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Annotated agenda^{1,2}

Special session of the Working Party on Road Transport concerning a proposal for a global multilateral agreement on the international regular transport of passengers by coach and bus (OmniBUS)

To be held at the Palais des Nations, Geneva, starting at 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday, 10 July 2013

I. Agenda

- 1. Adoption of the agenda.
- 2. Proposal for a global multilateral agreement on the international regular transport of passengers by coach and bus (OmniBUS).

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 UNECE Transport Division's website (http://www.unece.org/trans/main/sc1/sc1age.html). On an exceptional basis, documents may also be obtained by e-mail (roadtransport@unece.org) or by fax (+41 22 917 0039). During the session, official documents may be obtained from the UNOG Documents Distribution Section (Room C.337, third floor, Palais des Nations).

All delegates are requested to complete the registration form available for download at the UNECE Transport Division's website (www.unece.org/trans/registfr.html). It should be transmitted to the UNECE secretariat no later than one week prior to the session by e-mail (roadtransport@unece.org) or by fax (+41 22 917 0039). Upon arrival at the Palais des Nations, delegates should obtain an identification badge at the UNOG Security and Safety Section, located at the Pregny Gate (14, Avenue de la Paix). In case of difficulty, please contact the secretariat by telephone (ext.75716 or 72401). For a map of the Palais des Nations and other useful information, see website (www.unece.org/meetings/practical.htm).

- 3. Other business.
- 4. Adoption of decisions.

II. Annotations

1. Adoption of the agenda

The Working Party will adopt the session's agenda.

Documentation

ECE/TRANS/SC.1/S/391

2. Proposal for a global multilateral agreement on the international regular transport of passengers by coach and bus (OmniBUS)

The Working Party will discuss the text for a draft multilateral agreement on the international regular transport of passengers by coach and bus. The secretariat will then distribute the revised draft multilateral agreement to all permanent missions of UNECE member States for comments by competent national authorities. The revised draft multilateral agreement and subsequent comments received by the secretariat will form the basis of discussion at the next SC.1 session.

Documentation

ECE/TRANS/SC.1/S/2013/1

3. Other business

The Working Party may wish to consider other issues under this agenda item.

4. Adoption of decisions

The Working Party will adopt a list of decisions taken at this special session.