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FOREWORD

The Agency's transport regulations* lay down certain authorizations and approvals which have to be given by an appropriate competent authority not only for national but also international transport of radioactive materials.

As a supplement to its Regulations the Agency has prepared this list of National Competent Authorities based on information supplied by the respective Member States. This list will be added to, and kept up to date by, the publication of revised lists from time to time.

In the next revised edition of the Regulations it is likely that the International Vehicle Registration Identification Code (VRI) of the issuing country will be included in the identification mark of each competent authority approval certificate. The available Vehicle Registration Identification Codes have therefore been included in this list.

**NATIONAL COMPETENT AUTHORITIES
RESPONSIBLE FOR
APPROVALS AND AUTHORIZATIONS
IN RESPECT OF THE TRANSPORT OF
RADIOACTIVE MATERIAL**

MEMBER STATE	COMPETENT AUTHORITY	VRI
AFGHANISTAN	For Transport by all Modes: The Faculty of Science Kabul University Kabul	AFG
ARGENTINA	For Transport by all Modes: Comisión Nacional de Energía Atómica Avda. Libertador 8250 Buenos Aires Tel: 70-7711 Telex: 012-1388 AR PREAT Cables: SEGURATOM BAIREs	RA
AUSTRALIA	(a) For Transport by Air: First Assistant Secretary Flying Operations and Airworthiness Division Department of Transport GPO Box 1839Q Melbourne, Victoria, 3001 (b) For Transport by Sea: First Assistant Secretary Marine Standards Division Department of Transport GPO Box 1839Q Melbourne, Victoria, 3001	AUS

MEMBER STATE	COMPETENT AUTHORITY	VRI
	(c) For Transport by Post: Managing Director Australian Postal Commission PO Box 302 Carlton South, Victoria. 3053	
AUSTRIA	For Transport by all Modes: Präsidium Bundesministerium für Verkehr Elisabethstrasse 9 1010 Wien Tel.: 57 56 41	A
BANGLADESH	For Transport by all Modes: Bangladesh Atomic Energy Commission 7 Mymensingh Road P.O. Box No. 158 Ramna Dacca	BD
BELGIUM	For Transport by all Modes: Ministère de la Santé Publique et de la Famille Service des Nuisances de l'Administration de l'Hygiène Publique Cité Administrative de l'Etat Quartier vésale B-1010 Bruxelles Tel: (02)564.17.41 Telex: mugsfp-b-25786	B
BOLIVIA	For Transport by all Modes: Comisión Boliviana de Energía Nuclear Av. 6 de Agosto 2905 Casilla de Correos No. 4821 La Paz Tel: 43063	

MEMBER STATE	COMPETENT AUTHORITY	VRI
BRAZIL	For Transport by all Modes: Comissão Nacional de Energia Nuclear Department of Installations and Nuclear Materials Rua General Severiano, 90, 4º andar Botafogo-ZC82-Rio de Janeiro-20.000	BR
BULGARIA	For Transport by all Modes: Committee for Peaceful Uses of Atomic Energy Ministry of Health 8 Slavianska Str. Sofia	BG
BURMA	For Transport by all Modes: Atomic Energy Centre Applied Research Institute Kanbe, Rangoon Cable: Uburatence, Rangoon	BUR
CAMEROON	For Transport by all Modes: — La Vice-Présidence de la République (Direction des Mines et de la Géologie) — Le Ministère des Transports, des Postes et Télécommunications — Le Commissariat Général à la Santé Publique et à la Population — M. Mambe Awana Edward Pilote au port de Douala et Capitaine au long cours Please send all applications through: Ministère des Affaires Etrangères Yaoundé	

