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UN/EDIFACT AND OTHER DEVELOPMENTS IN ELECTRONIC DATA  
INTERCHANGE (EDI)

Submitted by the Government of Bulgaria

Note: In view of the interest of the Working Party to continue having an exchange of views regarding electronic data interchange, the Government of Bulgaria has prepared a document which is reproduced below.

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**Information on the status of the electronic exchange of data**

The National Statistics Institute receives and sends data to Eurostat by e-mail filling in the following questionnaires:

Common annual questionnaire on transport of UNECE, ECMT and Eurostat;  
Short-term tendencies in transport for ECMT;  
Tendencies in Europe and North America for publication of the UNECE and others.

The data from the surveys on air, river and sea transports are also sent to Eurostat by e-mail. In the near future, through the improvement of the used software, will be ensured the required format of the data from the surveys of the railway and road cargo transport which will also allow the sending of the results of these surveys to Eurostat.

The National Statistics Institute sends to Eurostat the results of the surveys in the sphere of the short-term and the structural business statistics.

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