

Compensation Body Compendium

IRL – Ireland

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1. What is the full identity (exact name, address, etc.) of the Compensation Body established or approved in accordance with Article 24 of the Codified Motor Insurance Directive? Please specify.

Motor Insurers' Bureau of Ireland
5 Harbourmaster Place
IFSC
Dublin 1

2. What is the legal nature of this body?

Private company limited by Guarantee.

3. On what legal basis is it authorised to carry out compensation?

Codified Directive 2009EC/103 transposed into Irish law by Statutory Instrument 651/2003.

4. Is compensation by this body subsidiary?

Yes.

5. If the compensation is subsidiary, which entities are excluded?

Motor insurers, private health insurers, property insurers & welfare bodies.

6. Is this body a VAT liable entity?

Yes.

If yes, please indicate the VAT number:

0647243L

In this case, is the service of claim handling VAT exempted?

Yes.

7. Are there any specific provisions governing the recourse between this body and those responsible for the accident and other insurers or social security bodies obliged to compensate the victim for the same accident?

No.

If yes, what do these specific provisions consist of? Please specify briefly.

N/A.

8. Under your legislation, does a victim who has requested compensation under Articles 24 and 25 of the Codified Motor Insurance Directive have the right to remedy against the decision/omission of the Compensation Body?

Yes.

If yes, please specify (appeal to administrative authority, judicial review of the latter's decision or action to court directly, i.e. passive procedural legitimacy of the Compensation Body):

Appeal through the Courts.

9. Are there natural or legal persons (public or private) exempt from the obligation of compulsory MTPL insurance in your country? (Article 5.1 of the Codified Motor Insurance Directive)

Answer to this question is available in the Green Card Bureau Compendium, question 14.1.

If yes, please list the persons exempt from compulsory MTPL insurance:

Answer to this question is available in the Green Card Bureau Compendium, question 14.2.a).

In case of disagreement, please concert with your national Bureau.

Please also indicate the authorities or bodies responsible for compensation:

Answer to this question is available in the Green Card Bureau Compendium, question 14.2.b).

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10. Are there certain types of vehicles or certain vehicles having a special plate exempted from the obligation of compulsory MTPL insurance in your country? (Article 5.2 of the Codified Motor Insurance Directive)

Answer to this question is available in the Green Card Bureau Compendium, question 14.3.

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If yes, please list those vehicles:

Answer to this question is available in the Green Card Bureau Compendium, question 14.4.

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