Service Categories

Service Category 1 Service Category Service Category 3 Service Category 4 Service category 1 Every effort is made to keep road surface free of ice and snow on a 24-hour basis. On the mountain road Hellisheiði however, there may be light snow cover, with skid protection on a level with roads in service category 2

Service category 2

In icy conditions, skid protection is normally only provided on road sections where driving may be dangerous.

Service categories 3 and 4

In icy conditions the general rule is to provide skid protection only in very dangerous spots.

www.vegagerdin.is www.road.is **Information**

Telephone numbers to call for information Attention: four-digit numbers

Road conditions 1777

Road conditions, automatic answering service 1778

Weather stations, automatic answering service 1778

Web page: vegagerdin.is road.is

Where to seek information

The web pages of IRCA, www.vegagerdin.is and www.road.is present overview maps showing road conditions and the current situation for all main roads at a given point. The pages also provide information about the weather and the local traffic and show real-time Webcam images of road conditions.

Information on the weather and road conditions are also provided by the automatic answering service by dialling 1778.

Note: this and other IRCA information telephone numbers are four-digit numbers.

IRCA telephone number, 1777, can be reached from 06:30 to 22:00 every day from October 15th to April 30th and at other times from 08:00 to 16.00 on weekdays. The cost of calling 1777 and 1778 is the same as for calling any general number in Iceland.

In an emergency, when police, ambulance or a rescue squad is needed, contact the National Emergency Number 112

on main roads

Winter Services





Information brochure on the winter services provided by the Icelandic Road and Coastal Administration (IRCA) takes effect autumn 2014

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