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to the Commission**
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Subject: Tax on crossing French borders

The French Government is currently considering introducing a tax on foreign lorries crossing its borders. The Environment Ministry is proposing two options, a toll or a vignette, which would be required only by lorries entering French territory.

Does France have the right to impose specific treatment on European lorries entering its territory on the grounds of the nationality of the transport operator or the country of origin of the lorries?