

Letter to Director for Land Transport, Kristian Schmidt, DG MOVE, Directorate C – Land

Dear Mr Schmidt,

Many thanks for your reply to our letter of 22 February 2023. We do of course appreciate that the main points we made seem to be on the table. In particular we are very pleased to learn that the point that of course is the most important to us, namely allowing longer and heavier vehicles in international intra - EU traffic between all Member States whose national technical standards going beyond the limits set out in the Directive are compatible, is under assessment.

Needless to say, we hope that the outcome of that assessment will be in favour of such a measure.

We also take note that you mention that the upcoming proposal will maintain the possibility to pursue long-standing successful operation in national traffic of vehicles with deviating weights and dimensions in national traffic in Finland and Sweden.

We would like to thank you for considering a continued collaboration on this matter.

We would of course be more than happy to share our experiences and provide any kind of information that you might find useful as well as to dialogue with you directly or with one or more of your staff.

Finally, we would like to inform you that we are arranging an event on this matter at the European Parliament on 26 April. Should you find the time to attend or even to actively participate, you are of course more than welcome!

Yours sincerely

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