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## Turnover indices in Transport Sector<sup>1</sup>

Third quarter 2007

The National Statistical Service of Greece publishes Turnover Indices in Transport Sector for the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter 2007 with base year 2005 = 100.0, according to final data, adjusted for the actual number of working days.

### Year on Year growth rates

- The Turnover Index in **land transport** in the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter 2007 as compared to the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter 2006 increased by 27,7%, while the growth for the corresponding period of 2006 compared to 2005 was 2.9%.
- The Turnover Index in **sea and coastal transport** in the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter 2007 as compared to the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter 2006 increased by 9,0%, while the growth for the corresponding period of 2006 compared to 2005 was 4,1%.
- The Turnover Index in **air transport** in the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter 2007 as compared to the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter 2006 increased by 9,1%, while the growth for the corresponding period of 2006 compared to 2005 was 0,7%.
- The Turnover Index in **supporting and auxiliary transport activities, including activities of travel agencies**, in the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter 2007 as compared to the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter 2006 increased by 18,1%, while the growth for the corresponding period of 2006 compared to 2005 was 9,5%.

### Quarter on Quarter growth rates

- The Turnover Index in **land transport** in the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter 2007 as compared to the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter 2007 increased by 2,0%, while for the corresponding period of 2006 the quarterly rate of change was – 6,2%.

- The Turnover Index in **sea and coastal transport** in the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter 2007 as compared to the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter 2007 increased by 57,5%, while for the corresponding period of 2006 the quarterly rate of change was 40,4%.
- The Turnover Index in **air transport** in the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter 2007 as compared to the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter 2007 increased by 23,8%, while for the corresponding period of 2006 the quarterly rate of change was 17,5%.
- The Turnover Index in **supporting and auxiliary transport activities, including activities of travel agencies**, in the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter 2007 as compared to the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter 2007 increased by 14,8%, while for the corresponding period of 2006 the quarterly rate of change was 5,1%.

The tables and the diagrams that follow present the evolution of the indices from 2005 onwards

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<sup>1</sup> The compilation and publication of these new indices in Transport Sector is based upon the requirements of the Council Regulation (EC) No 1165/98 concerning short-term statistics as well as the amendment Regulation 1158/2005 of the European Parliament and Council amending the Council Regulation (EC) No 1165/98.

The turnover index is an important business indicator. The objective of this index is to show the evolution of the market for goods and services. Turnover comprises the totals invoiced (excluding VAT, other similar deductive taxes, subsidies and other operating income) by the observation units during the reference period (quarter). This corresponds to the market sales of goods or services supplied to third parties.

The Turnover Indices in Transport Sector are compiled for the **NACE – Rev.1.1 division 60** – land transport, transport via pipe lines, **61** – water transport, **62** – air transport and **63** – supporting and auxiliary transport activities, activities of travel agencies.

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