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

Depositary Notification

Entry into force of the modifications to RID (Annex to Appendix C of the Convention) adopted by the 57th session of the RID Committee of Experts
In his capacity as depositary, the Secretary General of the Intergovernmental Organisation for International Carriage by Rail (OTIF) notifies the following:

The modifications to RID (Annex to Appendix C to the Convention) adopted by the Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods (RID Committee of Experts) at its 57th session were notified by the Secretary General on 1 July 2022 (NOT-RID-22035).

By 1 November 2022, the Secretary General had not received any objections to the above-mentioned modifications in accordance with Article 35 § 3 of COTIF from those Member States which, in accordance with the first sentence of Article 42 § 1 of COTIF, have not made a declaration not to apply Appendix C (RID). Consequently, the above-mentioned modifications will enter into force on 1 January 2023 for all Member States that have not made a declaration not to apply Appendix C (RID) in accordance with the first sentence of Article 42 § 1 of COTIF.

The texts are published on OTIF’s website under “Activities > Dangerous Goods > Notifications”.

Yours faithfully

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Secretary General