office for Goods Transport www.bag.bund.de	+49 221 5776 0	+49 221 57 76 17 77	
	Email: poststelle@bag.bund.de		
Competent control authority on the use of authorisations by non-residents	- Federal States Police - Customs Authorities - Federal Police - Federal Office for Goods Transport www.bag.bund.de		
		+49 221 5776 0	+49 221 57 76 17 77
		Email: poststelle@bag.bund.de	

MARKET ACCESS: INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORT OF PASSENGERS BY ROAD			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Federal Ministry for Digital and Transport www.bmdv.bund.de		
		Email: Ref-StV14@bmdv.bund.de	
	Department StV 14 (Passenger Transport) Robert-Schuman-Platz 1 53175 Bonn www.bmdv.bund.de Road Traffic Authorities of the Federal States	+49 228 300 7550	+49 228 300 807 7550
		Email: Ref-StV14@bmdv.bund.de	
Federal Office for Goods Transport www.bag.bund.de	+49 221 5776 0	+49 221 57 76 17 77	
	Email: poststelle@bag.bund.de		

Competent control authority on the use of authorisations and other related documents by non-residents	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Federal States Police - Customs Authorities - Federal Police 	
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ROAD USER CHARGES			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Federal Ministry for Digital and Transport www.bmdv.bund.de		
	Department StV 10 Invalidenstraße 44, 11030 Berlin www.bmdv.bund.de	+49 30 300 7510	+49 30 300 807 7510
		Email: Ref-StV10@bmdv.bund.de	
	Federal Office for Goods Transport www.bag.bund.de	+49 221 5776 0	+49 221 57 76 17 77
		Email: poststelle@bag.bund.de	
Competent authority/body in charge of collecting and control of charges	Federal Office for Goods Transport www.bag.bund.de	+49 221 5776 0	+49 221 57 76 17 77
		Email: poststelle@bag.bund.de	

VETERINARY AND PHYTOSANITARY CONTROL			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
Federal competent authority	Federal Ministry of Food and Agriculture Rochusstraße 1 53123 Bonn www.bmel.de	+49 228 99 529 0	+49 228 99 529 4262
		Email: poststelle@bmel.bund.de	
Competent control authorities	Competent authorities of the Federal States		

TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Federal Ministry for Digital and Transport www.bmdv.bund.de	+49 228 300 2470 Email: Ref-G16@bmdv.bund.de	+49 228 300 807 2470
	Department G 16 (Transport of Dangerous Goods) Robert-Schuman-Platz 1 53175 Bonn www.bmdv.bund.de		
Authority/body in charge of special authorisations	State agencies		
Competent control authority/body	- Federal States Police		
	- Federal Office for Goods Transport www.bag.bund.de	+49 221 5776 0 Email: poststelle@bag.bund.de	+49 221 5776 1777

SOCIAL REGULATIONS (DRIVING AND RESTING HOURS)			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Federal Ministry for Digital and Transport www.bmdv.bund.de		
	Department StV 13 (International Road Transport) Robert-Schuman-Platz 1 53175 Bonn www.bmdv.bund.de	+49 228 300 7540 Email: Ref-StV13@bmdv.bund.de	+49 228 300 807 7540
Competent control authority	- Federal States Police	+49 221 5776 0	+49 221 5776 1777
	- Federal Office for Goods Transport www.bag.bund.de	Email: poststelle@bag.bund.de	

CUSTOMS AND TRANSIT REGULATIONS			
	Name and address	Phone	Fax
National competent authorities	Federal Ministry of Finance Department III B 1 Wilhelmstraße 97 10117 Berlin www.bundesfinanzministerium.de Central Customs Authority Direktion V Am Propsthof 78a 53121 Bonn www.zoll.de	+49 30 18682 0	+49 30 18682-882342
		Email: poststelle@bmf.bund.de	
		+49 228 303 0	+49 228 303-99000
		Email: DV.GZD@zoll.bund.de	
Competent authorities /bodies in charge of Transit and TIR regimes	Central Customs Authority Direktion V Stubbenhuk 3 20459 Hamburg www.zoll.de	+49 228 303-0	+49 228 303-98651
		Email: DV.GZD@zoll.bund.de	

MINISTRY FOR DIGITAL AND TRANSPORT		
	Phone	Fax
Federal Ministry for Digital and Transport www.bmdv.bund.de	+49 228 300 0	+49 228 300 1458
	Email: poststelle@bmdv.bund.de	
Land Transport Department – Section of Freight Transport www.bmdv.bund.de	Email: Ref-StV13@bmdv.bund.de	
Land Transport Department – Section of Passenger Transport www.bmdv.bund.de	Email: Ref-StV14@bmdv.bund.de	
Department of International Relations www.bmdv.bund.de	Email: Ref-L15@bmdv.bund.de Email: Ref-StV13@bmdv.bund.de	

ASSOCIATIONS OF INTERNATIONAL ROAD TRANSPORT OPERATORS		
	Phone	Fax
Freight Transport: Federal Association of Road Haulage, Logistics and Disposal (BGL) Breitenbacherstraße 1 60487 Frankfurt am Main www.bgl-ev.de	+49 69 7919 0	+49 69 7919 227
	Email: bgl@bgl-ev.de	
Freight Transport: German Association for Freight Forwarding and Logistics (DSLVL) Friedrichstraße 155-156 Unter den Linden 24 10117 Berlin www.dslv.org	+49 30 4050228 0	+49 30 4050228 88
	Email: info@dslv.spediteure.de	
Freight Transport: Federal Association of Transport and Logistics in Industry and Trade (BWVL) Lengsdorfer Hauptstr. 75 53127 Bonn www.bwvl.de	+49 228 9 25 35 0	+49 228 9 25 35 45
	Email: info@bwvl.de	
Freight Transport: Federal Association of Furniture Forwarders and Logistics (AMÖ) Schulstraße 53 65795 Hattersheim www.amoe.de	+49 6190 98 98 13	+49 6190 98 98 20
	Email: info@amoe.de	
Passenger Transport: Association of German Transport Companies (VDV) Kamekestrasse 37-39 50672 Köln www.vdv.de	+49 221 57979 0	+49 221 57979 8000
	Email: info@vdv.de	
Passenger Transport: Federal Association of German bus and Coach operators e.V. (bdo) Rheinhardstraße 25 10117 Berlin www.bdo.org	+49 30 240 89 300	+49 30 240 89 400
	Email: info@bdo.org	