

Annex VII - Questionnaire to Regulatory bodies

Questionnaire

Please fill in the questionnaire electronically. Feel free to change the size of the tables according to your needs. You may provide additional comments under each answer. In case of non-availability of the requested data, use the abbreviation "n/a". Please mention in your answers the relevant references. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Reply of *[insert the name of your institution]* at *[insert the date]*

[Please indicate the Member States in which you are a Regulatory Body]

<p>1. Please describe your role and powers, if any, with regard to public service contracts in the railway sector and for inland transport services other than rail.</p>
<p>2. Have you already had the opportunity to assess the economic balance of a public service contract? If so, please describe the way you have assessed the economic balance of a PSC and specify whether it was under Article 10(3b) of Directive 91/440/EEC or outside this scope.</p>

3. How do you define the economic balance of a public service contract (the elements to be in balance, etc.)?
4. Please provide the list and a short summary of your decisions, if any, concerning directly or indirectly public service contracts in the railway sector.
5. What are in your opinion the weaknesses of or gaps in the current national regulatory framework?

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6. Which measures would you suggest to improve the situation?

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6. Should you have any other comment on the implementation of Regulation 1370/2007, please feel

free to indicate it hereafter.