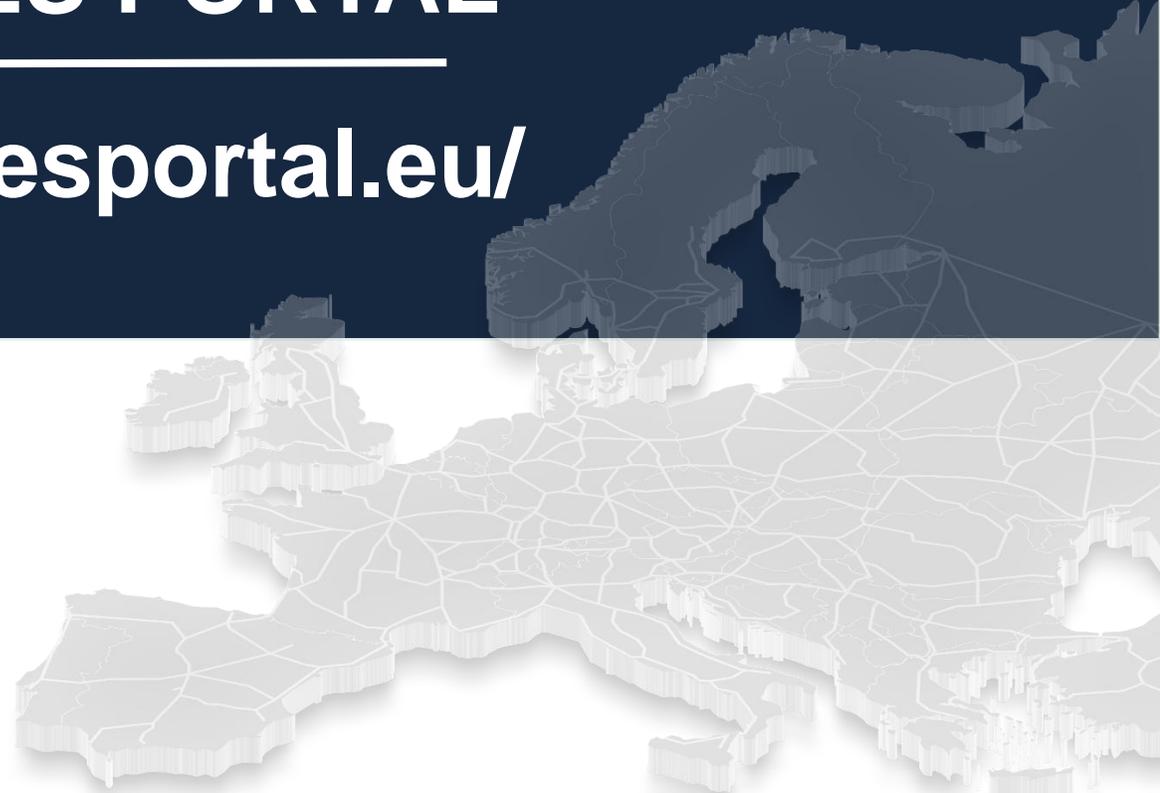




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# — RFP – Concept Based on Market and Legal Requirements

## EU Legal Requirements

- Directive 2012/34 (single European railway area): publication of information about access to service facilities in the network statements
- Implementing Regulation 2017/2177 (access to service facilities): publication of mandatory service facility information by all service facility operators, as one of the options, directly in the RFP
- Regulation 913/2010 (Rail Freight Corridors): publication of list and characteristics of terminals in the Corridor Information Documents
- Regulation 1305/2014 (TAF/TAP-TSI)

