

Driving restrictions, goods transport Austria

1. GENERAL DRIVING RESTRICTIONS

<i>Vehicles concerned</i>	Trucks with trailers, if the maximum authorised total weight of the motor vehicle or the trailer exceeds 3.5t; trucks, articulated vehicles and self-propelled industrial machines with an authorised total weight of more than 7.5t.																										
<i>Area</i>	Nationwide, with the exception of journeys made exclusively as part of a combined transport operation within a radius of 65km of the following transloading stations: Brennersee; Graz-Ostbahnhof; Salzburg-Hauptbahnhof; Wels-Verschiebebahnhof; Villach-Fürnitz; Wien-Südbahnhof; Wien-Nordwestbahnhof; Wörgl.																										
<i>Prohibition</i>	Saturdays from 15h00 to 24h00; Sundays and public holidays from 00h00 to 22h00																										
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<i>Exceptions</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · the prohibition concerning trucks with trailers exceeding 3.5t is not applicable to vehicles transporting milk; · the prohibition concerning vehicles with an authorised total weight of more than 7.5t is not applicable to: vehicles carrying meat or livestock for slaughter (but not the transport of heavy livestock on motorways), perishable foodstuffs, the supply of refreshments to tourist areas, urgent repairs to refrigeration plant, towing services, breakdown assistance vehicles, emergency vehicles, vehicles of a scheduled transport company (regular lines), and local trips on the two Saturdays preceding 24 December. 																										

2. SPECIAL LOCAL TRAFFIC RESTRICTIONS

Carinthia

B70	Packer Bundesstrasse, trucks of over 5t MPW in the cities of Wolfsberg and St Andrä (except for residents) as well as trucks of over 16t MPW in the area of the Waldensteinerbach bridge at km 74.250 and Auerling bridge at km 75.620
B83	Kärnter Strasse, trucks of over 3.5t MPW, except for local traffic between Thörl-Maglern and Villach, Wernberg and Velden/WSee respectively, and trucks of over 4t MPW from the city of Klagenfurt to Villach district
B85	Rosental Strasse, trucks of over 3.5t MPW between the B83 in Fürnitz and A11 in Winkl, except for local traffic

B91	Loiblpassstrasse, trucks of over 7.5t MPW
B94	Ossiacher Bundesstrasse, trucks of over 7.5t GVW except for residents and delivery and collection services
B111	Gailtal Bundesstrasse, Lesachtal section, trucks of over 25t MPW from km 63.846 (Wetzmann) to km 92.496 (border of Western Tyrol); trailers from km 63.846 (Wetzmann) to km 82.500 (Liesing)
L22	Rattendorfer Landesstrasse, trucks of over 25t MPW from km 1.358 to km 1.427 (Doberbach bridge)
L23	Egger Almstrasse, trucks of over 5t MPW from km 2.441 to km 2.465 (Gamitzenbach bridge) and from km 2.691 (entry to Gamitzenklamm) to km 10.800 (Eggeralm)
L24	Schattseiten Landesstrasse, trucks of over 25t MPW from km 1.958 to km 1.984 (Nötblingbach bridge); trucks of over 14t MPW from km 3.495 to km 3.508 (Grimmlnitzbach bridge); trucks of 25t MPW from km 5.011 to km 5.019 (Bodenmühlbach bridge); trucks of 16t MPW from km 9.024 to km 9.050 (Stranigbach bridge)
L25	Egger Landesstrasse, truck height restricted to 3.30m from km 12.398 to km 12.420
L27	Voderberger Strasse, 14t trucks from km 3.786 to km 3.856 (Gail bridge)
L29	Guggenberger Landesstrasse, trucks of over 12t MPW and trailers from km 11.900 (Kreuth) to km 16.600 (Jenig)
L33	Kreuzner Strasse, trucks of 16t MPW from km 16.933 (Erzpriester bridge)
L143	Ettendorfer Landesstrasse, trucks of over 5t MPW in the Jakling area, city of St Andrä (except for residents)
L144	Metersdorfer Landesstrasse, trucks of over 14t MPW on the Lavant bridge
L149	Koralalm Strasse, trucks of over 16t to km 0.2 via the Pailbach bridge
Villach	no through traffic for trucks of over 3.5t MPW except for deliveries
Klagenfurt	no through traffic for trucks of over 3.5t MPW

