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 Transport statistics Infocards

 Note by the secretariat

 Background

1. The Working Party on Transport Statistics continued its activities in providing key data to inform ITC on developments in the inland transport sector, as well as to facilitate the work of other Working Parties and individual member States.

2. To make this information more readily available, the secretariat prepared a set of transport statistics country profiles (Infocards). The Infocards set out key transport indicators including passenger and freight volumes, modal split and road safety related data for ECE member States. The Infocards are available for download on the ECE website (www.unece.org/trans/main/wp6/infocards.html) as one package or as individual country files and can be viewed in Informal document No. 7.

3. The Infocards are reviewed each year to improve the presentation of data to delegates and this year’s edition incorporates only minor changes.

4. The data contained in the Infocards is based on information available in the ECE transport statistics database available online (w3.unece.org/PXWeb/en.)