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

Depositary Notification

Entry into force of the provisions adopted by the Committee of Technical Experts at its 17th session held on 17 and 18 June 2025

Consolidated versions of UTP LOC&PAS, UTP PRM, UTP Marking and UTP INF

Modifications to UTP TAF



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

In circular letter [NOT-25016](#) of 18 July 2025, the Secretary General notified the decisions taken by the Committee of Technical Experts to adopt:

- A consolidated new version of the Uniform Technical Prescription applicable to the subsystem “rolling stock – locomotives and passenger rolling stock” (UTP LOC&PAS);
- A consolidated new version of the Uniform Technical Prescription applicable to the accessibility of the rail system for persons with disabilities and persons with reduced mobility (UTP PRM);
- A consolidated new version of the Uniform Technical Prescription applicable to vehicle marking (UTP Marking);
- A consolidated new version of the Uniform Technical Prescription applicable to the subsystem Infrastructure (UTP INF);
- Modifications to Appendix I of the Uniform Technical Prescription concerning Telematics Applications for Freight Services (UTP TAF) of 1 January 2023, as last amended on 1 January 2025.

By the deadline of 18 November 2025, the Secretary General had not received any objections to the above-mentioned modifications. Consequently, in accordance with Article 35 § 3 of COTIF, the above-mentioned modifications will enter into force on 1 January 2026 for all Member States which, in accordance with Article 42 § 1 of COTIF, have not made a declaration not to apply Appendix F (APTU UR) and Appendix G (ATMF UR).

In accordance with Article 8 § 3 of the APTU Uniform Rules, the texts will be published on OTIF’s website (www.otif.org) by 1 December 2025 at the latest under:

[Reference texts > Technical Interoperability > Prescriptions and Other Rules](#)

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