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Preliminary comments from the International Rail Transport Committee (CIT)

Dear Secretary General

Thank you for the preliminary draft new wording for Article 1 of the CUI Uniform Rules. We welcome this draft and are currently reviewing it in the CIT bodies.

It looks possible that CIT will be submitting proposals for amendments to the wording of some parts of Art. 1 CUI. We will be happy to introduce the drafting proposals at the editorial group and in the run-up to the second session of your working group on 8 July.

As we have already mentioned in our previous comments, it is very important for CIT and its members that the new version of the scope of application ensures that there will still be full recourse for compensation to be paid by the carrier arising from his liability for the infrastructure manager as his auxiliary in accordance with the provisions of the CIV and CIM UR.

In that context, some members of CIT have suggested including an additional paragraph in Art. 1 CUI to make clear that Article 8 § 1 c) applies to all international carriage in accordance with the CIV and CIM UR.

We are assuming that we will be able to send you our comments in June.

Yours etc.

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