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Dear Mr Jagan,

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Thank you for writing in.

Multimodal Transport Operators (MTOs) interested in joining the Singapore AFAMT Registry of MTOs may apply through the <u>registration form</u> on LTA's website, with an annual membership fee of \$128.40 (inclusive of GST). Please note that applications will only be processed from 28 November 2021 onwards, after the Multimodal Transport Act (MTA) and ASEAN Framework Agreement on Multimodal Transport (AFAMT) has come into force for Singapore.

MTOs which are registered will be allowed to operate in all other ASEAN member states as provided under the AFAMT, and will be covered by the MTA which provides a standardised liability framework for all transport operations that begin or end in an ASEAN member state. MTOs which choose not to register can still continue their operations in Singapore as well as regionally and internationally, but will not be covered under the MTA and will not enjoy these benefits.

The Singapore AFAMT Registry is complementary to and in parallel with the existing Singapore Registry of Accredited Multimodal Transport Operators managed by the Singapore Logistics Association (SLA) which accredits MTOs to issue the FIATA Bill of Lading. In addition, the following criteria must be met before being admitted to the Registry:

- Registered under the Companies Act or the Business Names Registration Act 2014 and have a principal place of business in Singapore;
- 2. Possess an insurance policy, a coverage from a protection and indemnity; club, or an alternative of a financial character to cover payment of obligations for loss, damage or delay in delivery of goods under multimodal transport contracts, as well as contractual risks; and
- 3. Maintain minimum assets equivalent to 80,000 Special Drawing Rights (SDR) (equivalent to approximately SGD \$153,000) or provide an equivalent guarantee.

These requirements are aligned to the conditions in Article 30 of the AFAMT (https://afamt.asean.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/07/2005-ASEAN-Framework-Agreement-on-Multimodal-Transport.pdf).

Yours sincerely

International Relations Division Land Transport Authority

Walk, Cycle, Ride Message: Safe Management Measures on Public Transport

- Commuters can better plan their journeys using MyTransport.SG app to get real time crowdedness level at MRT stations and on bus services.
- They are also encouraged to use the TraceTogether app to check in and out at train stations and bus interchanges.
- This will help support and quicken efforts to prevent and control the transmission of COVID-19.

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