Lower Austria

B3	Bundesstrasse, from km 84.179 to km 115.338, all commercial vehicles of over 7.5t GVW from 20h00 to 06h00; articulated vehicles and road trains of over 7.5t GVW from 06h00 to 20h00. Exceptions: vehicles from the Zwettl, Krems-Land and Krems-Stadt districts and from the communes of Dorfstetten, Münichreith-Laimbach, Pöggstall, Raxendorf, St Oswald, Weiten, Yperstal, Emmersdorf and Leiben, as well as deliveries, collection and milk runs in this area
B18	goods vehicles of over 7.5t GVW, from km 12.170 to km 55.800. Exceptions: traffic to and from the districts of Lilienfeld, Neustadt and Neunkirchen west of the A2 motorway southbound, and from the communes of Hirtenberg, Hernstein, Berndorf, Pottenstein, Wiesenbach/Triesting, Furth/Triesting, Altenmarkt/Triesting and Wilhelmsburg, as well as deliveries, collection and milk runs in this area
B19	Tullner Strasse: km 3.710 in Neulengbach from 22h00 to 05h00, northbound, for vehicles of over 7.5t GVW heading north of the Danube
B43	Traismaurer Strasse: km 16.195 in Traismauer from 22h00 to 05h00, westbound, for vehicles of over 7.5t GVW heading north of the Danube
B210	Helenental, between Alland and Baden, trucks of over 7.5t GVW

Tyrol

A12	from the state border at Kufstein to the Imst junction for vehicles of over 7.5t MPW travelling in the direction of Italy on 25.3.05 from 18h00 to 20h00, 26.3.05 from 10h00 to 15h00, 25.4.05 from 10h00 to 20h00, 2.6.05 from 09h00 to 22h00, 29.7.05 from 18h00 to 22h00 and 30.7.05 from 09h00 to 15h00
A13	from the state border to the Innsbruck south junction for vehicles of over 7.5t MPW travelling in the direction of Italy on 25.3.05 from 18h00 to 20h00, 26.3.05 from 10h00 to 15h00, 25.4.05 from 10h00 to 20h00, 2.6.05 from 09h00 to 22h00, 29.7.05 from 18h00 to 22h00 and 30.7.05 from 09h00 to 15h00
B164	Hochkönigstrasse, from km 56.251 (commune of Hochfilzen) to km 75.76 (St Johann in Tirol) in both directions, for HGVs of over 7.5t total weight, with the exception of towing services, breakdown assistance, federal army vehicles and trucks which are

loaded or unloaded in the following communes or start or end their journeys in these communes: St Johann in Tirol, Fieberbrunn in Tirol, Hochfilzen, Leogang in the federal province of Salzburg.

