



## **CO<sub>2</sub> Awareness Certificate Level 4 | Participant Infra Transporters Group**

In December 2013, Eurailscout Inspection & Analysis became a member of the Infra Transporters Group, earlier called the Infra Group Industry consultation.

### **What is the Infra Transporters Group?**

This consultation is an initiative of Aad Onderwater (Strukton Rail) in which transporting contractors and infrastructure parties with a transport permit have joined forces in order to best represent the interests of the infrastructure transporters and infrastructure managers.

Members of the sector consultation, together with the infrastructure manager and/or training institutes, are taking substantial steps to improve safety for working in and around the railway, to increase the availability of the railway and to prevent or reduce the increase in CO<sub>2</sub> emissions.

### **Spearheads**

The Group has the following spearheads:

1. Appear as an association as Infra Carriers.
2. Securing & improving railway safety.
3. Joint representation towards infrastructure managers with regard to capacity, regulations and specific transports for maintenance, renewal and monitoring.
4. Sharing information in the field of rail use (including CO<sub>2</sub> emissions), Safety, Health and the Environment.
5. Communicating with infrastructure managers such as ProRail.

### **Chain analysis**

The Group also offers scope for additional strategies, provided they are sufficiently effective, feasible and affordable. For example, members of the Industry Consultation will also look at how a 49% reduction can be translated into the business chain. After all, the emission of CO<sub>2</sub> takes place in an (inter)national chain. In that chain, the members want to put more effort into the availability of the rail infrastructure, for example by setting different/additional requirements for infrastructure managers or making smarter choices in the use of the infrastructure together with this infrastructure manager.

### **Knowledge exchange**

Members of the Group actively share and disseminate their acquired knowledge and experiences. There are several contact moments every year for consultation about chosen solutions or to overcome obstacles. This exchange and coordination mainly takes place through modern means of communication.



Eurailscout carries out independent measurements of the railway infrastructure with modern measuring and inspection trains as well as hand-held devices. Eurailscout works for infrastructure managers and rail contractors in various countries.

The measurement data from Eurailscout measurement and inspection trains support the asset management process. At the request of the infrastructure managers, the measurement data obtained for them are provided to the rail contractors for maintenance purposes. The aim for the infrastructure managers is a safe, reliable and available rail network. Eurailscout is aware of its responsibility to provide the necessary data as well as possible.

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