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EUROPEAN AGREEMENT ON IMPORTANT INTERNATIONAL COMBINED TRANSPORT LINES AND RELATED INSTALLATIONS (AGTC)

New amendment proposals

Addendum

EXPLANATORY NOTES

Explanation of line numbers (AGTC Agreement (ECE/TRANS/88/Rev.4))

C-E denotes railway lines essentially identical to relevant E lines of the European Agreement on Main International Railway Lines (AGC) of 1985.

C denotes other lines important for international combined transport. C line numbers are identical to those of the nearest E line and are sometimes followed by a serial number.

The E number has been placed for easy reference and comparison with the lines contained in the AGC. It in no way indicates whether States are or intend to become Contracting Parties to the AGC.

Numbering of lines of major international importance (AGC Agreement (ECE/TRANS/63))

Principal lines, comprising reference lines and intermediate lines, called class-A lines, have two-digit numbers; supplementary lines, called class-B lines, have three-digit numbers.

North-south oriented reference lines have two-digit odd numbers ending in 5 and increasing from west to east. West-east oriented reference lines have two-digit even numbers ending in 0 and increasing from north to south. Intermediate lines have respectively two-digit even numbers falling within the numbers of the reference lines between which they are located.

Class-B lines have three-digit numbers, the first digit being that of the nearest reference line to the north of the B-line concerned, the second being that of the nearest reference line to the west of the B-line concerned and the third being a serial number.

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AGTC AGREEMENT COUNTRY SPECIFIC AMENDMENT PROPOSALS

(for consideration by the UNECE Working Party on Intermodal Transport and Logistics)

(42) ESTONIA* (* = not a Contracting Party to the AGTC)

AGTC Annex I

Add the following new railway lines [final line numbers will be decided later]

"C 75/1 Tapa-Piiroja (-...)"

Contracting Party directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3)): Estonia*, Russian Federation.

"C-E 75 Tallin-Tapa-Tartu-Valga (-Lugaži)"

<u>Contracting Party directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3))</u>: Estonia*, Latvia*, Lithuania*, Poland.

AGTC Annex II

A. Terminals of importance for international combined transport

Add the following terminals:

"Tallin

Tapa

Tartu

Valga"

B. Border crossing points of importance for international combined transport

Add the following new border crossing points:

"Piiroja (EVR) – ... (RZD)" [Estonia - Russian Federation]

"Valga (EVR) – Lugaži (LDZ)" [Estonia - Latvia]

(43) LATVIA* (* = not a Contracting Party to the AGTC)

AGTC ANNEX I

Add the following new railway lines (final line numbers will be decided later)

"C 20/5 <u>Ventspils</u>-Jelgava-Krustpils-Zilupe (-Raz. Posinj)"

[C 12] Liepaja

Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3)): Latvia*, Russian Federation.

"C 20/4 Riga-Krustpils -Daugavpils-Indra (-Bigosovo)"
(Obeliai-) Eglaine

Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3)): Belarus, Latvia*, Lithuania*.

"C-E 75 "(Valga-) Lugazi-Riga-Jelgava-Meitene (-Sarkiai)" Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3)): Estonia*, Latvia*, Lithuania*, Poland.

AGTC Annex II

A. <u>Terminals of importance for international combined transport</u>

Add the following terminals:

"Riga

Ventspils

Liepaja"

B. Border crossing points of importance for international combined transport

Add the following new border crossing points:

"Zilupe (LDZ) – Raz. Posinj (RZD)" [Latvia - Russian Federation]
"Indra (LDZ) – Bigosovo (BC)" [Latvia – Belarus]
"Lugaži (LDZ) – Valga (EVR)" [Latvia – Estonia]
"Meitene (LDZ) – Šarkiai (LG)" [Latvia – Lithuania]

This border crossing point is already included in the AGTC as part of the amendments relating to Lithuania (document TRANS/WP.24/2005/6).

(34) LITHUANIA* (* = not a Contracting Party to the AGTC)

AGTC Annex I

[already in AGTC – for reference only

C-E 75 (Trakiszki)-Mockava-Šeštokai-Kazlų Rūda-Kaunas-Radviliškis-Šiauliai-Joniškis (-Meitene)"

Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3)): Latvia, Lithuania, Poland

Modify line 20/3 to read as follows:

"C 20/3 (Nesterov-) Kybartai-Kazlų Rũda-Kaunas (Mukran (Sassnitz)-) Draugyste (Klaipėda)-Šiauliai-Radviliškis

-Kaišiadorys-Vilnius-Kena (-Gudagai)"

<u>Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3))</u>: Belarus, Germany, Lithuania, Russian Federation.

