

MISSION OF PROVIDING INFORMATION-MTPL INFORMATION CENTER

1 Maintaining a register

The Fund maintains a register which must contain the following information :

The registration number, date of registration and the duration and validity of the registration in the catalog of vehicles normally based in Belgium.

The surname and first name, or denomination, and the address of every owner of a registration of a vehicle normally based in Belgium,

The class of vehicle or vehicle registration of vehicles normally based in Belgium,

The make, model, serial number, control number, engine size or power, maximum load and date of first registration of the vehicles normally based in Belgium,

The insurance policy numbers and date of end of validity,

Insurance undertakings covering the use of vehicles for the risks classified in class 10 of point A of the Annex to Directive 73/239/EEC, other than carrier's liability, and their claims representatives,

The list of vehicles which benefit from the derogation from the requirement for civil liability insurance cover, as well as the name and the address of the body appointed to compensate the victims²,

The name and the address of every claims representative appointed in each country of the E.E.A.

These data are preserved during 7 years after the termination of the registration or the end of validity of the insurance policy. The Fund may transmit this data to equivalent foreign information centres.

2. Information request

2.1.. Persons allowed to make a request

Persons involved in a traffic accident and their rightful claimants,

Persons having a subrogation right or a direct action,

Other E.E.A information centers,

Information centers from other countries if they are subject to professional secrecy.

2.2. What details are transmitted by the Fund?

The name and address of the insurance company,

The insurance policy number,

The name and address of the claims representative in the country of residence of the victim,

The name and address of the body in charge of compensating damages caused by a vehicle that benefits from the derogation from the requirement for civil liability insurance cover according to the law of the 21.11.1989, or has an equivalent exemption in another member state of the E.E.A.

2.3.Cconditions to fulfill :

the request must concern a vehicle normally based in a country of the E.E.A.,

the accident must have occurred in the E.E.A. or in a third party state having adopted the Green Card System,

the request must be submitted within 7 years of the accident,

3. The competence of investigation

When the insurer cannot be immediately identified, the Fund has the possibility to contact the owner of the vehicle's registration and enquire about his/her situation of insurance.