



## Find government funded parking spaces with Bosch Secure Truck Parking

Frankfurt a. M. – The Bundesamt für Güterverkehr [Federal Office for Goods Transport] has created a new incentive for the use of secure truck parking areas. Forwarding companies will receive 80% of their parking fees reimbursed. The rule came into effect as of January 2018. The government funding creates good prerequisites for booking paid parking areas through the Bosch Secure Truck Parking Platform and app. "Forwarding companies and truck drivers will primarily benefit from the funding. In the future, they will not have to worry about costs when they book parking spaces through our online platform," emphasizes Dr. Jan Philipp Weers, Director of Bosch Secure Truck Parking. Weers goes on to say, "Because the advantages of the secured parking areas are obvious: freight and driver are protected from assault and theft, the stressful search for a parking space is eliminated and the danger from accidents and overcrowded rest stops is reduced."

### Find parking spaces that are eligible for funding with Bosch

The parking spaces that are accepted into the funding program must meet certain criteria. These include fencing, a controlled entry and exit, sufficient lighting, video monitoring and sanitary facilities. In addition, the costs must be billed with collective invoices. Collective invoices are already part of the Bosch service standard. "We can offer our customers parking spaces on both truck stops and private company areas, which can be billed through the De Minimis Program," Weers says. The parking spaces eligible for funding will be appropriately identified and easy to find on our platform starting in 2018."

### About the De Minimis Aid Program

The De Minimis Aid enables EU member states to subsidize specific businesses. An approval of the subsidy by the EU Commission is not required. The inclusion of parking costs in this project fund shows that secure truck parking is not a niche requirement but an important criterion

for increasing traffic safety along the autobahns and reducing the danger of theft. The funding benefits solely Germany companies.

You can find further information about this

at: [https://www.bag.bund.de/DE/Navigation/Foerderprogramme/Aktuelles/Meldungen/Hinweise\\_zur\\_Foerderfaehigkeit\\_Nutzung\\_von\\_Parkplaetzen.html?nn=45900](https://www.bag.bund.de/DE/Navigation/Foerderprogramme/Aktuelles/Meldungen/Hinweise_zur_Foerderfaehigkeit_Nutzung_von_Parkplaetzen.html?nn=45900)

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