MEMBER STATE	COMPETENT AUTHORITY	VRI
CANADA	For convenience, all applications in respect of transport by all modes should be addressed to: Atomic Energy Control Board P.O. Box 1046 Ottawa, Ontario Canada K1P 5S9 Tel: (613)996-8295 Telex: 05303771	CDN
CHILE	For Transport by all Modes: Comisión Chilena de Energía Nuclear Los Jesuitas # 645 Santiago, Chile Tel: 748138 Cable: NUCLEAR CHILE	RCH
COLOMBIA	For Transport by all Modes: Instituto de Asuntos Nucleares Calle 26, Carrera 50 P.O. Box 8595 Bogotá Cable: IAN	CO
COSTA RICA	For Transport by all Modes: Comisión Nacional de Energía Atómica Apdo. 6681 San José	CR
CUBA	For Transport by all Modes: Ministerio de Transportes siendo Ministro el Comandante Faure Chomón Mediavilla Carretera de Rancho Boyeros La Habana	C

MEMBER STATE	COMPETENT AUTHORITY	VRI
CYPRUS	For Transport by all Modes: Ministry of Communications and Works Nicosia	CY
CZECHOSLOVAK SOCIALIST REPUBLIC	For Transport by all Modes: Czechoslovak Atomic Energy Commission Slezská 9 Praha 2 and The Ministry of Transport Na Příkopě 33 Praha 1	CS
DENMARK	For convenience, all applications in respect of transport by all modes should be addressed to: Sundhedsstyrelsen Statens institut for strålehygiejne Frederikssundsvej 378 DK-2700 Brønshøj	DK
ECUADOR	For Transport by all Modes: Comisión Ecuatoriana de Energía Atómica Instituto Nacional de Nutrición Avenida Colombia Quito	EC
EGYPT	For Transport by all Modes: 1. Atomic Energy Establishment 2. The Suez Canal Authority 3. The General Egyptian Establishment for Maritime Transport 4. The Establishment of the Alexandria Port 5. The Transport and Communication Sector	ET



MEMBER STATE	COMPETENT AUTHORITY	VRI
EL SALVADOR	For Transport by all Modes: Ministerio de Economía San Salvador	
ETHIOPIA	For Transport by all Modes: The Dean Faculty of Science Haile Selassie I University P.O. Box 1176 Addis Ababa	ETH
FINLAND	For Transport by all Modes: Institute of Radiation Protection P.O. Box 268 SF-00101 Helsinki 10 Tel: 659 588 Telex: 12 2691 stl sf.	SF
FRANCE	For Transport by all Modes: Ministère des Transports Transport des Matières Dangereuses 35-37 rue de Frémicourt 75015 Paris	F
GABON	For Transport by all Modes: M. le Ministre des Mines, de l'Industrie, de l'Energie et des Ressources Hydrauliques B.P. 874 Libreville	
GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC	For Transport by all Modes: Staatliches Amt für Atomsicherheit und Strahlenschutz der DDR Waldowallee 117 DDR-1157 Berlin Tel: 50970 Telex: 112632 saas dd	DDR

MEMBER STATE	COMPETENT AUTHORITY	VRI
GERMANY, Federal Republic of	For Transport by all Modes: 1. Bundesminister für Verkehr Kennedyallee 72 D-5300 Bonn 2 Tel: 681 Telex: 8 – 85 700 2. Bundesminister des Innern Graurheindorfer Str. 198 D-5300 Bonn 1 Tel: 781 Telex: 8 – 86 896 For convenience, notifications and applications for approval in accordance with paragraphs 806, 809, 817, 821, 834 and 835 should also be addressed to: Physikalisch-Technische Bundesanstalt Bundesallee 100 D-3300 Braunschweig Tel: 5921 Telex: 9 – 52 822 ptb d Applications for approval in accordance with paragraph 803 should also be addressed to: Bundesanstalt für Materialprüfung Unter den Eichen 87 D-1000 Berlin 45 Tel: 8104 6300 Telex: 01 – 83 261 bamb d	D
GHANA	For Transport by all Modes: The Chairman Management Committee Ghana Atomic Energy Commission P.O. Box 80 Legon, Accra	GH