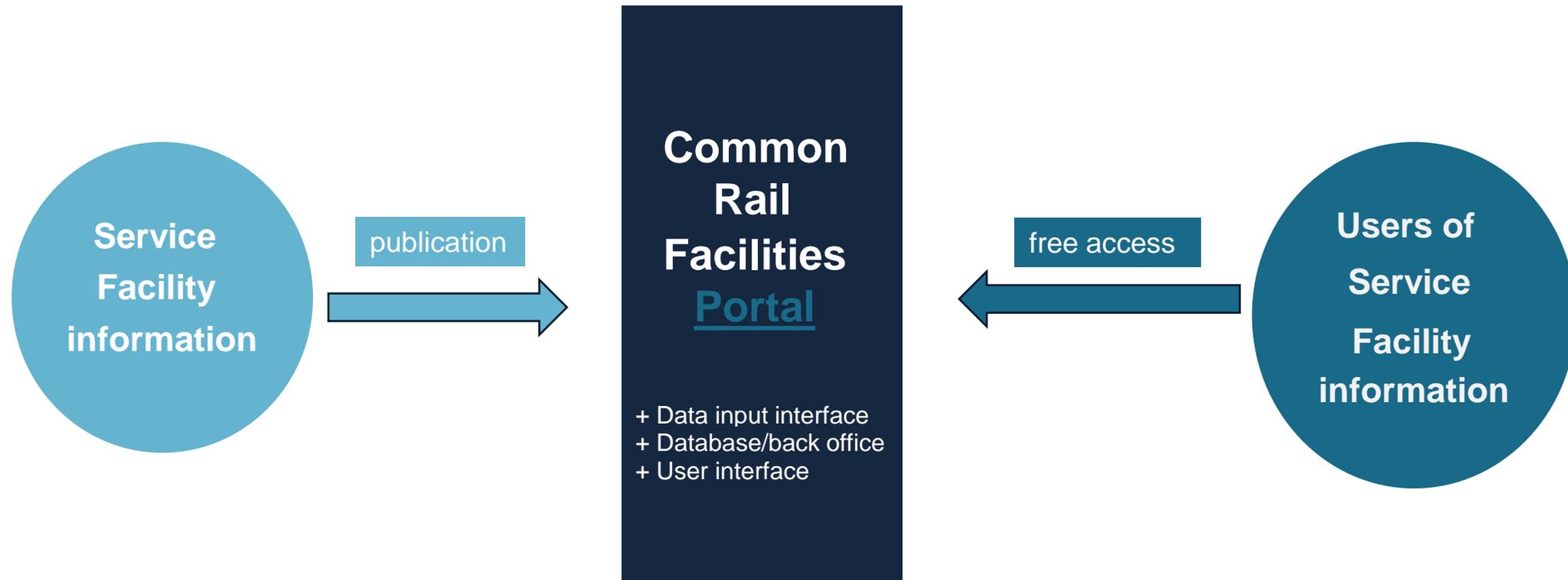
## Market Requirements - Freight

- Modal shift
- Key target groups (e.g. rail freight operators)
- Information needs on access to service facilities and rail-related services therein

## Market Requirements – Passenger

- Promotion of smart passenger mobility
- Key target groups (e.g. multimodal transport providers incl. rail passenger operators)
- Information needs: all multimodal interchange points, e.g. rail passenger stations

