

# Customer Information

23. November 22

## Information: Strike of the vda union on 28.11. in Austria

Dear Sir or Madam,

Unfortunately, the collective agreement negotiations for the railroad industry have not yet led to a consensus. For this reason, the vda union has announced a 24-hour warning strike for all of **Austria on Monday, November 28, 2022.**

In case of a strike, we have to assume that all rail traffic in Austria will come to a standstill **between 00:00 and 24:00** due to the joint use of infrastructure by all market participants in freight and passenger traffic. Currently, we assume that traffic will resume on **Tuesday, November 29, 2022, 00:00.**

The entire RCG team in Austria is currently doing everything possible to minimise the impact of the strike on your transports, in particular through intensive coordination with our international partners and, if possible, by preloading consignments. Your contact person in RCG Service Delivery will get in touch with you if necessary and is at your disposal to answer any questions you might have. Of course, we will also keep you informed about the latest developments.

In the meantime, we appeal to the vda union to resume negotiations at the designated negotiating table – and not at the expense of your transports in the form of a strike. The railway is both system and supply relevant – and that is precisely why it is important that rail freight traffic is always flowing. We ask for your understanding.

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