MEMBER STATE	COMPETENT AUTHORITY	VRI
GREECE	For Transport by all Modes: Greek Atomic Energy Commission Health Physics Division N.R.C. Democritos Aghia Paraskevi, Attikis Athens	GR
GUATEMALA	For Transport by all Modes: Instituto Nacional de Energía Nuclear 3a. avenida "A" 2-68, zona 1 Apartado Postal 1421 Guatemala, C.A.	GCA
HUNGARY	For Transport by all Modes: MTA Izotóp Intézet (Institute of Isotopes of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences) PF 77 H-1525 Budapest 114 Tel: 166-098 Telex: 22 5360 IZOT H	H
ICELAND	For Transport by all Modes: The State Laboratory for Radiation Hygiene Geislavarnir ríkisins Landspítalinn Hringbraut Reykjavík	IS
INDIA	For Transport by all Modes: Head, Division of Radiological Protection Bhabha Atomic Research Centre Trombay Bombay 400 085	IND

MEMBER STATE	COMPETENT AUTHORITY	VRI
INDONESIA	For Transport by all Modes: National Atomic Energy Agency Jln. Palatehan I/26 Kebayoran Baru Jakarta Selatan	RI
IRAN	For Transport by all Modes: Radiation Protection Department P.O. Box 41/2663 Atomic Energy Organization of Iran Tehran Tel: 891080 - 891085 Telex: 212165	IR
IRAQ	For Transport by all Modes: 1. Atomic Energy Commission Nuclear Research Institute Tuwaitha, Baghdad 2. Ministry of Health Radiation Control Office Elwiya, Baghdad	IRQ
IRELAND	For Transport by all Modes: Nuclear Energy Board 20-22 Lower Hatch St. Dublin 2	
ISRAEL	For Transport by all Modes: Israel Atomic Energy Commission P.O. Box 17120 Ramat Aviv Tel Aviv	IL

MEMBER STATE	COMPETENT AUTHORITY	VRI
ITALY	For Transport by all Modes: Competent Authority for the Approval of Authorizations: Ministero dell'Industria del Commercio e dell' Artigianato I-00100 Roma Competent Authority for the Issue of the Safety Certificate: Comitato Nazionale per l'Energia Nucleare Viale Regina Margherita, 125 I-00198 Roma	I
JAMAICA	For Transport by all Modes: Ministry of Health 31 Slike Pen Road Kingston 5	JA
JAPAN	For Transport by all Modes: Ministry of Transport Secretariat to the Minister 2-1-3 Kasumigaseki Chiyoda-ku Tokyo For Approval by Fissile Packages: Science and Technology Agency Director General of Nuclear Safety Bureau 2-2-1 Kasumigaseki Chiyoda-ku Tokyo	J
JORDAN	For Transport by all Modes: Jordan Scientific Research Council P.O. Box 6070 Amman	JOR

MEMBER STATE	COMPETENT AUTHORITY	VRI
KENYA	For Transport by all Modes: Permanent Secretary Ministry of Power and Communications Harambee Avenue P.O. Box 30582 Nairobi Tel: 27411 Cable: MINIPower	EAK
 KOREA, Republic of	For Transport by all Modes: Atomic Energy Bureau Ministry of Science and Technology Sejong Ro, Chongro-ku Seoul 110	ROK
LEBANON	For Transport by all Modes: Ministère de la Santé Publique Beyrouth Tel: 221.175 232.198	RL
LUXEMBOURG	For Transport by all Modes: Direction de la Santé Publique et de l'Environnement 37, Rue Glesener A' Luxembourg Tel: 408-01 Telex: 546 Santé L	L
 MADAGASCAR	For Transport by all Modes: Direction de l'Industrie et des Mines du Ministère de l'Economie et du Commerce, Tananarive	RM
MALAYSIA	For Transport by all Modes: The Director General of Health Ministry of Health Jalan Young Kuala Lumpur	MAL