- B165 Gerlosstrasse, from Heinzenberg to Gerlos, for vehicles of over 12t GVW, except for trucks of up to 14t, public works vehicles of the Federal Highway Administration, river management or anti-avalanche departments, logging trucks of up to 16t for 2-axle vehicles and up to 22t for 3-axle vehicles, and vehicles of up to 16t GVW providing delivery services for Hainzenberg and Gerlos. The ban also applies to vehicles with trailers (except for those with trailers with a maximum width of 2m) between the Waldheim Inn in Hainzenberg and the entrance to the car park at the Firstalm chairlift in Gerlös.
- B170 Brixentaler Bundesstrasse: from km 9.5 in Hopfgarten i.B. to km 26.03 in Kirchberg, for trucks of over 7.5t GVW, except for army vehicles, towing and breakdown services, urgent repair services for refrigeration or power supply facilities, as well as trucks registered by companies domiciled in the communes of Hopfgarten in Brixen, Westendorf, Brixen in Th., Kirchberg i.T., or trucks loaded or unloaded in the same communes as their point of origin or destination. (See also under Wörgl)
- B171 Tiroler Strasse (see also under Wörgl and Rattenberg)
- B172 Walchseestrasse, from the Niederndorf state border in the direction of Niederndorf, and
- B175 Wildbichler Strasse: trucks of over 7.5t GVW, from km 1.493 in the direction of Ebbs, except for traffic to or from the communes of Ebbs, Erl, Niederndorf, Niederndorferberg, Rettenschöss, Walchsee, Kirchdorf, Kössen, Schwendt and Waidring.
- B176 Kössener Bundesstrasse: vehicles of over 16t GVW, from km 0.0 (intersection with B312 in St.Johann) to km 14.0 (Schwendt-Dorf) and trucks of over 7.5t MPW, except for resident traffic from km 0.0 (intersection with B312 in St.Johann) to km 17.7 (intersection with B312 in Kössen).
- B177 Seefelder Strasse on the Zirlerberg route, for vehicles of over 7.5t GVW driving downhill, except for trucks registered by companies located in the communes of Seefeld, Scharnitz, Leutasch and Reith bei Seefeld, or with headquarters in the districts of Garmisch-Partenkirchen, Bad Tölz, Wolfratshausen or Weilheim-Schöngau, as well as Austrian vehicles carrying goods to or from the Seefeld high plateau and the above-mentioned districts. The ban also applies to vehicles with trailers travelling uphill, except for empty runs and vehicles authorised for the descent.
- B177 Seefelder Strasse, L35 Buchener Landesstrasse and L36 Möserer Landesstrasse: on the Zirlerberg route, L35 Buchener Landesstrasse, L36 Möserer Landesstrasse as well as on all roads of the Seefeld high plateau, traffic ban on dangerous goods vehicles whose cargo has to be identified by orange panels (Rn 10.500 ADR), except for supply services to the Seefeld plateau.
- B178 Lofererstrasse: From km 0.00 (Kirchbichl) to km 49.63 (Waidring) ban on HGVs of over 7.5t MPW, with the exception of low-noise vehicles as per Art.8b KDV 1967, highway maintenance service, federal army vehicles, towing service, breakdown assistance, disaster relief, urgent repairs to refrigeration and energy supply facilities, public security services and heavy commercial vehicles loaded or unloaded in (originating in or travelling to) the district of Kitzbühel or the communes of Ellmau, Scheffau, Söll, Kirchbichl and Wörgl in the district of Kufstein.
From km 0.00 (Kirchbichl) to km 49.63 (Waidring) local traffic ban on commercial vehicles of over 7.5t MPW which are loaded with chippings, glass fragments, scrap, cars, slag, cement, empty containers, machinery, packaging materials, building materials and prefabricated concrete sections, except for journeys by commercial vehicles which are loaded or unloaded in (originating in or travelling to) the districts of Kitzbühel, Lienz, St Johann im Pongau and Zell am See and also in Söll, Ellmau and Scheffau in the district of Kufstein. This exception shall apply only if at least a major part (i.e. over 51%) of the loading or unloading operations takes place in the districts or localities exempted from the ban.
The carriage of goods covered by the ban in addition to other freight is permitted up to

10% of the total weight of the load. The term "building materials" designates bulk goods such as chippings, sand, gravel, bricks, insulating and filling substances, steel reinforcing rods and tiles.

