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In accordance with the reporting obligation laid down in Article 10(1) of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/1926 of 31 May 2017 supplementing Directive 2010/40/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council with regard to the provision of EU-wide multimodal travel information services ('Regulation 2017/1926'), the Latvian authorities submit the following information.

The Study on the deployment of ITS in the field of road transport and their interfaces with other modes of transport was completed on 17 September 2017. The ITS study made recommendations for Latvia's ITS strategy, defining possible objectives for the ITS strategy and services to be rolled out as a priority, formulating proposals for a plan to deploy the Latvian ITS strategy and defining legal, organisational and technological measures for the deployment of ITS over a five-year period. The study also aimed to ensure the practical implementation of Regulation No 2017/1926, including the establishment of a national access point in Latvia.

Based on the ITS study, an information report on the deployment of ITS in the field of road transport and their interfaces with other modes of transport was drawn up ('information report'). We would inform you that some details of the information report are currently being clarified and this is expected to be completed by the beginning of 2020. Based on this information report, the Cabinet of Ministers will discuss the measures to be implemented and possibilities of granting funds. In accordance with the decision adopted and the funds granted, the creation and establishment of the national access point is not expected to begin before 2021.

We would also inform you that the Ministry of Transport and Communications has drawn up draft amendments to the EU Structural and Cohesion Fund 2014–2020 programming period operational programme 'Growth and Employment', which provide for the re-distribution of EU funds of EUR 5,000,000 for the establishment of the national access point. The amendments to the EU Structural and Cohesion Fund 2014–2020 programming period operational programme 'Growth and Employment' were endorsed at the meeting of the Cabinet of Ministers of 3 December 2019 and will be submitted to the Commission.