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Geneva, 6 and 7 June 2019
Item 1 of the provisional agenda
Adoption of the agenda

Annotated provisional agenda for the eighteenth session*

to be held at the Palais des Nations, Geneva starting at 10 a.m. on Thursday, 6 June 2019, Room VIII, Palais des Nations

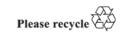
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^{*} For reasons of economy, delegates are requested to bring copies of all relevant documents to the session. There will be no documentation available in the conference room. Before the session, documents may be downloaded from the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe Transport Division's website (www.unece.org/trans/main/wp5/wp5.html). On an exceptional basis, documents may also be obtained by e-mail (maria.mostovets@un.org).

II. Annotations

1. Adoption of the agenda

In accordance with the Commission's Rules of Procedure, the Group of Experts (GE.3) is invited to adopt its agenda.

Documentation

ECE/TRANS/WP.5/GE.3/35

2. Climate Change and Transport Networks and Nodes: Presentations of initiatives at national and international levels

GE.3 will discuss initiatives at national and international levels on climate change impacts and adaptation for transport networks and nodes and agree on the ways to include them in its final report as national or international case studies. Experts from Canada, Germany and Poland will table their case studies as official documents. These case studies should be updated in line with the guidance provided at the sixteenth session. Additional case studies may be tabled as informal documents.

Documentation

ECE/TRANS/WP.5/GE.3/2019/11, ECE/TRANS/WP.5/GE.3/2019/12, ECE/TRANS/WP.5/GE.3/2019/13, ECE/TRANS/WP.5/GE.3/2019/14, ECE/TRANS/WP.5/GE.3/2019/15, Informal document No.1, Informal document No.2

3. Partners and expected contributions

Representatives of different United Nations bodies such as the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC), the World Meteorological Organization (WMO), the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD), the European Commission and other partners will inform GE.3 on their work and provide relevant contributions.

4. Discussions on the final report of the Group of Experts

GE.3 will be invited to continue its discussion on the final report of its work. In particular, GE.3 may wish to provide its further guidance to the sections on the developments on climate modeling tabled as official document and on the identification of higher risk areas that will be tabled as informal document.

The secretariat will present Informal document No.4 containing an updated version of the draft final report.

Documentation

ECE/TRANS/WP.5/GE.3/2019/16, Informal document No. 3, Informal document No. 4

5. Other business

The Group of Experts may wish to discuss other issues of interest.

6. Date and place of next meeting

The Group of Experts may wish to note that its eighteenth session is the last session under the existing mandate.

7. Summary of main decisions

In accordance with established practice, the Chair will briefly summarize the decisions taken. Following the session, the Secretary, in cooperation with the Chair and Vice-Chair(s), will draft the final report.