- B179 Fernpassstrasse, between km 11,955 at Nassereith and km 67,944 at Vils, trucks with MPW of over 7.5t, with the exception of trucks having their permanent base in the districts of Imst, Innsbruck-Land, Innsbruck-Stadt, Landeck, Reutte, in the rural districts of Biberach, Garmisch-Partenkirchen, Lindau, Oberallgäu, Ostallgäu, Ravensburg, Unterallgäu, Weilheim-Schongau, in the municipalities of Kaufbeuren, Kempten or Memmingen, in the commune of Samnaun or in the district and valley communities of Bruggrafenamt or Vinschgau as well as journeys serving solely for the purpose of loading or unloading vehicles in the said places, and towing and breakdown assistance services.
- B180 Reschenstrasse from km 0.00 at Landeck to km 46.22 (Nauders-State boundary): trucks with MPW of over 7.5t in both directions except for journeys by trucks belonging to companies based along the B315 between km 0.00 and km 46.22 and its lateral valleys along the Vintschgauer Staatstrasse (SS38 and SS40) beginning at the Reschen State boundary via SS40 Reschenstrasse and via SS38 Stilfserjochstrasse as far as Naturns at km 189.5 on the SS38 and its lateral valleys and also excluding journeys by trucks which are loaded and unloaded in the district of Landeck, in the valley parishes of Vinschgau and Bruggrafenamt, in the Unterengadin and Samnaun (place of origin or destination); this does not apply to journeys by trucks which are loaded and unloaded in the following areas in so far as the journey begins and ends in these areas: in the State of Vorarlberg, in the Principality of Liechtenstein, in the Swiss cantons of Graubünden (north of Chur-Davos), Glarus, St-Gallen, Appenzell, Thurgau, in the rural districts of Lindau, Ravensburg and Biberach, in so far as the incoming and outgoing journey passes through the Vorarlberg, in the rural districts of Bodenseekreis, Sigmaringen, Konstanz, Schwarzwald-Baar-Kreise, Tuttlingen and Rottweil, in the district and valley communities of Bozen/Bolzano, Salten-Schlern, Überetsch-Südtiroler Unterland, in the autonomous province of Triento and in the region of Venetia.
- B181 Achensee Bundesstrasse and L7 Jenbacher Landesstrasse (Kasbachstrasse): dangerous goods vehicles, except for transport operations from or to the Achental, Hinterriss and Fischl.
- B182 Brennerstrasse, in both directions, trucks, road trains and articulated vehicles of over 3.5t GVW from km 7.4 (commune of Schönberg) to km 35.10 (commune of Gries a. Br.) and L38 Ellbögener Strasse, in both directions, from km 10.35 to km 22.60
Exceptions: operations to or from this area for the loading or unloading of at least 51% of the goods, but at least 1000 kg; transport to and from this area for vehicles with company headquarters there; deliveries and collection in the Stubaital from km 7.4 of B182 to the B183 intersection; Highway Department and army vehicles; breakdown vehicles; subject to certain conditions (i.e. only for return trips to Innsbruck or Brenner), the B182 may be used to and from the Auer garage in Matrei; if an onward trip is involved, vehicles should take the A13 motorway from Matrei.
- B186 Ötztalstrasse, in the Höhe Brücke area near Pill: vehicles of over 16t GVW, except those travelling in the centre of the carriageway with an accompanying vehicle.
- B189 Miemingerstrasse, from km 0.00 in Telfs to km 9.80 in Mieming: trucks of over 7.5t GVW, except for resident traffic.
- L6 Tuxer Strasse from km 0.00 (Mayrhofen) to km 17.225 (Tux, Hintertux section). Night ban on trucks with MPW of over 7.5t driving uphill between 22h00 and 07h00 with the sole exception of the transport of milk and foodstuffs.
- L7 Jenbacher Landesstrasse (Kasbachstrasse): vehicles with MPW over 3.5t, except resident traffic.
- L35 and L36, see under B177 above
- L38 Ellbögenstrasse : from the intersection with the motorway access road at Patsch to the junction with the B182 Brennerstrasse in both directions, for vehicles with trailers, with the exception of arriving and departing journeys for loading operations and traffic originating in or travelling to Ellbögen, Mühlbach, Matrei, Patsch and Pfons on the

section between the intersection of the L38 Ellbögenerstrasse and the motorway access road at Patsch and the junction with the B182 Brennerstrasse at Matrei am Brenner, together with breakdown assistance and towing services, public security service, the federal army and highway maintenance service.

