IMI-PROVE Programme

A programme under ELA’s Mutual Learning and Understanding Framework aimed at improving the use of the IMI System modules for posting of workers and road transport.
The objectives

The IMI-PROVE is a programme under the European Labour Authority (ELA)’s Mutual Learning and Understanding Framework (MLUF), established in close cooperation with the European Commission to reinforce cooperation and mutual assistance between Member States by stimulating a more robust and effective use of the Internal Market Information (IMI)\(^1\) System modules for posting of workers and road transport.

The programme will tap into the expertise and practical knowledge of the network of national IMI users to:

- Establish a forum where Members States can share information, good practices, and experience to develop joint solutions to improve the take-up of the IMI modules of the posting of workers and road transport;
- Propose solutions to practical obstacles in the use of these modules and build the capacity and skills of national IMI users to utilise the IMI modules’ capabilities related to posting of workers and road transport thoroughly with the support of peers from other countries.

Four strands of the IMI-PROVE Programme

ELA and the European Commission will work with the national authorities to organise a series of workshops, peer-to-peer exchanges, training sessions, webinars and conferences to support IMI-users in exchanging information and tackling common challenges of the IMI modules for posting of workers and road transport.

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1. The Internal Market Information (IMI) System is a secure, multilingual online tool that facilitates the Exchange of information between public authorities involved in the practical implementation of EU law.
A programme tailored for IMI users’ needs

All IMI-PROVE activities are specifically driven by the demands of the IMI users and the National Liaison Offices for posting of workers. The programme was designed in response to the challenges in administrative cooperation, that were identified during a workshop on the posting of workers for National Liaison Offices in November 2021.

To overcome some of these issues and ensure a vibrant and productive learning experience, ELA needs active participants from all Member States, especially National Liaison Offices and the national IMI-networks. They are crucial not only for identifying issues and elaborating solutions for IMI posting modules, but also for disseminating the knowledge created during IMI-PROVE Programme meetings.
ELA’s capacity building activities

The IMI-PROVE Programme is part of the ELA capacity building activities to enrich the administrative cooperation and competencies of Member States by:

- Organising training courses for national authorities and social partners
- Facilitating staff exchanges and peer-to-peer training
- Supporting sectoral and cross-sectoral programmes
- Promoting the identification and exchange of good practices across Europe
- Designing and running awareness-raising campaigns
- Adopting non-binding guidelines

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IMI-Modules supported by the IMI PROVE Programme

**Posting of workers**
- Information requests
- Uniform Instrument – Request to notify a decision imposing a penalty/fine
- Uniform Instrument – Request to recover a penalty/fine
- Communication of Irregularities

**Road Transport**
- Road Transport – Posting declarations
- Road Transport – Conditions of establishment
- Road Transport – Social rules