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25. Ministers encourage Governments, countries, including governmental executive bodies, the Inland Transport Committee of the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe, regional integration organizations, United Nations Regional Commissions, River Commissions, international and public organizations, international financial institutions, the private sector, associations and academia to maintain policy dialogue on good practices and measures relevant to the implementation of the objectives under the aegis of the Inland Transport Committee of the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe with the aim of ensuring that the development of Inland Water Transport is pursued in an internationally harmonized manner. Ministers invite regional integration organizations, United Nations Regional Commissions, River Commissions, international and public organizations, international financial institutions, and academia to contribute to the dialogue.