



Approvals of amendments to COTIF

On 13 March 2017, Sweden deposited its instrument of approval of the amendments to COTIF, signed by the Minister of Foreign Affairs, Margot Wallström.

These amendments to COTIF were adopted by OTIF's 12th General Assembly in September 2015. They concern COTIF Appendices D (CUV UR), F (APTU UR) and G (ATMF UR).

The Swedish government approved them on 26 January 2017 after completing its internal legal procedures. In October 2016, Switzerland also approved the amendments. The Secretariat welcomes these approvals.

For more information, see [Notification of amendments adopted by OTIF's 12th General Assembly](#).

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The Convention concerning International Carriage by Rail (COTIF) is OTIF's basic text. COTIF enables legal interoperability to be extended and technical interoperability to be improved and contributes to the development of multimodal transport.