

Driving ban for trucks in the city of cologne

Yesterday the city of Cologne gave official information regarding the implementation of a truck driving ban zone in the city area of Cologne with start of 22.08.2019.

Only transit traffic is affected by the ban, but not direct delivery in this area.

Currently, industry and logistics associations are making an exception for the B51 (Rheinuferstrasse), which is currently a main axis for truck traffic from and to the port of Cologne-Niehl, where the container depot CTS is also located.

Without the release of the Rheinuferstrasse, alternative routes to the south and east must be used. This results in a detour of up to 50 kilometres per trip.

We expect a corresponding decision for mid-September as to whether and which special regulations are accepted by the city. This then determines whether alternative routes with large detours must continue to be used.

Please note that in individual cases there may be price adjustments depending on the route.

We ask for your understanding.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

