



UNITED NATIONS ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE
TRANSPORT DIVISION
ADVISORY WORKSHOP

On the UNECE legal instruments in the field of transport and on related infrastructure and border crossing developments in the Southeast Europe

(19– 20 December 2005, Hotel Capsis, Thessaloniki, Greece)

PROGRAMME

1st Day: Monday 19 December 2005- Morning session

09.00	Registration	
10.00 - 10.30	Opening of the Workshop	Mrs. Dina Kosmidou, Ministry of Transport and Communications, Greece
10.30 - 11.30	Item 1: UNECE legal instruments in the field of transport a) Introduction of the major UNECE Agreements and Conventions in the field of transport. b) Review of the accession to and implementation of the UNECE Agreements and Conventions in the participating member countries.	Mr. Michalis Adamantiadis, Transport Division, UNECE Mr. Michalis Adamantiadis, Transport Division, UNECE National Focal Points of Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina,
11.30 - 12.00	Coffee break	
12.00 - 13.00	Item 1: UNECE legal instruments in the field of transport (cont'd) b) Review of the accession to and implementation of the UNECE Agreements and Conventions in the participating member countries (cont'd).	National Focal Points of Croatia, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Serbia and Montenegro
13:00 - 15.00	Lunch break	

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15:00 - 16.30	Item 2: Major UNECE infrastructure and border crossing facilitation Agreements and Conventions a) Infrastructure: <i>Main International Traffic Arteries (AGR) - Main International Railway Lines (AGC) - Important International Combined Transport Lines and Related Installations (AGTC) - Main Inland Waterways of International Importance (AGN)</i> b) Border crossing: <i>International Transport of Goods under Cover of TIR Carnets- Harmonization of Frontier Controls of Goods- Customs Facilities for Touring- Passengers and Baggage carried by Rail- Goods Carried by Rail</i>	Mr. Miodrag Pesut, Transport Division, UNECE Mr. Konstantin Glukhenkiy, Transport Division, UNECE
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16:30 - 17.00	Coffee break	
17.00 - 17.30	<p>Item 2: Major UNECE infrastructure and border crossing facilitation Agreements and Conventions (cont'd)</p> <p>b) Border crossing (cont'd):</p> <p><i>Temporary Importation of Commercial Road Vehicles- Temporary Importation of Private Road Vehicles-Customs treatment for temporary Importation of Containers and Pool Containers used in International Transport</i></p>	Mr. Konstantin Glukhenkiy, Transport Division, UNECE
17.30 - 18.00	Discussion and summary on the first day	
18.30	Visit to Thessaloniki Port	
20:00	Dinner hosted by Thessaloniki Port Authority	

2nd Day: Tuesday 20 December 2005- Morning session

09.30-11.30	<p>Item 3: Infrastructure and border crossing developments in the UNECE of interest to the Southeast Europe:</p> <p>a) The Trans-European Motorway (TEM) and Trans-European Railway (TER) Projects and their Master Plan</p> <p>b) The EC High Level Group on the extension of major trans-European transport axes to the neighbouring countries and regions</p> <p>c) Developments on pan-European Corridor X</p> <p>d) Developments on the Euro-Asian Transport Links</p>	<p>Mr. Michalis P. Adamantiadis, Transport Division, UNECE</p> <p>Prof. Dimitrios Tsamboulas, NATUA, member of the High Level Group, Ministry of Transport and Communications, Greece</p> <p>Prof. Christos Taxiltaris, Aristotel University Thessaloniki, Corridor X Secretariat, Ministry of Transport and Communications, Greece</p> <p>Mr. Miodrag Pesut and Mr. Michalis Adamantiadis, Transport Division, UNECE</p>
11:30-12.00	Coffee break	
12:00-13.00	<p>Item 3: Infrastructure and border crossing developments in the UNECE of interest to the Southeast Europe (cont'd)</p> <p>d) Review of developments in the participating member countries.</p>	National Focal Points of Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Serbia and Montenegro
13.00 - 14.30	Lunch break	

2nd Day: Tuesday 20 December 2005 - Afternoon session

14.30 - 15.30	Discussion, summary of the second day and follow-up	
15.30 - 16.00	Conclusions and close of Workshop	UNECE Transport Division Ministry of Transport and Communications, Greece
16.00	End of Workshop	