- L39 Erpfendorfer Landesstrasse throughout its length for trucks with MPW of over 7.5t in the direction of Erpfendorf-Kössen, except for journeys for the sole transport of milk, fresh meat, livestock, perishable foodstuffs, newspapers and periodicals, and vehicles permanently based in Kössen, Schwendt, Walchsee, Rettenschöss, Niderndorf, Niderndorferberg, Erl, Ebbs, Oberndorf i.T., Going, St.Johann i.T., Kirchdorf i.T. and Waidring; traffic travelling to or from these localities is also exempt, provided that loading and unloading take place exclusively in these localities.
- L255 Plansee Strasse: prohibition on vehicles with an MPW of over 7.5t carrying out a transit operation for which Eco-points are compulsory according to BGBl N°879/1992
- L261 Gräner Strasse: prohibition on vehicles with an MPW of over 7.5t carrying out a transit operation for which Eco-points are compulsory according to BGBl N°879/1992
- L274 Kirchdorfer Landesstrasse: trucks with MPW of over 7.5t from km 0.00 (B312 intersection at Kirchdorf) to km 3.4 (B176 intersection) except for resident traffic
- L348 Spisser Landesstrasse between Pfunds-Zollhäuser and Spissermühle in the months of the year during which the Spisser highway is covered with snow or ice: driving ban for trucks with trailers.
- Kitzbühel Daily driving ban in the urban area of Kitzbühel from 5 July to 5 September and from 20 December to 20 March, in both cases between 10h00 and 06h00, with the exception of access journeys to the loading zone for the town centre hotels, cyclists, taxis and motor vehicles belonging to the authorised owners listed by name in the regulations published in the "Bote für Tirol" (Tyrol Official Journal) N°747/1993 and N°1273/1983.
- Kufstein Access to various highways prohibited for trucks with MPW of over 3.5t apart from local traffic; heavy transit vehicles may use the alternative route Kufstein/Zell - new Wildbichlerstrasse - old Wildbichlerstrasse - access road Kufstein/Nord - Hochauser in both directions.
- Wörgl Tiroler Strasse (B171), Brixentaler Strasse (B170) in transit through the locality of Wörgl on the B171 between the end of the Wörgl-West motorway access road (km 19.087) and the junction with the motorway access road at Wörgl-Ost and also on the B170 from the Luech turn-off (km 4.65) to the B171 Wörgl-Ortsmitte, trucks with MPW of over 7.5t, with the exception of local traffic in Wörgl and Wildschönau.
- Rattenberg Tiroler Strasse (B171): ban on the transport of dangerous goods with the exception of deliveries in the district of Rattenberg and Radfeld. Prohibition also on Sundays and public holidays from 22h00 to 05h00 the next day for trucks with an MPW of over 7.5t; outside these periods there is a driving ban for trucks with MPW of over 7.5t, except for vehicles registered in Radfeld, loading activities in the district of Rattenberg and Radfeld and authorised vehicles (including highway and breakdown services and transport of timber outside municipal territory).

Vorarlberg

General traffic ban for road trains and articulated vehicles on the Arlbergstrasse between St.Jakob and Alpe Rauz.

Styria

General traffic ban on the B138, Pyhrnpass Bundesstrasse from the Pyhrnpass state border (km 81.620) to the B138 - L740 intersection at Liezen (km 88.295) for trucks with MPW of over 7.5t except for vehicles loaded or unloaded in this area.

Upper Austria

- B137 Innviertler Strasse - prohibition on goods vehicles with an MPW of over 7.5t in both directions on the following sections: from the intersection with the B1 and B138 in Wels (km 0.000) to the intersection with the B134 Wallerner Bundesstrasse (fork in the direction of Eferding, km 9.305); from the intersection with the B134 Wallerner

Bundesstrasse in Winkeln (fork to the A8 Innkreis motorway, Pichl-Bad Schallerbach exit, km 11.386) to the state border at Schärding Neuhaus (km 64.160)

Exceptions: section of the B137 between the intersection with the B134 Wallerner Bundesstrasse in Eferding to the A8 Pichl-Bad Schallerbach exit. It is, for example, possible to travel direct via this route from the Rohrbach district, over the Danube bridge at Aschach to the A8 Innkreis motorway. Further exceptions are vehicles coming from or travelling to the districts of Schärding, Grieskirchen, Eferding, Wels-Land and Wels-Stadt and the communes of Lambrechten and Taiskirchen in the district of Ried.