# — RFP – The Single European Platform and Business Tool for Rail-Related Service Facilities



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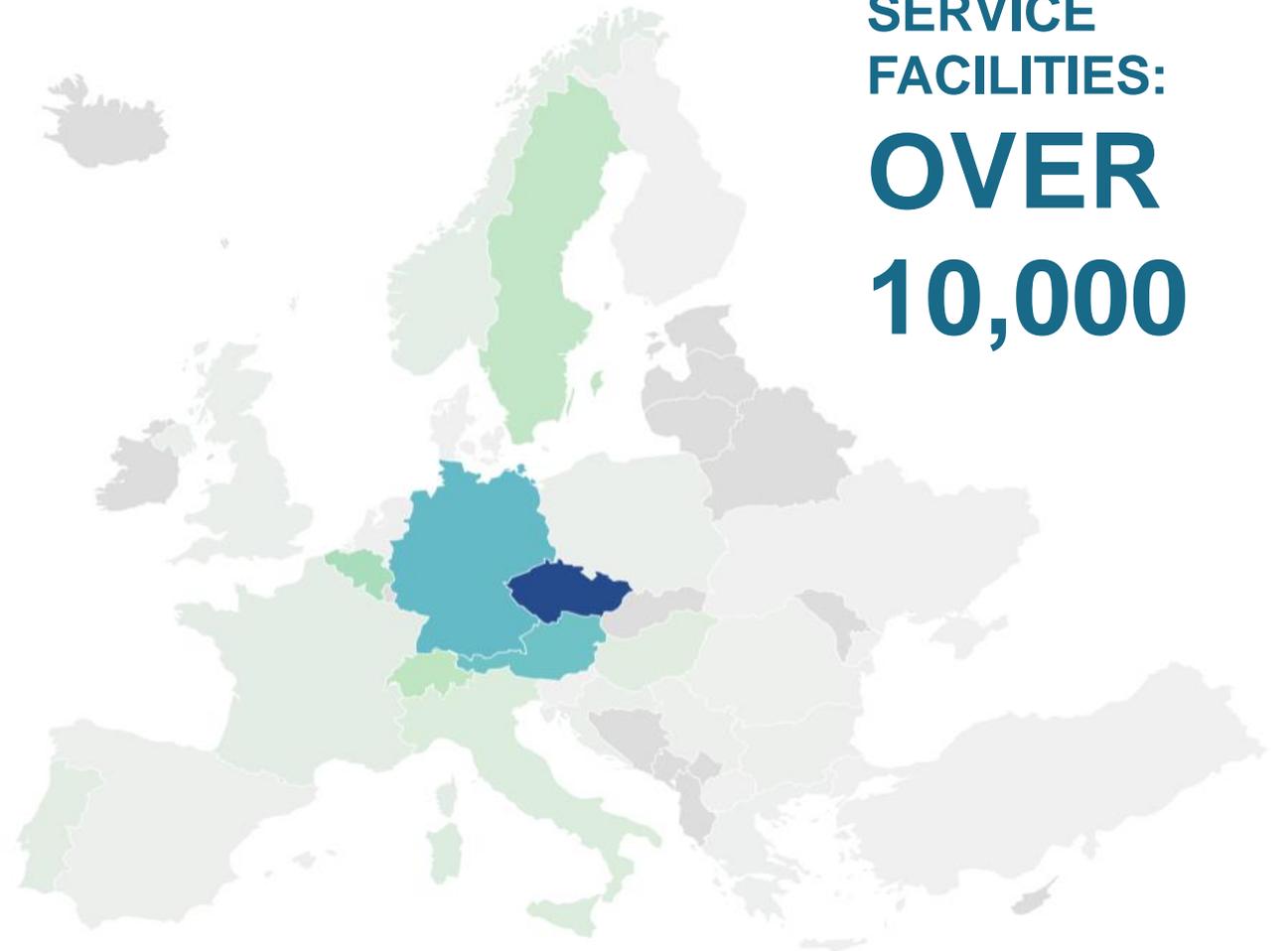


# — Already used by numerous Service Facilities

## Top 10 Countries

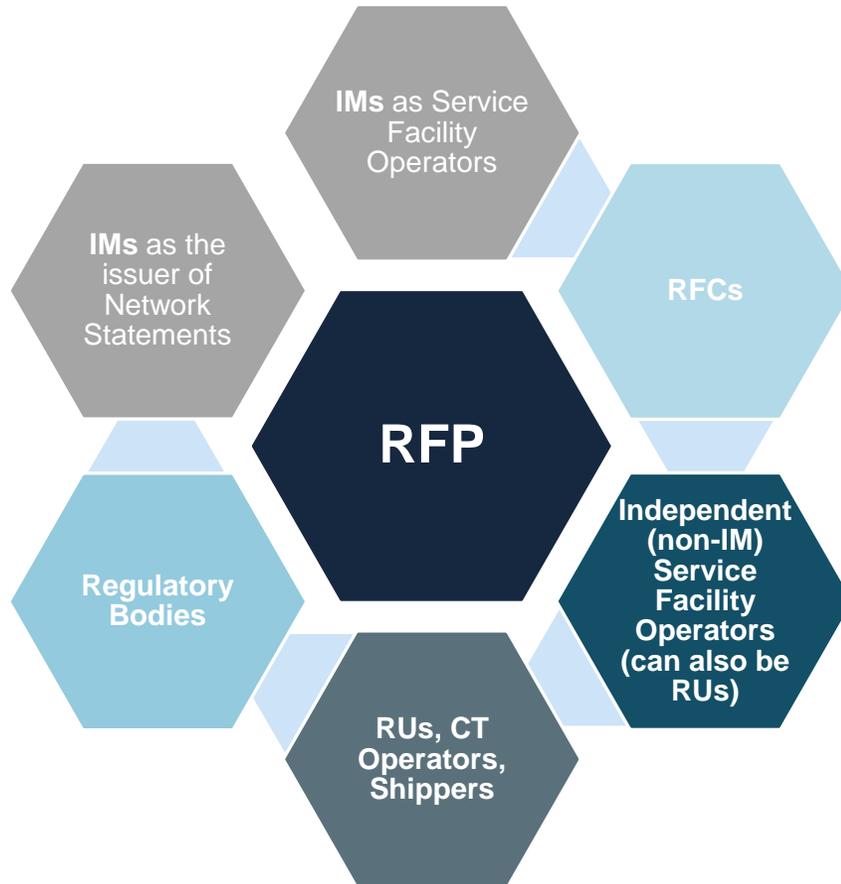
1. Czech Republic
2. Germany
3. Austria
4. Belgium
5. Switzerland
6. Sweden
7. Italy
8. Hungary
9. Portugal
10. France

