

Press Release

Rapp Trans – Carte Blanche Conseil - Algoé awarded contract to assist the introduction of the French National HGV tax

The national heavy goods vehicle distance-based tax project, announced at the environment round table in October, was recently launched by the French Ministry of Ecology and Sustainable Development.

The project involves the collection of a tax without stopping the liable vehicles, deployment of innovative technologies, support for the European framework for interoperability, with its strong social impact, and public procurement.

As a result of a public tender, the General Roads Directorate has awarded a consultancy team led by Rapp Trans, with Carte Blanche Conseil and Algoé Consultants as partners, to assist in the planning and procurement of this strategic project, to be implemented in close collaboration with the French Customs in a very short time frame.

The consultancy team is responsible for the general and technical assistance across the programme, preparation of the statement of requirements, and supporting the procurement process.

This Swiss-French team was chosen not only for its unique international experiences in planning, design, and understanding the operating difficulties of electronic road user charging systems, but also for its experience of organisation of innovative contracts and managing of complex programmes.

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