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The European Commission Decision on EETS

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IRU general principles for a successful implementation of ITS in road transport

- Significant measurable safety, environmental and economic benefits
- Standardization, harmonization, interoperability
- Voluntary basis
- No limitations to the freedom of choice of transport mode and or equipment
- Data protection
- Use proven solutions only
- Ensure training of stakeholders
- Solid business case include – incentives for market take up

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The European Commission Decision on EETS – the IRU view

- Positive and important step towards long awaited implementation of Directive 2004/52.
- Operators should be able to pay all tolls and user charges in the EU by using one single service and one single OBU.
- Using EETS will not be subject to extra charges.
- Three years implementation might be too long. Already five years since Directive 2004/52.
- Commitment of the Member States.
- Multi-purpose ITS platforms capable of running different applications.

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