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Annex

1. Annex 11, Article 2 (d), line 3

For 9 read 10

2. Annex 11, Article 5

For the current text replace

The Technical Implementation Body shall:

(a) adopt the technical specifications of the eTIR procedure, and amendments thereto, to ensure their alignment with the functional specifications of the eTIR procedure. At the time of adoption, it shall decide on the appropriate transitional period for their implementation.

(b) prepare the functional specifications of the eTIR procedure, and amendments thereto, to ensure their alignment with the conceptual specifications of the eTIR procedure. They shall be transmitted to the Administrative Committee for adoption by a majority of Contracting Parties bound by Annex 11 present and voting as well as implemented and, when required, developed into technical specifications at a date to be determined at the time of adoption.

(c) consider amendments to the conceptual specifications of the eTIR procedure if so requested by the Administrative Committee. The conceptual specifications of the eTIR procedure, and amendments thereto, shall be adopted by a majority of Contracting Parties bound by Annex 11 present and voting as well as implemented and, when required, developed into functional specification at a date to be determined at the time of adoption.

3. Article 9, line one

After should insert ,to the extent possible,

4. Article 10

For the current text replace

1. Where the eTIR procedure cannot be started for technical reasons at the office of departure the TIR Carnet holder may revert to the TIR procedure.

2. Where an eTIR procedure has started but its continuation is impeded for technical reasons, the competent authorities shall accept the accompanying document and process it in line with the procedure described in the functional and technical specifications, subject to the availability of additional information from alternative electronic systems as described in the functional and technical specifications.
