OPERATING DECISION

Keep one hour for Bucharest connections

For Director of Network Planning

Availability decision

Keep the one-hour onward connection in Bucharest and leave the 30-minute option off sale. Approve the passenger notice about the bridge reopening. [1]

What the notice changed

Two-way traffic on the Giurgiu–Ruse bridge resumed on 30 June 2026. Routine checks on people at the Romanian–Bulgarian land border were lifted on 1 January 2025. Neither change establishes when a northbound coach will reach its bay in Bucharest. [1,2]

Service-standard result

The 30-minute connection leaves at least ten minutes to board on 16 of the 20 illustrative arrivals. Our standard requires 19. The one-hour connection leaves enough time on all 20.

Owner and next test

Network Planning owns the sales decision. Ask Dispatch for the next 20 comparable northbound arrivals, counting a cancellation or missing arrival as a failure. Reconsider the 30-minute connection if at least 19 leave ten minutes to board.

Boarding window · 19 of 20 arrivals required



Sources

1. Two-way traffic restored on the Giurgiu–Ruse Danube bridge · 30 June 2026
2. Council Decision (EU) 2024/3212 on internal land borders · 23 December 2024

Open source notes and the attached context