

# BREXIT

## Social security contributions & coverage

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# Withdrawal Agreement: A soft Brexit transition

Until 31 December 2020:  
Status Quo as if nothing happened

Continued application of the European  
coordination rules on social security



Withdrawal Agreement art. 30(2):  
Remain under coordination rules as long as  
uninterrupted link EU-UK

Any type of crossborder link EU-UK

Started before 2021

Uninterrupted



# Cross-border link starts 2021 or interrupted: National legislation

### Posting BE→UK

- BE: coverage 2 x 6 months
- UK: exempted 52 weeks

### Posting UK→BE

- UK: coverage 52 weeks
- BE: exempted indefinitely

# Cross-border link starts 2021 or interrupted: National legislation

Multistate working

UK national = Third Country National

# Guidance

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- FPS Social Security: <https://socialsecurity.belgium.be>
- Portal site social security: <https://www.socialsecurity.be>

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