B138 Pyhrnpass Strasse - prohibition on goods vehicles with an MPW of over 7.5t in both directions from the intersection with the B1 and the B137 in Wels (km 0.000) to the intersection with the L537 Sattledter Strasse (B138 forks in the direction of Steinerkirchen, Lambach - just before Sattledt, km 10.485)

Exceptions: vehicles coming from or travelling to the districts of Wels-Land and Wels-Stadt.

Salzburg Pinzgauer Strasse (B311), Loferer Strasse (B178), Pass-Thurn-Strasse (B161), Gerlosstrasse (B165) and Felbertauernstrasse throughout the whole administrative district of Zell-am-See - prohibition on goods vehicles with an MPW of over 7.5t, with the exception of : recovery vehicles, breakdown services, emergency vehicles and vehicles required for essential repairs to refrigeration plant or power supply facilities; journeys which serve exclusively for the transport of milk, fresh meat and livestock, perishable foodstuffs, newspapers and periodicals; domestic transport; vehicles whose permanent base is in the administrative district of Zell-am-See; trips which serve exclusively for the loading and/or unloading of vehicles on federal territory.

NB: owing to the fact that many vehicles have been using the secondary road network to avoid payment of the Austrian road tolls, many regional traffic bans have been introduced. These are updated regularly on AISÖ's web site www.aisoe.org (German only).

3. GENERAL BAN ON NIGHT DRIVING

Prohibition between 22h00 and 05h00 for heavy goods vehicles of over 7.5t MPW

Exceptions vehicles belonging to the highway maintenance service; vehicles belonging to the Federal Army, and which are essential for the pursuit of military operations; low-noise vehicles showing the green 'L' plate. The latter are limited to a maximum speed of 60km/h, although a speed of 80km/h may be authorised on certain sections.

NB: Derogations to driving restrictions will be authorised only for journeys which serve exclusively for the transport of milk, fresh meat and livestock, perishable foodstuffs, newspapers and periodicals, essential repairs to refrigeration plant or the operation of road maintenance vehicles to enable traffic flow to be maintained; in all other cases an exceptional authorisation shall be granted only if there is a substantial public interest in doing so. The applicant shall prove in both instances that the journey cannot be avoided by organisational measures or by choosing a different means of transport.

4. SPECIAL LOCAL NIGHT TRAFFIC BANS

Carinthia

Trucks with a total weight of over 3.5t from 23h00 to 05h00 in the city of Klagenfurt

Lower Austria

Trucks with a total weight of over 7.5t from 22h00 to 06h00 on the B18 Traisentalstrasse between Berndorf and Traisen and from 22h00 to 06h00 on the B3 Wachaustrasse and the B133 between Mautern and Melk.

Trucks with a total weight of over 3.5t from 22h00 to 06h00 in the area of Mödling (communes of Brunn/Geb, Hinterbrühl, Maria Enzerndorf, Mödling, Perchtoldsdorf). These restrictions are indicated by road signs.

In the city of Wiener Neustadt, night driving ban between 23h00 and 05h00.

Upper Austria

Trucks with a total weight of over 7.5t from 22h00 to 05h00 in the town of Wels (B157 and B138 eastern ringroad).

Trucks with a total weight of over 5t from 22h00 to 06h00 on the B138 and A9 from the state border.

Trucks with a total weight of over 3.5t from 22h00 to 06h00 in the city of Linz.

Styria

Trucks with a total weight of over 3.5t from 23h00 to 04h30 in the city of Graz (with the exception of food supply traffic and access to rail/road services).

