

Amendments and additions to the GCU: proposal sheet

Amendment Article 34 GCU

<p>1.- Expose the problem (with examples and, if possible, figures giving a measure of the scope of the problem):</p> <p>Invoices from countries where no official GCU language is spoken are often issued in national languages only. As they are not accompanied by explanation according to App. 10 Annex 6, this often leads to a lack of information. This creates a raise of administrative efforts on both sides and interferes ECM responsibilities.</p>	<p>2.- Show what the GCU is lacking in this respect:</p> <p>The application of the provisions of App. 10 Annex 6 is frequently insufficient</p>
<p>3.- Explain why the problem can only be solved through the GCU contract:</p> <p>The proposal aims to improve the application of already existing mandatory GCU provisions.</p>	<p>4.- Outline why the problem should be solved as envisaged in the proposed amendment/addition:</p> <p>The RU must communicate interventions possible under the GCU to the keeper. The information are important for the ECM documentation, invoice processing and checking of plausibility.</p>
<p>5.- Describe how the proposed amendments or additions will help solve the problem:</p> <p>The invoices shall be received clearly by using the CU codes defined in Annex 6 of App. 10 GCU.</p>	<p>6.- Assess the potential positive and negative impacts (on operations, costs, administration, interoperability, safety, competitiveness, etc.), using a scale from 1 (very low) to 5 (very high):</p> <p>The proposal has positive impacts only.</p>
<p>7. – Text proposal (Modifications in <i>blue</i>):</p> <p>The present contract exists in English, German and French; each language version has the same contractual value.</p> <p>Two GCU members with different national languages must carry out their correspondence in one of the official GCU languages. The fields in the form in Appendix 4 must thus be written in at least one of those three languages. Invoices may also be issued in the national language of the place of issue. The provisions of Annex 6 of Appendix 10 (coding of interventions) remain unaffected.</p>	