

Sweden – national procedures for transfer of sentenced persons  
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The information contained in this table should be updated on a yearly basis.

The Central Authority (name of the institution, address, telephone, fax and e-mail where available) responsible for the transfer of sentenced persons:	<p>Ministry of Justice</p> <p>Division for Criminal Cases and International Judicial Cooperation,</p> <p>Central Authority</p> <p>SE-103 33 STOCKHOLM</p> <p>Sweden</p> <p>Tel: 0046-8-405 45 00</p> <p>Fax: 0046-8-405 46 76</p> <p>E-mail: <a href="mailto:ju.birs@gov.se">ju.birs@gov.se</a></p>
If different from the Central Authority, the authority to which the request should be sent (name of the institution, address, telephone, fax and e-mail where available):	
If different from the Central Authority, the Authority/ies in charge of coordinating and/or implementing the physical transfer of the person concerned (name of the institutions, address, telephone, fax and e-mail where available):	
Channels of communication for the request for the transfer of sentenced	Directly.

persons (directly, through diplomatic channels or other):	
Means of communication (e.g. by post, fax, e-mail <sup>1</sup> ):	Mail, fax or e-mail.

Language requirements:	Requests and information transmitted to Sweden – if not written in Danish, English, Norwegian or Swedish – should be translated into Swedish or English.
Documentation required:	<p>A certified copy of the sentence and the law on which it is based.</p> <p>A statement indicating how much of the sentence that has already been served, including any information on pretrial detention, remission and any other factor relevant to the enforcement of the judgment.</p> <p>If appropriate any medical or social reports concerning the person, information on his or her treatment in the sentencing State and any recommendation for his or her further treatment in Sweden.</p>
Continued enforcement or conversion of the sentence <sup>2</sup> :	The main rule is that Sweden applies continued enforcement but there can also be cases of conversion of the sentence, e.g. for all sentences in accordance with Article 9, paragraph 4 (mentally ill persons).
General rules on early release:	After the condemned person has served 2/3 of the sentence he

<sup>1</sup> Please indicate if encryption or electronic signature is required.

<sup>2</sup> In case the sentence is converted, please specify whether this is done before or after the transfer has taken place.

	or she can be conditionally released.
Scope of application with regard to transfer of mentally disordered persons:	Transfer of mentally disordered persons is possible. Conversion of the sentence might be applied.
Scope of application with regard to nationals and/or residents:	The term "national" for the purposes of the Convention on Transfer of Sentenced Persons should also be taken to cover aliens domiciled in Sweden.
Other particularly relevant information (such as practice regarding time limits or revocation of consent):	

Links to national legislation, national guides on procedure:	More information can be found on the web-site of the Swedish Central Authority:  <a href="http://www.sweden.gov.se/centralauthority">www.sweden.gov.se/centralauthority</a>

Link to information about the Convention (according to Article 4) in the official language(s) of the State Party (see also Rec. R (84) 11 of the Committee of Ministers concerning information about ETS°112 and PC-OC INF 12):	Information can be found on the following site:  <a href="http://www.regeringen.se/centralmyndigheten">www.regeringen.se/centralmyndigheten</a>

For Parties to the Additional Protocol	
Information on the implementation of Article 2 (e.g. interpretation of "by fleeing to"):	
Information on the implementation of Article 3 (e.g. interpretation of the requirement of a consequential link between the decision on expulsion and the sentence):	
Documentation required:	
Other relevant information:	