



IATA Temperature Control Regulations 9th Edition (English)

Effective 1 January 2021 – 31 December 2021

Addendum I

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Users of the IATA Temperature Control Regulations (TCR) are asked to note the following amendment and corrections to the 9th Edition, effective January 1st, 2021.

To help identify the insertion, change or amendment to the existing text, where appropriate, these have been highlighted in blue and/or red in PDF or grey in hardcopy:

- (Inserted text is underlined in blue)
- ~~(Deleted text is strike in red).~~

The Addendum I to the TCR consists of the following amendments:

1. TCR Chapter 7 – Documentation and Labelling

- ⇒ In Section 7.2 Cargo Handling Codes, IATA special handling codes were missing in the non-exhaustive list of codes:
 - **“PIP”** related to “Passive Insulated Packaging”
 - **“EMD”** related to “Electronic Monitoring Devices on/in Cargo/Container”.

2. TCR Chapter 17 – Air Transport Logistics for Time and Temperature Sensitive Healthcare Products

- ⇒ In Section 17.8.4.2.3 Instructions for use of the IATA Acceptance Checklist for Time and Temperature Sensitive Healthcare Shipments, the form was published in the TCR printed version with some errors.



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1. TCR Chapter 7 – Documentation and Labelling

Section 7.2 Cargo Handling Codes

OPERATOR VARIATIONS: EK01 EK08

When entered on the cargo manifest, perishable shipments should be endorsed with the appropriate IATA Handling code. These codes are used mainly in messages and other documents by the airlines for internal procedures and to ensure proper handling. They are maintained and updated in the IATA Cargo Imp Manual.

ACT — Active temperature control system

CRT — Control Room Temperature

EAT — Foodstuffs

[EMD](#) — [Electronic Monitoring Devices on/in Cargo/Container](#)

ERT — Extended Room Temperature

[...]

PER — Perishable Cargo (general)

PES — Fresh Fish/Seafood

[PIP](#) — [Passive Insulated Packaging](#)

PHY — Goods subject to phytosanitary inspections

PIL — Pharmaceutical products

WET — Wet Cargo not packed in watertight containers

2. TCR Chapter 17 – Air Transport Logistics for Time and Temperature Sensitive Healthcare Products

Section 17.8.4.2.3 Instructions for use of the IATA Acceptance Checklist for Time and Temperature Sensitive Healthcare Shipments

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IATA Acceptance Checklist for Time and Temperature Sensitive Healthcare Shipments Standard Form:



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IATA ACCEPTANCE CHECKLIST FOR TIME AND TEMPERATURE SENSITIVE HEALTHCARE SHIPMENTS

Air Waybill No: _____ Origin: _____ Destination: _____

SOP No (where applicable): _____

Note 1: Answer "not applicable" only where an N/A box is provided.

Note 2: If any question is answered "NO", the appropriate internal escalation procedure should be followed.

		YES	NO	N/A
A.	Air Waybill			
1.	Single temperature range indicated on Air Waybill	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
2.	24 hours emergency contact number(s)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input style="border: 2px solid red;" type="checkbox"/>
B.	Temperature Checks			
1.	Shipment delivered on temperature-controlled truck set at the correct temperature within the range as per the Air Waybill	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
C.	Shipment / Labelling			
1.	IATA Time & Temp. Sensitive Level Label affixed or pre-printed on the shipment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
2.	Temperature range in Celsius on the level label matching the temperature range stated on the Air Waybill	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
D.	Active Temperature Controlled Container (ACT)			<input style="border: 2px solid blue;" type="checkbox"/>
1.	ACT container check sheet completed & placed in container pouch	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
E.	Comments			

Checked by:

Name: _____

Place: _____

Date/Time: _____

Signature: _____
