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Addendum

**International Forwarding and Transport Business Requirements Specification
Version: 1.0¹**

Note by the Secretariat²

Summary

This document contains the executive summary and the table of contents of the full document, which can be downloaded from http://www.unece.org/cefact/brs/brs_index.htm.

This Business Requirements Specification was prepared by the transport working group and approved by the TBG on 19 May 2008. It was approved by the Forum Management Group (FMG) in an intersessional approval process.

This document is submitted for approval by the Heads of Delegation in an intersessional process and is **for confirmation** by the fourteenth UN/CEFACT Session.

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³International Forwarding and Transport Messages.

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