"C 20/4 Radviliskis-Panvezys-Rokiskis-Obeliai (-Eglaine)"

Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3)): Belarus, Latvia, Lithuania.

AGTC Annex II

A. Terminals of importance for international combined transport

Modify the list of termial to read as follows:

"Draugystė (Klaipėda)

Klaipėda

Paneriai (Vilnius)

Kaunas

Šeštokai"

B. Border crossing points of importance for international combined transport

"Joniškis (LG) - Meitene (LDZ)" [Lithuania – Latvia]

"Kybartai (LG) - Nesterov (RŽD)" [Lithuania – Russian Federation]

"Obeliai (LG) – Eglaine (LZD)" [Lithuania – Latvia]

"Kena (LG) – Gudogai (BC)" [Lithuania – Belarus]

"Mockava (LG) – Trakiszki (PKP)" [Lithuania – Poland]

C. Gauge interchange stations of importance for international combined transport

Stations between	Countries concerned	Interchange technique applied	
railway systems with		Change of wagon	Transshipment of loading
different rail gauges		axles/bogies	units by crane/ other handling
			equipment
"Šeštokai*	Lithuania	-	X
Mockava	Lithuania	X	X
Trakiszki	Poland	-	_'''

^{*} Not a border crossing point.

D. Ferry links/ports forming part of the international combined transport network

"Klaipėda – Mukran (Sassnitz)

(Lithuania - Germany)"

(29) BELARUS

AGTC Annex I

Add the following railway lines (numbering of lines will be decided later):

"C 20/4 (Indra-) Bigosovo-Polak-Vicebsk"

Contracting Party directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3)): Belarus, Latvia*, Lithuania*.

"C 95/2 (Lobok-) Ezjarysca-Vicebsk-Orsha-Žlobin"

Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3)): Belarus, Russian Federation.

AGTC Annex II

A. <u>Terminals of importance for international combined transport</u>

Add the following terminals:

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B. Border crossing points of importance for international combined transport

Add the following border crossing point:

"Lobok (RZD) – Ezjarysca (BC)"

[Russian Federation – Belarus]

(32) RUSSIAN FEDERATION

AGTC Annex I

Add the following railway lines (numbering of lines will be decided later):

"C 75/1 (Piiroja-)-Gatčina-St. Petersburg"

Contracting Party directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3)): Estonia*, Russian Federation.

"C 20/5 (Zilupe-) Raz. Posin- Novosokol'niki-Ržev-Moskva" [C 12]

Contracting Party directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3)): Latvia*, Russian Federation.

"C 95/2 St. Petersburg-Dno-Novosokol'niki-Lobok (-Ezjarysca)"

Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3)): Belarus, Russian Federation.

AGTC Annex II

A. <u>Terminals of importance for international combined transport</u>

Add the following terminals:

"…"

B. Border crossing points of importance for international combined transport

Add the following border crossing points:

".... (RZD) - Piiroja (EVR)" [Russian Federation - Estonia]
"Lobok (RZD) - Ezjarysca (BC)" [Russian Federation - Belarus]
"Raz. Posin (RZD) - Zilupe (LDZ)" [Russian Federation - Latvia]

(35) **ARMENIA*** (* = not a Contracting Party to AGTC)

AGTC Annex I

Add the following line:

"C-E 692 (Sadakhlo-) Ayrum-Gyumri-Akhuryan (-Dogu Kapi)"
Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3)): Armenia*, Georgia*, Turkey.

AGTC Annex II

A. Terminals of importance for international combined transport

Add the following terminal:

"Karmin Blur"

B. Border crossing points of importance for international combined transport

Add the following border crossing points:

"Ayrum (ARM)- Sadakhlo (GR)" [C-E 692, Armenia - Georgia] Akhuryan (ARM) - Dogu Kapi (TCDD)" [C-E 692, Armenia - Turkey]

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(36) AZERBAIJAN* (* = not a Contracting Party to the AGTC)

AGTC Annex I

Add the following railway line:

"C-E 60 (Gardabani-) Beyuk-Kyasik-Baku (-Turkmenbashi)" <u>Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3))</u>: Azerbaijan*, Georgia*, Kazakhstan*, Turkmenistan*, Uzbekistan*.

AGTC Annex II

A. <u>Terminals of importance for international combined transport</u>

Add the following terminal:

"Baku (Keshla)"

B. Border crossing points of importance for international combined transport

Add the following border crossing points:

"Beyuk (AZ) - Gardabani (GR)" [C-E 60, Azerbaijan – Georgia]
"Baku (AZ) - Turkmenbashi (TRK)" [C-E 60, Azerbaijan – Turkmenistan]

D. Ferry links/ports forming part of the international combined transport network

Add the following ferry link/port:

"Baku - Turkmenbashi (Azerbaijan – Turkmenistan)"

(37) **GEORGIA*** (* = not a Contracting Party to the AGTC)

AGTC Annex I

Add the following railway lines:

"C-E 99 (Veseloe-) Gantiadi-Poti"

Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3)): Georgia*, Russian Federation.

"C-E 60 <u>Batumi</u> -Tbilisi-Gardabani (-Beyuk)"

Poti

<u>Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3))</u>: Azerbaijan*, Georgia*, Kazakhstan*, Turkmenistan*, Uzbekistan*.

"C-E 692 (Ayrum-) Sadakhlo -Tbilisi" (Kars-) Akhalkalaki

Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3)): Armenia*, Georgia*, Turkey.

AGTC Annex II

A. Terminals of importance for international combined transport

Add the following terminals:

"Khashuri

Kutaisi"

Poti

Tbilisi"

B. Border crossing points of importance for international combined transport

Add the following border crossing points:

"Gantiadi (GR) - Veseloe (RZD)" [C-E 99, Georgia - Russian Federation]
 "Gardabani (GR) - Beyuk (AZ)" [C-E 60, Georgia - Azerbaijan]
 "Sadakhlo (GR) - Ayrum (TCDD)" [C-E 692, Georgia - Turkey]
 "Akhalkalaki (GR) - Kars (TCDD)" [C-E 692, Georgia - Turkey]

(38) KAZAKHSTAN* (* = not a Contracting Party to the AGTC)

AGTC Annex I

Add the following railway lines:

"C-E 20 (Petukhovo-) Mamlyutka-Petropavlovsk-Kara Guga (-Isikul)" <u>Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3))</u>: Belarus, Belgium, Germany, Kazakhstan*, Poland, Russian Federation.

"C-E 24 (Zauralie-) Presnogorkovskaya-Kökshetaú-Aqmola-Mointy-Druzhba (-Alashankou)"

<u>Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3))</u>: Russian Federation, Kazakhstan*, China*.

"C-E 30 (Orenburg-) Iletsk I-Kandagach"

<u>Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3))</u>: Germany, Kazakhstan*, Poland, Russian Federation, Ukraine.

"C-E 50 (Astrakhan-) Aksaraiskaya II-Atyraú-Makat-Kandagach-Arys-Almaty-Aqtogai" Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3)): Austria, France, Hungary, Kazakhstan*, Russian Federation, Switzerland, Ukraine.

"C-E 60 (Salar-) Chengeldy-Arys"

<u>Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3))</u>: Azerbaijan*, Georgia*,

Kazakhstan*, Turkmenistan*, Uzbekistan*.

"C-E 592 Beyneu-Shetpe-Aqtau"

<u>Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3))</u>: Kazakhstan*.

"C-E 597 Makat-Beyneu (-Kungrad)"

<u>Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3))</u>: Kazakhstan*, Turkmenistan*,

Uzbekistan*.

AGTC Annex II

A. Terminals of importance for international combined transport

Add the following terminals:

"Arys

Karaganda

Semipalatinsk

Tura-Tam

Turkestan

Zhezkazgan"

B. Border crossing points of importance for international combined transport

Add the following border crossing points:

"Mamlyutka (KTZ) - Petukhovo (RZD)"	[C-E 20, Kazakhstan - Russian Federation]
"Kara Guga (KTZ) - Isikul (RZD)"	[C-E 20, Kazakhstan - Russian Federation]
"Presnogorkovskaya (KTZ)- Zauralie (RZD)"	[C-E 24, Kazakhstan - Russian Federation]
"Druzhba (KTZ) - Alashankou (CR)"	[C-E 24, Kazakhstan – China]
"Iletsk I (KTZ) - Orenburg (RZD)"	[C-E 30, Kazakhstan - Russian Federation]
"Aksaraiskaya II (KTZ) - Astrakhan (RZD)"	[C-E 50, Kazakhstan - Russian Federation]
"Chengeldy (KTZ) - Salar (UR)"	[C-E 60, Kazakhstan – Uzbekistan]
"Beyneu (KTZ) - Kungrad (UR)"	[C-E 597, Kazakhstan – Uzbekistan]

C. Gauge interchange stations of importance for international combined transport

Add the following gauge interchange stations

Stations between railway	Countries concerned	Interchange technique applied	
systems with different		Change of wagon	Transshipment of loading
rail gauges		axles/bogies	units by crane/other
			handling equipment
"Druzhba -	Kazakhstan –	X	X"
Alashankou	China		

(39) TURKMENISTAN* (* = not a Contracting Party to the AGTC)

AGTC Annex I

Add the following railway lines:

"C-E 597 (Nukus-) Dashhowuz (-Urganch-) Chardzhev"

<u>Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3))</u>: Kazakhstan*, Turkmenistan*,

Uzbekistan*.

"C-E 60 (Baku-) Turkmenbashi-Ashgabat-Chardzhev (-Alat)" <u>Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3))</u>: Azerbaijan*, Georgia*, Kazakhstan*, Turkmenistan*, Uzbekistan*.

"C-E 695 (Termis-) (-Karshi)"

Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3)): Turkmenistan*, Uzbekistan*.

C-E 70 (Sarakhs-) Serahs-Tecen"

<u>Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3))</u>: Croatia, Bulgaria, France, Italy, Serbia, Slovenia, The Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, Turkmenistan*.

AGTC Annex II

A. Terminals of importance for international combined transport

Add the following terminals:

"Turkmenbashi

Ashgabat"

B. Border crossing points of importance for international combined transport

Add the following border crossing points:

"Chardzhev (TRK) - Alat (UR)"	[C-E 60, Turkmenistan – Uzbekistan]
"Beyneu (TRK) – Kungrad (UR)"	[C-E 597, Turkmenistan – Uzbekistan]
"Nukus (UR) - Dashhowuz (TRK)"	[C-E 597, Turkmenistan – Uzbekistan]
"Dashhowuz (TRK) - Urganch (UR)"	[C-E 597, Turkmenistan – Uzbekistan]

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"Urganch (UR) - Chardzhev (TRK)" [C-E 597, Turkmenistan – Uzbekistan]
"Serahs (TRK) – Sarakhs (RAI)" [C-E 70, Turkmenistan - Iran
(Islamic Republic of)]

D. Ferry links/ports forming part of the international combined transport network

Add the following ferry link/port:

"Turkmenbashi – Baku (Turkmenistan – Azerbaijan)"

(40) UZBEKISTAN* (* = not a Contracting Party to the AGTC)

AGTC Annex I

Add the following railway lines:

"C-E 60 (Chardzhev-) Bukhara-Tashkent-Salar (-Chengeldy)" <u>Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3))</u>: Azerbaijan*, Georgia*, Kazakhstan*, Turkmenistan*, Uzbekistan*.

"C-E 696 Tashkent-Khavast-Andizhan (-Osh)"

Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3)): Kazakhstan*, Kyrgyzstan*.

"C-E 695 Bukhara-Karshi-Termiz-Galaba (-Khairaton)" Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3)): Turkmenistan*, Uzbekistan*.

"C-E 597 (Beyneu-) Kungrad-Nukus (-Dashhowuz-) Urganch (-Chardzhev)" <u>Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3))</u>: Kazakhstan*, Turkmenistan*, Uzbekistan*.

AGTC Annex II

A. Terminals of importance for international combined transport

Add the following terminals:

"Andijan (North)

Bukhara-2

Chukursai

Margilan

Sergeli

Tashkent

Termez

Ulugbek"

B. Border crossing points of importance for international combined transport

Add the following border crossing points:

"Alat (UR) - Chardzhev (TRK)"	[C-E 60, Uzbekistan - Turkmenistan]
"Salar (UR) - Chengeldy (KTZ)"	[C-E 60, Uzbekistan - Kazakhstan]
"Andizhan (UR)- Osh (Kyrgzstan Railways)"	[C-E 696, Uzbekistan - Kyrgyzstan]
"Galaba (UR) - Khairaton (Afghanistan Railways)"	[C-E 695, Uzbekistan - Afghanistan]
"Chardzhev (TRK) - Alat (UR)"	[C-E 60, Turkmenistan - Uzbekistan]
"Termis (UR) - (Karshi) (UR)"	[C-E 695, Turkmenistan-Uzbekistan]

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(41) **KYRGYZSTAN*** (* = not a Contracting Party to AGTC)

AGTC Annex I

Add the following railway line:

"C-E 696 (Andizhan-) Jalalabad-Osh"

Contracting Parties directly concerned (AGTC; Article 15(3)): Kyrgyzstan*, Uzbekistan*.

AGTC Annex II

A. <u>Terminals of importance for international combined transport</u>

Add the following terminal:

"Osh"

B. Border crossing points of importance for international combined transport

Add the following border crossing point:

"Andizhan (UR) – Jalalabad (Kyrgyzstan Railways)" [C-E 696, Uzbekistan – Kyrgyzstan]
