Albania Road Safety Performance Review Capacity Building Workshop
Hotel Palace
Durres, Albania
6-7 February 2018

The “Strengthening of the national road safety management capacities of selected developing and countries with economies in transition” project aims to help beneficiary Governments to identify the most critical road safety aspects and priority needs by preparing Road Safety Performance Reviews and offer capacity building training in the identified areas. In that sense the Project will assist countries to enhance national road safety management capacities. Furthermore, the Project aims to help countries to raise public awareness on road safety issues and sensitize public and non-governmental sectors on the need to set ambitious road safety targets and adopt specific measures to meet them.

The Albania Road Safety Performance Review Capacity Building Workshop will be initiated by policy dialogue with national road safety stakeholders on the main Road Safety Performance Review findings with recommendations on actions to be taken. Back-to-back with the policy dialogue, capacity-building workshop on the pressing road safety topics identified by the Review will be held. The objective is to provide information, best practice and training in identified priority areas for national government officials and other road safety stakeholders from the NGO and private sector.

During 1.5 days event, the following will be discussed:
- Findings and recommendations of the first draft of Albania Road Safety Performance Review
- UN legal framework for safe vehicles and safer vehicles pillar
- Transport of Dangerous Goods
- Road safety statistics (collection, definition, indicators)

Following the policy dialogue, in collaboration with the beneficiary Government, Road Safety Performance Review will be finalized.
DRAFT PROGRAMME

6 February 2018

09.00 - 09.30 Registration
09.30 Family Photo

09.30 – 09.45 Welcome/ Opening speech

Mr. Arben Dhima, Director, Deregulation Permits Licensing and Monitoring, Ministry of Infrastructure and Energy, Albania
Mr. Brian Williams, UN Resident Coordinator Albania

09.45 – 10.25 Road Safety Performance Review

Mr. Nenad Nikolic, UNECE, Road Safety Performance Review (10 min)
Mr. Edmond Alite, Lead National Consultant, Road Safety Performance Review – findings and recommendations (30 min)

10.25 – 10.40 Coffee and refreshments

10.40 – 12.30 National stakeholders road safety policy dialogue

Moderator: Nenad Nikolic, UNECE
National Road Safety Stakeholders (Ministry of Infrastructure and Energy, Ministry of Internal Affairs, Albanian Road Authority, General Directorate of Road Transport Services, Institute of Transport, Tirana Municipality, IFI’s, NGO, …) – Activities and measures to improve road safety in Albania and discussion on Road Safety Performance Review (15 min each)

12.30 – 14.00 Lunch

14.00 – 15.45 UN Legal Instruments on Transport of Dangerous Goods

The European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road (ADR): Scope and application, advantages and implication for contracting parties, work of the Working Party on the Transport of Dangerous Goods

Ms. Sabrina Mansion, UNECE
Q&A

15.45 – 16.00 Coffee and refreshments

16.00 – 17.30 Road Safety Statistics

Road safety statistics (data collection, definitions, road safety indicators, data base, publishing)

Ms. Eleonora Papadimitou, NTUA, Greece
Q&A

19.00 Dinner
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09.00 - 09.15  Day I recapitulation

09.15 – 11.00 Safer vehicles
UN Vehicle Conventions (1958 Agreement, 1997 Agreement, etc.) and new vehicles (60 min)
Vehicles in use – technical inspection, road side inspection, second hand vehicle import

Mr. Francois Guichard, UNECE
Q&A

11.00 – 11.30  Coffee and refreshments

11.30 – 13.00  Road safety policy dialogue conclusions
Moderator: Mr. Edmond Alite, Lead National Consultant
National Road Safety Stakeholders (Ministry of Infrastructure and Energy, Ministry of Internal Affairs, Albanian Road Authority, General Directorate of Road Transport Services, Institute of Transport, Tirana Municipality, IFI’s, NGO, …)

13.00 – 13.15 Closing (UNECE/ AL MIE)
13.15 – 14.30 Lunch