



From regulations to operational readiness for surface carriers

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This webinar is intended for designated operators (DOs) and their surface carriers, covering sea, road and rail transport, as they prepare for the upcoming implementation of the European Union's Import Control System 2 (ICS2) Release 3. With ICS2 expanding in its release 3 phase to include all surface transport modes for international postal items entering the European Union, it is critical for DOs and their carriers to understand and meet the new requirements for submitting entry summary declarations (ENS) prior to arrival.

Featuring insights from the European Commission, the Universal Postal Union, postal administrations and logistics partners, the session will provide practical guidance on regulatory obligations, operational readiness and electronic data exchange, including the use of CARDIT messages containing cargo information. The webinar will help ensure that all parties involved in moving international mail by surface routes are prepared for compliance with ICS2 Release 3.

Programme

Opening remarks	UPU International Bureau
ICS2 Release 3 – Regulatory update and roadmap	Ms Renata Pauliukaityte, Manager, ICS2 Business Transformation, European Commission
Operational readiness and key considerations	Mr Ian Wilkinson, Head of Postal Policy, Royal Mail
Supporting ENS filing for carriers through IT tool	Mr Jörgen Van Mook, Head of Network Management & Innovation, International Post Corporation
Sea mail and ICS2 – A practical perspective	Mr Maxime Burzlaff, Head of Customs and Performance, International Services, Australia Post
Evolving IPS for ICS2 compliance: CARDIT and cargo information integration	Mr Paolo Politi, Senior Technical Account Manager, Mail Products and Services, UPU International Bureau
Closing remarks	UPU International Bureau and Mr Ian Wilkinson