MEMBER STATE	COMPETENT AUTHORITY	VRI
MALI, Republic of	For Transport by all Modes: Direction Nationale de l'Hydraulique et de l'Energie B.P. 66 Bamako	
MEXICO	For Transport by all Modes: Secretaría de Salubridad y Asistencia Paseo de la Reforma y Lieja No. 7 México, D.F. Tel: 553-68-88 Secretaría de Comunicaciones y Transportes Avenida Universidad y Xola México 12, D.F. Tel: 530-30-60 Instituto Nacional de Energía Nuclear Avenida Insurgentes Sur 1079 México 18, D.F. Tel: 563-71-00 Cable: NACNUCLEAR	MEX
MONACO	For Transport by all Modes: Département de l'Intérieur Ministère d'Etat Monaco	MC
NETHERLANDS	For Transport by all Modes: Ministry of Health and Environmental Protection Director Radiation Sector Dokter Reijersstraat 10 Leidschendam (in some cases in agreement with other Ministries)	NL

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	For convenience a copy of all applications in respect of the transport of radioactive materials should be sent in triplicate to the following address: Director-General of Transport Department of Dangerous Materials Plesmanweg 1 The Hague	
NEW ZEALAND	For Transport by all Modes: The Director National Radiation Laboratory P.O. Box 25.099 Christchurch	NZ
NIGER, Republic of	La Direction des Mines et de la Géologie au Ministère des Mines et de l'Hydraulique B.P. 257 Niamey	
NIGERIA	For Transport by all Modes: The Permanent Secretary Federal Ministry of Mines and Power Lagos	WAN
NORWAY	Authority Responsible for Packaging: Statens Institutt for Strålehygiene Østerndalen 25, P.O.B. 55 1345 Østerås	N

MEMBER STATE	COMPETENT AUTHORITY	VRI
PAKISTAN	For Transport by all Modes: Chairman Pakistan Atomic Energy Commission P.O. Box No. 1114 Islamabad	PAK
PARAGUAY	For Transport by all Modes: Comisión Nacional de Energía Atómica Ministerio de Relaciones Exteriores Presidente: Profesor Doctor José Danilo Pecci Mariscal Estigarribia 279 Casilla Postal 1.055 Asunción Tel: 43-345	PAR
PERU	For Transport by all Modes: La Junta de Control de Energía Atómica Av. Luis Aldana 120 Apartado 1687 Urb. Santa Catalina Lima	PE
PHILIPPINES	For Transport by all Modes: Dr. Librado D. Ibe Philippine Atomic Energy Commission Diliman Quezon City Cable: Philatomic	PI
POLAND	For Transport by all Modes: Approval of Fissile Classes I, II and III; Designs of Package, Packaging and Capsule Government Commissioner for Use of Nuclear Energy Palace of Culture and Science Warsaw	PL

MEMBER STATE	COMPETENT AUTHORITY	VRI
	For Transport by Rail, Road and Air: Approval of Shipments, Prior Notifications; Consignment Approvals and Safe Declaration of Conveyances Ministry of Transport, Warsaw For Transport by Water: Ministry of Shipment, Warsaw	
PORTUGAL	For Transport by all Modes: Comissão de Protecção Contra as Radiações Ionizantes Junta de Energia Nuclear Estrada Nacional no. 10 SACAVÉM	P
ROMANIA	For Transport by all Modes: Le Comité d'Etat pour l'Energie Nucléaire B.P. 5203 Bucarest-Magurele, Secteur 6 Telex: 11397 fiam r bucharest	R
SAUDI ARABIA	For Transport by all Modes: The Director General of Mineral Resources Government of Saudi Arabia Jeddah	SA
SIERRA LEONE	For Transport by all Modes: The Permanent Secretary Ministry of Education New England Freetown Tel: Freetown 2928 Cable: Mineduc Freetown	WAL

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SINGAPORE	For Transport by all Modes: Radiation Protection Inspectorate Department of Scientific Services Ministry of Science and Technology Outram Road Singapore 3	SGP
SOUTH AFRICA	For Transport by all Modes: South African Atomic Energy Board Private Bag X256 Pretoria, 0001	ZA
SPAIN	(a) For the Transport Vehicle Ministerio de Transportes y Comunicaciones Plaza San Juan de la Cruz s/n Nuevos Ministerios, Madrid-3 (b) For approval of shipments of material and safety certificates: For Transport by all Modes: Ministerio de Industria y Energía Serrano 35, Madrid-1	E
SRI LANKA	For Transport by all Modes Atomic Energy Authority National Science Council Building 47/5, Maitland Place Colombo – 07 Sri Lanka Cable: Lankatom Colombo	CL

