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## **Principles Regulating the Coordination Procedure**

When, during the process of programming the infrastructure capacity applications, CFR is confronted with some conflicts between applications, it will try to ensure a better harmonization, by their coordination, proceeding as follows:

- CFR shall ensure the best correlation of these applications
- CFR shall propose to the applicants, in reasonable limits, infrastructure capacities that are different from the allocated capacities
- Consultations with the applicants involved are based on the free written or electronic communication of the following information within a reasonable time:
  - (a) the train paths requested by all other applicants on the same routes;
- (b) the train paths allocated on a preliminary basis to all other applicants on the same routes;
  - c) alternative train paths proposed on the relevant routes;

This information is provided without disclosing the identity of other applicants, unless the concerned applicants have agreed to this disclosure.

The applicant may submit CFR a contestation regarding the infrastructure capacity allocation. CFR shall communicate the settlement modality of the contestation within 10 working days.