



Driving restrictions, goods transport 2012 (Source: IRU International Road Transport Union)

Croatia

Article I

Vehicles concerned

lorries and combined vehicles with a maximum permitted weight of over 7.5t; lorries and combined vehicles which exceed 14m in length; tractors; horse-drawn vehicles; working machines and all other vehicles which cannot exceed a speed of 40km/h on a straight road; vehicles being used for driving lessons

Area

on the following state roads (SR) and county roads (CR), with the exception of completed motorway sections :

- SR 1 : Karlovac (Brza cesta - Smiciklasova St intersection) - Slunj -Gracac - Knin - Brnadze - Krizice (near Dugopolje) as well as the Klis -Solin section of the Solin bypass;
- SR 8 : junction with DC 40 (Bakar interchange) - Zadar - Split - Klek border crossing (BIH) and Zaton Doli border crossing (BIH) - Dubrovnik - Karasovici border crossing (Montenegro), except for the sections from the intersection with SR 27 at the Sibenik bridge to the eastern entrance to Sibenik (turn-off for SR 58) and from the Bilice roundabout in Solen to the intersection for the trade-transport terminal in Stobrec;
- SR 9 : Metkovic - Opuzen - SR 8;
- SR 21 : Kastel border crossing (SLO) - Buje - Kanfanar interchange, except for the section of the SR 3 from the Kanfanar interchange to Pula (junction with SR 66);

- SR 23 : Zuta Lokva - Senj;
- SR 39 : Arzano border crossing (BIH) - intersection with SR 8 (Dupci);
- SR 45 : Veliki Zdenci (SR 5) - Garesnica - Kutina;
- SR 53 : intersection with CR 4207 - Slavonski Brod border crossing (BIH);
- SR 60 : Brnaze - Trilj - Cista Provo
- SR 66 : Pula - Rasa - Opatija - SR 8;
- SR 200 : Buje (SR 21) - Plovanija border crossing (SLO);
- SR 220 : Trilj (SR 60) - Kamensko border crossing (BIH);
- SR 300 : Buje (SR 21) - Umag;
- Z 5002 : Novigrad - Tar - Porec - Vrsar (junction with Z 5073);
- on the approach to and in the area of the state ferry port of Split;
- on the approach to and in the area of the state ferry port of Zadar

Article II

Periods

from 12 June to 19 September

- on Saturdays from 04h00 to 14h00;
- on Sundays from 12h00 to 23h00

On Good Friday and on the eve of a public or religious holiday

- from 15h00 to 23h00

On a public holiday

- from 14h00 to 23h00

If a public holiday, or the last day of a series of public holidays falls on a Friday or Saturday, the prohibition is effective on the Sunday from 12h00 to 23h00.

If a public holiday falls on a Sunday or Monday, the prohibition is effective on the preceding Friday from 15h00 to 23h00.

Note: during the driving ban, vehicles registered in Croatia which are affected by the restrictions are allowed to enter the country at all border crossings mentioned above and to wait in an appropriate parking area in the border crossing zone until the end of the restrictions or to drive to the nearest customs office or terminal provided parking space is available



- vehicles of over 14m in length and articulated vehicles transporting perishables such as fresh meat and fresh meat products, fresh milk and dairy products, fresh fish and fish products, perishable fruit and vegetables, except on the SR 2 between Varazdin and Dubrava Krizovljanska where they must comply with the traffic restrictions imposed under Article III of this order;
- vehicles of over 14m in length and articulated vehicles transporting livestock or poultry, except on the SR 2 between Varazdin and Dubrava Krizovljanska where they must comply with the traffic restrictions imposed under Article III of this order;
- vehicles with an authorisation.

Article V

The authorisation referred to above is issued, in the case of domestic road traffic, by the police administration responsible for the area in which the departure point is situated or, in the case of international road traffic, at the place of entry into Croatia on condition that, in terms of timing and circumstances, such transport is urgently needed for safety reasons or if its delay is likely to cause major material damage.



Authorised routes

1. For the transport of dangerous goods of Classes 1, 2, 3, 6.1, 7 and 8 only the following routes may be used:

1.1 Bregana border crossing (D4) - Zagreb ringroad - Stara Gradiska border crossing or Zupanja border crossing - Bajakovo border crossing;

1.2 Macelj border crossing (D1) - Zagreb ringroad - D1 (D3) - Karlovac;

1.3 Gorican border crossing (D3) - Cakovec - Zagreb ringroad;

1.4 Donji Miholjac border crossing (D53) - Nasice;

1.5 Rupa border crossing - D8 - Rijeka (for dangerous goods included in a special list, with the exception of oil and petrol);

1.6 as an exceptional measure, the following route may be used for the transport of dangerous goods included in Class 3 (petroleum and petroleum derivatives): Dubrava Krizovljanska border crossing(D2) - Varazdin (D3) - Zagreb ringroad

2. Transport operations to and from ports, oil refineries and free zones are possible provided the following special instructions are respected

2.1 roads from the port of Ploce (D513) to the Mali Prolog border crossing may be used for the transit of dangerous goods of Classes 1, 2, 3 and 8;

2.2 the route Split - Klis - D1 - Brnaze - D60 - Trilj - D220 - Kamensko border crossing may be used for the transit of dangerous goods of Classes 1, 2, 3, 6.1, 7 and 8 from the ports of Split and Solin;

2.3 the route D3 - Karlovac - D1 (D3) Zagreb ringroad may be used for the transit of dangerous goods from the port of Rijeka and the Rijeka refinery;

2.4 the route D36 - Popovaca may be used for the transit of dangerous goods from the port of Sisak and the Sisak refinery;

2.5 the transit of dangerous goods from the port of Zadar should go via the crossing with the D8 state highway - D502 Smilcic - Benkovac - D56 - Bribir - D509 - Knin - Sinj (D1) - Trilj (D60) - D220 Kamensko border crossing



Public holidays 2011

- 1 January New Year's Day
- 6 January Epiphany
- 24 April Easter
- 25 April Easter Monday
- 1 May Labour Day
- 22 June Day of anti-fascist fight
- 23 June Corpus Christi
- 25 June Croatian Statehood Day
- 5 August Thanksgiving Day
- 15 August Assumption
- 8 October Independence Day
- 1 November All Saints' Day
- 25 December Christmas Day
- 26 December St Stephen's Day

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