Tyrol

Trucks with a total weight of over 7.5t from 22h00 to 05h00 on the B181 Achenseestrasse between Wiesing and the state border at Achenkirch with the exception of transport to/from Hinterriss, Fischl and the Achenal.

Trucks with a total weight of over 3.5t between 22h00 and 05h00 in the city of Innsbruck (with the exception of low noise vehicles).

Trucks with a total weight of over 7.5t between 1 November and 30 April from Monday to Saturday from 20h00 to 05h00 (between 1 May and 31 October from Monday to Saturday from 22h00 to 05h00) and on Sundays and public holidays from 23h00 to 05h00 on the A12 between km 20.359 in Kundl and km 66.780 in Ampass. Exceptions: transport of perishable foodstuffs, newspapers, medicines, livestock, construction or road maintenance vehicles, breakdown or emergency vehicles, vehicles whose NOx emissions are less than 3g/kWh (Euro 4 and 5).

Exceptions apply in both directions on the following roads and road sections for journeys which are part of a combined transport operation:

To Vienna Südbahnhof via

- A4 eastern motorway from the border crossing-point at Nickelsdorf to the A23 Vienna south-east ringroad and on via the A23, exit at Gürtel via the Gürtel Landstrasse and Wiedner Gürtel to Südtiroler Platz, Sonnwendgasse;
- B16 Ödenburger Bundesstrasse from the border crossing-point at Klingenbach to the A3 south east motorway and on via the A3 south east motorway, B210 Badener Bundesstrasse to the A2 south motorway and on via the A2 south motorway and the A23 Vienna south-east ringroad, Gürtel exit via Landstrasser Gürtel, Wiedner Gürtel to Südtiroler Platz, Sonnwendgasse.

To Graz Ostbahnhof via:

- A9 Pyhrn motorway from the Spielfeld border crossing to the A2 south motorway and on via the A2 south motorway, exit Graz East, Ulrich-Lichenstein-Gasse and Conrad-von Hötzing-Strasse
- B65 Gleisdorfer Bundesstrasse from the border crossing at Heiligenkreuz to the A2 south motorway and on via the A2 south motorway, exit Graz East, Ulrich-Lichenstein Gasse, Conrad-von Hötzing-Strasse

To the station of Villach-Fürnitz via:

- A11 Karawanken motorway from the border crossing at Arnoldstein to the Fürnitz exit, B83 Kärntner Bundesstrasse

A2 Southern motorway from the border crossing at Arnoldstein to the Fürnitz exit, B83 Kärntner Bundesstrasse.

To the marshalling station at Wels via:

A8 Innkreis motorway from the border crossing at Suben to the A25 Linz motorway and on via the A25 Linz motorway to exit 13

A1 Western motorway from the border crossing at Walserberg to the Sattledt exit and on via the B138 Pyhrnpass Bundesstrasse, B137 Innviertler Bundesstrasse to A25 Linz motorway and on via A25 Linz motorway to exit 13.

To Salzburg station via:

A1 West motorway from the Walserberg border crossing point to exit 288 (Salzburg north), then via Salzburgerstrasse, Vogelweiderstrasse, Gnigler Strasse, Lastenstrasse.

To the Brennersee rail station via:

A13 Brenner motorway from the Brenner border crossing point to the Brennersee exit and on via the B182 Brenner Bundesstrasse.

For the journeys listed above a completed document (CIM/UIRR Convention) must be carried showing that the vehicle or its superstructure (swap body, container) is to be or has already been transported by rail.

