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The Republic of North Macedonia: Best Mobility - National Transport Association, Skopje (Best Mobility - NTA/101), as the issuing and guaranteeing association for TIR carnets will begin its TIR activities from 1 February 2024

Addressees: TIR issuing and guaranteeing associations

We are pleased to inform you that the “**Best Mobility - National Transport Association, Skopje**” (**Best Mobility - NTA /101**) has been designated by the competent authorities of the Republic of North Macedonia as the issuing and guaranteeing association for TIR carnets on its territory, in conformity with article 6 and Annex 9, part I of the TIR Convention. Best Mobility - NTA will start its issuing and guaranteeing activities on 1 February 2024.

Following the approval by the IRU competent body, Best Mobility - NTA became an associate member of IRU and underwent a thorough TIR admission process, which was accomplished with success.

The International Insurers have confirmed that the guarantee will be provided for both TIR carnets issued by Best Mobility - NTA and TIR carnets issued by other TIR issuing associations affiliated to IRU and used on the territory of the Republic of North Macedonia.

Under the terms of Article 8.3 of the TIR Convention, the maximum sum per TIR carnet in the Republic of North Macedonia has now been increased to EUR 100,000.

As of 1 February 2024 (00:00 Skopje time), the current TIR association in the Republic of North Macedonia (AMERIT / 065) will cease its TIR issuing and guaranteeing activities. At the same time, all TIR carnets issued by AMERIT to its TIR holders until 31 January 2024 (23:59 Skopje Time) will remain valid and may be presented for acceptance at any customs office of departure on or before the final date of the carnet's validity, in line with Article 9 of the TIR Convention.

Please find below the details of Best Mobility - NTA:

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You will find in **Annex 1** to this letter the specimens of the association's stamps and a specimen of the signature of the authorised official, to be used on the front cover page of TIR carnets issued by Best Mobility - NTA.

To ensure the smooth and uninterrupted acceptance of TIR carnets issued by Best Mobility - NTA, we kindly ask you to make the above information available to your respective customs authorities.

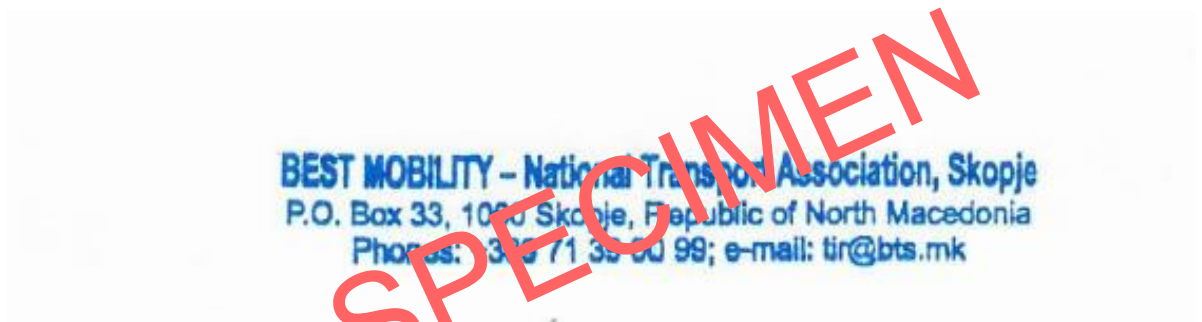
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cc: TIR Secretariat, UNECE

SPECIMEN STAMPS AND SIGNATURE

NB // The specimens below are electronically reproduced images, thus you may find slight distortional, dimensional and/or colour discrepancies.

1. Specimen of the authorised stamp of the association applied under **item 2** of the front cover page of the TIR carnets issued by the Best Mobility - NTA:



2. Specimen of the signature of the authorised official of the issuing association and the stamp of the association applied under **item 4** of the front cover page of the TIR carnets issued by the Best Mobility - NTA:

