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Delegations will find attached a copy of the letter received by the General Secretariat of the Council on 11 March 2022 regarding the prolongation of the temporary reintroduction of border controls by Estonia until 1 April 2022.

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**Prolongation of the temporary
reintroduction of border control at
the land border of Estonia**

Tallinn, 11 March 2022 *19-07-1*

Dear colleagues,

Estonia informed you about the reintroduction of border controls for ten days at the land border of Estonia as of 3 March.

As the war in Ukraine continues to deteriorate, forcing people to flee the country, Estonia has decided, on the basis of Article 28 (3) of the Regulation (EU) 2016/399, on a Union Code on the rules governing the movement of persons across borders (Schengen Borders Code), to prolong the temporary reintroduction of border controls at internal borders for additional 20 days until the 1st of April 2022 23:59.

The list of temporary border crossings points are the same as noted in previous notification and as indicated in Annex.

The aim of the measure is to facilitate the entry and reception of persons arriving in Estonia due to military activities in Ukraine.

Yours faithfully,

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Annex

Border control at the state border between the Republic of Estonia and the Republic of Latvia shall be reintroduced at the following temporary border crossing points:

Border crossing points on road sections

Name of the border crossing point	Place of border control	Possibilities and limitations of border crossing
Ikla border crossing point	Tallinn-Pärnu-Ikla road	24 h
Valga-1 border crossing point	Valga-Uulu road	24 h
Valga-2 border crossing point	Valga, Raja Street	24 h
Valga-3 border crossing point	Valga, Sepa Street	24 h