5. WINTER DRIVING RESTRICTIONS

<i>Vehicles concerned</i>	Motor vehicles and combined vehicles with an authorised total weight of over 7.5t
<i>Prohibition</i>	8 January, 5 February, 12 February, 19 March and 26 March 2005 from 08h00 to 15h00
<i>Area</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">· A10 Tauern motorway: southwards between the Golling and Pass Lueg junctions; northwards between the Pfarrwerfen and Golling junctions· B159 Salzachtalstrasse between km 21.780 and km 29.410
<i>Exceptions</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">· journeys which serve exclusively for the transport of meat or livestock for slaughter, perishable foodstuffs, newspapers and periodicals, the supply of refreshments to tourist areas, urgent deliveries to filling stations or catering services and events, repairs to refrigeration plant, towing services, breakdown assistance, deployment in the case of a disaster, medical attendance, deployment of road maintenance vehicles to allow traffic flow to be maintained, road or rail building, deployment of public safety vehicles, fire brigade, refuse collection, disposal of toxic waste, operation of sewage works, deployment of vehicles of a scheduled transport company to ensure regular services, as well as the urgent deployment of trucks by the Austrian Army or by foreign troops based in Austria, or aid operations by recognised organisations;· trips made as part of a combined rail-road goods transport operation from the consignor to the nearest suitable loading station or from the nearest suitable unloading station to the consignee and back to the nearest loading station, provided a completed document (CIM/UIRR Convention) is carried on board indicating that the vehicle or its superstructure (swap body, container) is to be or has already been transported by rail;· trips with empty vehicles between 08h00 and 10h00 to the

driver's home, to the company's place of business, to a goods terminal, to a truck yard, to the vehicle's permanent base or to any place where the transport operator provides the driver with the possibility of making the return trip by public transport or with a company vehicle.

6. SUMMER DRIVING RESTRICTIONS

Vehicles concerned	Motor vehicles and combined vehicles with an authorised total weight of over 7.5t
Prohibition	on Saturdays from 2 July to 3 September from 09h00 to 15h00
Area	<ul style="list-style-type: none">· A12 Inntal motorway from the state border at Kufstein to Imst, for vehicles whose destination is south of the Brenner;· A13 Brenner motorway from Innsbruck to the state border, for vehicles whose destination is south of the Brenner
Prohibition	on Saturdays from 2 July to 10 September from 08h00 to 15h00
Area	<ul style="list-style-type: none">· A2 Southern motorway from the Vösendorf intersection to the state border at Arnoldstein, with the exception of the feeder road between Graz-east and the intersection with the B73;· A4 Eastern motorway from Schwechat to the state border at Nickelsdorf;· full length of the S6 Semmering express road;· full length of the S36 Murtal express road
Prohibition	on Saturdays from 2 July to 10 September from 08h00 to 15h00 in both directions on the following roads, outside localities
Area	<ul style="list-style-type: none">· B178 Loferer Strasse from Lofer to Wörgl;· B320 Ennstal Strasse starting at km 4.500;· full length of the B177 Seefelder Strasse;· B179 Fernpassstrasse from Nassereith to Biberwier;· full length of the B181 Aachensee Strasse;· full length of the B317 Friesacher Strasse
Exceptions	<ul style="list-style-type: none">· journeys which serve exclusively for the transport of meat or livestock for slaughter, perishable foodstuffs, newspapers and periodicals, the supply of refreshments to tourist areas, urgent deliveries to filling stations or catering services and events, repairs to refrigeration plant, towing services, breakdown assistance, deployment in the case of a disaster, medical attendance, deployment of road maintenance vehicles to allow traffic flow to be maintained, road or rail building, deployment of public safety vehicles, fire brigade, refuse collection, disposal of toxic waste, operation of sewage works, deployment of vehicles of a scheduled transport company to ensure regular services, as well as the urgent deployment of trucks by the Austrian Army or by foreign troops based in Austria, or aid operations by recognised organisations;· trips made as part of a combined rail-road goods transport operation from the consignor to the nearest suitable loading station or from the nearest suitable unloading station to the consignee and back to the nearest loading station, provided a

completed document (CIM/UIRR Convention) is carried on board indicating that the vehicle or its superstructure (swap body, container) is to be or has already been transported by rail; trips with empty vehicles between 08h00 and 10h00 to the driver's home, to the company's place of business, to a goods terminal, to a truck yard, to the vehicle's permanent base or to any place where the transport operator provides the driver with the possibility of making the return trip by public transport or with a company vehicle.

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