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SUDAN, The Democratic Republic of the	For Transport by all Modes: The Chairman National Radiation Protection Board Radiation and Isotopes Center P.O. Box 846 Khartoum	SUD
SWEDEN	For Transport by all Modes: For approvals in accordance with paragraph 803 and approvals and notifications in accordance with para- graphs 806, 809, 817, 821, 834 and 835 if the packages do not belong to fissile class 1, 11 or 111: National Institute of Radiation Protection Fack S-104 01 Stockholm For approvals and notifications in accordance with paragraphs 806, 809, 817, 821, 834 and 835 if the packages belong to fissile class 1, 11 or 111, and approvals in accordance with paragraph 814: Swedish Nuclear Power Inspectorate Box 27106 S-102 52 Stockholm	S
SWITZERLAND	For Transport by all Modes: Federal Office of Energy Kapellenstrasse 14 CH-3001 Bern	CH
SYRIAN ARAB REPUBLIC	For Transport by all Modes: Commission de l'Energie Atomique Conseil Supérieur des Sciences Rue Abu Al-Aloa Al-Maarri Damas (R.A.S.) P.O.B. 4762	

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THAILAND	For Transport by all Modes: The Secretary General Office of the Atomic Energy for Peace Srirubsook Road, Bankhen Bangkok Cable: Atomthai Bangkok	T
TUNISIA	For Transport by all Modes: Commissariat à l'Energie Atomique Centre d'Etudes Nucléaires de Tunis Carthage Tel: 286.000	TN
TURKEY	For Transport by all Modes: His Excellency Mustafa Kemal Erkovan Minister of State and Chairman of the Atomic Energy Commission in Turkey Bestekâr sokak No. 29, Kavaklidere Ankara Tel: 17 90 34/35 Telex: 42 5 81 Atom TR Cable: Turatom-Ankara	TR
UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS	For Transport by all Modes: The State Committee on the Utilization of Atomic Energy of the USSR Staromonetny per. 26 Moscow and Ministry for Health Rachmanovsky per. 3 Moscow	SU

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UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND	For convenience all applications in respect of transport by all modes should be addressed to: Department of Transport Dangerous Goods Branch 2 Marsham Street London SW1P 3EB Tel: 01-212-7247	GB
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	For Transport by all Modes: Office of Hazardous Materials Operations Materials Transportation Bureau U.S. Department of Transportation Washington, D.C. 20590	USA
URUGUAY	For Transport by all Modes: Comisión Nacional de Energía Atómica Rincón 723 P. 3 Montevideo	U
VENEZUELA	For Transport by all Modes: Consejo Nacional para el Desarrollo de la Industria Nuclear (CONAN) Apartado 68233 Caracas 106 Tel: 32-00-51 al 54 Telex: 21238 Cable: COMNUCLEAR-CADAFE	YV
VIET-NAM	For Transport by all Modes: Commission Nationale de Protection contre les Radiations Ionisantes c/o Office de l'Energie Atomique 291, Phan-Thanh-Gian P.O. Box Q-16 Saigon Tel: 24876-24877 Cable: VINATOM-SAIGON	VN

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YUGOSLAVIA	For Transport by all Modes: Federal Secretariat for Labour and Social Policy Health Section Brankova 25 YU-11000 Belgrade	YU
ZAIRE, Republic of	For Transport by all Modes: Professeur Malu Wa Kalenga Commissaire aux Sciences Nucléaires Kinshasa XI, B.P. 184	Z
ZAMBIA	For Transport by all Modes: National Council for Scientific Research P.O. Box CH 158 Chelston Lusaka	