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# **Corridor Information Document**



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# 1. Aim

# The publication of all corridor specific information, aimed at all potential clients

It contains:

- all the information in relation with the Rail Freight Corridor contained in the national network statements
- information on the corridor terminals
- information on capacity allocation (C-OSS operational procedures) and traffic management, also in the event of disturbance
- the implementation plan that contains:
  - the characteristics of the Rail Freight Corridor
  - the essential elements of the transport market study that should be carried out on a regular basis
  - the objectives for the Rail Freight Corridor
  - the investment plan
  - the measures the corridor takes to implement the co-ordination of works, capacity allocation (C-OSS), traffic managementc etc.



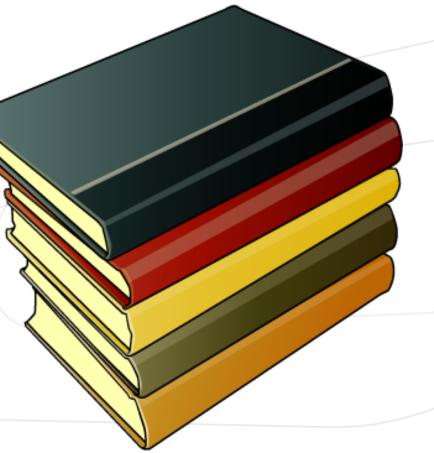
# 2. Practical (1)

- The Corridor Information Document will be published in English only
- The document will be available on the Corridor website (<u>www.rfc2.eu</u>) in PDF format.
- First publication at the start of the Corridor (November 10, 2013)
  - A new version will be published, every 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of the year (together with the publication of the annual PaP Catalogue)



# 3. Structure(1)

- Information is divided into 5 books
- Book I Generalities
- Book II Network Statement Excerpts
- Book III Terminal Description
- Book IV Procedures for Capacity and Traffic Management
- Book V Implementation Plan
- To a large extent, RFC 2 follows the common structure presented in the RNE guidelines





#### 3. Structure (2)

#### Book I – Generalities

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#### An introduction to the Rail Freight Corridor 2

- Overview Corridor
- Contact details
- Guide to the CID



#### 3. Structure<sub>(3)</sub>

#### Book II – Network Statement Excerpts

- Provides links, per chapter, to the national Network Statement of the concerned IMs/ABs of the Corridor
- The RFC 2 IMs/ABs have adopted the common RNE Network Statement structure, thus all information can be found in the same chapter of every separate Network Statement



#### 3. Structure(4)

Example

#### Book II – Network Statement Excerpts

•	3.4 Traffic Restrictions ProRail Keyrail Infrabel ACF RFF SBB	
	3.4.1 Specialised infrastructure ProRail Keyrail Infrabel ACF RFF SBB	
	3.4.2 Environmental Restrictions <u>ProRail</u> <u>Keyrail</u> Infrabel <u>ACF</u> <u>RFF</u> <u>SBB</u>	
	3.4.3 Dangerous Goods <u>ProRail</u> <u>Keyrail</u> <u>Infrabel</u> <u>ACF</u> <u>RFF</u> <u>SBB</u>	
	3.4.4 Tunnel Restrictions ProRail Keyrail Infrabel ACF RFF	



#### 3. Structure<sub>(5)</sub>

#### Book III – Terminal Description

- Provides information about the terminals on the Corridor
- The list of terminals has been suggested by the Transport Market Study and a final list was identified by the IMs and ABs of the Corridor; this list is available in the implementation plan
- This book will provide links to a designated Corridor page on the websites of these terminals, where standardised information will be made available
  - ➔ Main advantage: the terminal remains owner of the information, thus information is kept up to date at all times



#### 3. Structure(7)

Book IV – Procedures for Capacity and Traffic Management

- A client focused overview on:
  - How to book capacity on the Corridor via the C-OSS
  - The Corridor specific traffic management rules

A detailed description is shown in the presentation "Procedures for Capacity and Traffic Management (CID Book IV)"



# 3. Structure<sub>(6)</sub>

Book V – Implementation Plan

- Content:
  - Description of the characteristics of the corridor
  - Essential elements of the Transport Market Study
  - Objectives of the corridor
  - Investment plan
  - Measures to implement article 12 to 19 of Regulation 913/2010

Input of the stakeholders has been taken into account, following consultation phase

 Will be approved by the Ministries of the Corridor before publication



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