Number of facilities



TOTAL NUMBER OF  
PARTICIPATING  
SERVICE  
FACILITIES:  
**OVER  
10,000**

# — RFP – Multitude of Involved Stakeholders



## Numerous stakeholders:

- **Feeding the RFP** ('data providers'): present their facilities and services and fulfil legal obligations
- **Using the information** ('data users'): to facilitate efficient planning of transport and logistics chains for freight operators, as well as assist efficient enforcement (for RBs)



# — Already highly supported by some important sector stakeholders

"I would like to invite all rail transport stakeholders to use the Portal and to explore its functionalities. "



"IRG-Rail welcomes the initiative of a common portal for rail facilities."



"Digitalisation of SF information is an important step to ensure further simplification and efficiency."





# — RFP – Benefits 1/2

- **For all Service Facility Operators**

- **Promotion tool** of services, even for planned new facilities and new services
- **Cheaper and more effective** than alternative solutions: creating an own website, creating/using local/regional portals
- **Compliance tool** ensuring completeness of legally mandatory information
- **Standardized** structure ensuring not only compliance but also reflecting **market needs** of customers

- **For Infrastructure Managers**

- **Convenient, standardized data input** for all large-scale facility managers
- **Full digitalization** of the content of the section including service facility information in the network statements
- Creating a single European platform for service facility information can **further promote the international cooperation** between infrastructure managers towards a single European railway area



## — RFP – Benefits 2/2

- **For Railway Undertakings and CT operators**
  - **Easily accessible, digitalized and standardized source of information supporting the planning of their services**
  - **Full range** of all commercial and technical access information to service facilities
  - **More user-friendly and more efficient than** searching in various other portals and documents
  - Data/information quality management ensuring **reliability**
- **For Rail Freight Corridors**
  - Contributing to the **achievement of RFCs' objectives**
  - Tool **facilitating** the legally mandatory provision of **terminal information**
- **For Regulatory Bodies**
  - **Added transparency** to help create an effective marketplace
  - Convenient tool supporting **monitoring and enforcement of legal obligations**

# — RFP – Main Functionalities

**1 MAIN MENU**

**2 ACTION PANEL**

- Find Facilities
  - Search
  - Filter
- Select a filter to find facilities.
- Facility type
- Area type
- Services
- Postal code search
- Location on Rail Freight Corridor
- Facility operation status
- Facility opening days
- Equipment
- Public accessibility
- Infrastructure access
- Loading unit acceptance
- Cargo type
- Available capacity
- Show advanced filters

**3 FACILITY MAP**

- Display of search / filter results
- Navigation tools
- Different background maps/layers

**4 FACILITY LIST**

- Display of search / filter results
- Synchronised with FACILITY MAP

**5 LEGEND**

- Facility symbols
- Background maps

**Functionalities including**  
publishing, editing and searching service facility information

**Includes all types of rail service facilities (SF)**  
according to Directive 2012/34 (EU)

**Serves different purposes and user groups**

- Managing/Publishing SF information (both IM and non-IM)
- Easy access to SF information (RUs, other rail transport operators)

