

Finnish Transport and Communications Agency (Traficom) is responsible for CEF transport programme coordination and stakeholder cooperation from 1.1.2021.

Action Status Report (ASR) 2021 for CEF-funded actions with Finnish partners

Dear Finnish CEF beneficiaries, and CEF coordinators with Finnish project partners,

INEA has launched the ASR2021 and provided you by email the "Request for submission of Action Status Report". The deadline for the ASR is 31 March 2021. As a part of the annual ASR reporting process for CEF-funded Actions, the ASR requires a validation of each Member State of the partners concerned. Member States have their own individual timetables for the validation, and it is on the beneficiaries' responsibility to take this into account.

Therefore, it is important for each beneficiary to adapt the timetable for the preparation of ASR. Especially for coordinators of multi-beneficiary projects with partners in different Member States it is crucial to coordinate the validation as a validation sheet is necessary for each Member State.

Regarding the Member State assessment and validation of Finland, the following information is provided by the Ministry of Transport and Communications:

- The deadline for the ASR2021 is 25 March 2021. The ASR reports should be ready by then at the TENtec system for member state validation. Please note that you have to provide an access to the TENtec ASR Module for member state representative Ms Marjukka Vihavainen-Pitkänen.
- If ASR validation is needed before 25 March please contact Ms. Marjukka Vihavainen-Pitkänen via email well in advance.
- After approval by the Ministry of Transport and Communications the signed validation will be uploaded in the TENtec ASR module.
- The signed ASR can be downloaded from the TENtec.

In general your ASR should provide the best estimate with respect to budget, timing of activities and delivery of results.

A User Manual of the TENtec ASR module can be found at the bottom of this homepage: https://ec.europa.eu/inea/en/connecting-europe-facility/useful-documents-and-forms.

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