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## TO THE MEMBER STATES AND ASSOCIATE MEMBERS OF OTIF AND TO REGIONAL ORGANISATIONS WHICH HAVE ACCEDED TO COTIF

## **Depositary Notification**

Modifications to the ATMF UR (Appendix G to COTIF) adopted by the Revision Committee using the written procedure

In his capacity as the Depositary, the Secretary General of the Intergovernmental Organisation for International Carriage by Rail (OTIF) notifies you of the following.

On 28 October 2022, the Revision Committee adopted modifications to the ATMF Uniform Rules (Appendix G to COTIF) using the written procedure. The result of the vote and the decisions were notified in circular SG-22035 of 31 October 2022.

In accordance with Article 35 § 3 of COTIF, the modifications will enter into force on the first day of the twelfth month following this notification, i.e. on 1 November 2023, unless one quarter of the Member States formulate an objection during the four months from the day of this notification in accordance with Article 35 § 4 of COTIF. The period for objections ends on 23 March 2023. Once this deadline has expired, we will inform you of the situation.

When these modifications enter into force, this will be the case for all Member States, with the exception of those which have made a declaration not to apply the ATMF Uniform Rules pursuant to Article 42 § 1 of COTIF, and those which, within the period of four months from the date of this notification, have formulated an objection in accordance with Article 35 § 4 of COTIF.

The modifications to the ATMF Uniform Rules are shown in the annex to this circular. The texts are also published on OTIF's website under <u>Activities</u> > <u>Revision Committee</u> > <u>Notifications</u>.

(Wolfgang Küpper) Secretary General

## Annex:

NOT-22042 Annexe/Anlage/Annex

Modification de l'Appendice G (RU ATMF) - (Texte tel que modifié par la Commission de révision) Änderung des Anhangs G (ER ATMF) - (vom Revisionsausschuss geänderter Text) Modification of Appendix G (ATMF UR) – (Text as modified by the Revision Committee)