**Compliant with EU legislation**  
Directive 2012/34 (EU), Reg. 2017/2177, Reg. 913/2010

Funded by the European Commission



# — RFP – Facility Details – Under Full Resp. of SF Operator

Terminal Intermodal Dudelange **SF NAME** EDIT SEND FEEDBACK CLOSE

GENERAL INFORMATION SERVICES SF DESCRIPTION CHARGES ACCESS CONDITIONS CAPACITY ALLOCATION LINKS AND DOCUMENTS **STRUCTURE OF SF INFORMATION**

**Introduction**

Facility name: Terminal Intermodal Dudelange

Facility type: Intermodal terminal

Facility/operator exempted according Reg. (EU) 2017/2177, Art. 2: No

Purpose of this SF description: [Download document](#)

Facility located in: Seaport: -  
Inland port: Yes  
Freight village: Yes

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**Service facility operator and owner**

Facility operator: CFL Terminals s.a.

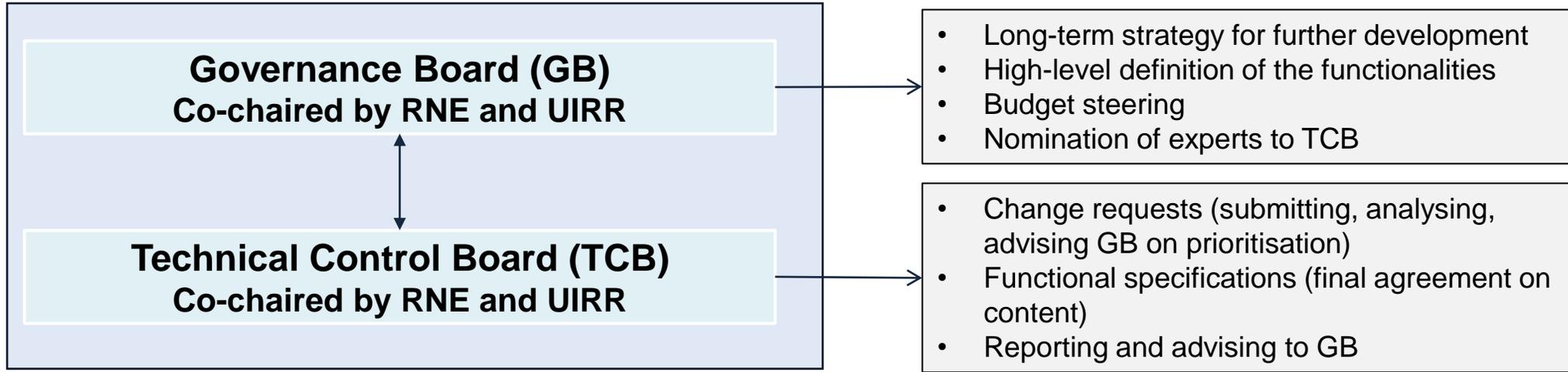
UIC company code (RIGS): 3759

Operator type: Integrated company

**DATA AS PROVIDED BY THE SERVICE FACILITY OPERATOR**

**DATA FIELDS**

# — RFP – Governance Structure



# — RFP – Portal Management Structure

 Co-financed by the Connecting Europe Facility of the European Union



 *To coordinate service facilities operated by its Members*

 *To coordinate all other service facilities*

## Portal Management

### System Management

- Development plan
- Hardware
- System
- Interfaces

### Data Management

- Data collection
- Data quality management
- User support
- SF user training

### Stakeholder Management

- Identifying, managing their needs, increasing their commitment
- GB and TCB meetings
- Reporting

### Comm. and Promotion

- Communication plan
- Dissemination events
- PR materials

# — RFP – Outlook and Vision

- **Additional software developments** (starting in Q1-2021)
- **Intensive promotion activities by RNE / UIRR** (continuously)
  - Focused dissemination activities per target group
  - Development of various communication channels and materials
- **Development of adequate business model**

**Increase of  
(1) the number of  
participating service  
facilities and (2) the  
number of end-users  
continuously to make  
the RFP a common  
European business  
tool for SF information**



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