
Project Working Group on Transport and Border Crossing (PWG-TBC)

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**PROVISIONAL AGENDA
FOR THE 19TH SESSION OF SPECA PWG-TBC**

1. Opening of the session
2. Adoption of the agenda
3. Adoption of the report on the 18th session of the PWG-TBC
4. Review of transport projects, activities and initiatives in line with the Almaty Programme of Action.
 - 4.1. Transport infrastructure projects, activities and initiatives at national and international level (SPECA countries/UNECE/UNESCAP)
 - 4.2. Accession and implementation of International Conventions and Agreements (SPECA countries/ UNECE / UNESCAP)
 - 4.3. Establishment and operation of national coordinating mechanisms for transport facilitation (SPECA countries)
 - 4.4. Development of dry ports to facilitate intermodal transport in SPECA countries (UNECE/UNESCAP)
 - 4.5 Identification, isolation and elimination of major bottlenecks along international transport routes (SPECA countries/UNECE/UNESCAP)
 - 4.6 Progresses and Obstacles towards Unified Railway Law (UNECE/UNESCAP)
 - 4.7. Progress report on the development of the SPECA PWG-TBC transport databases (NIITK/UNECE/UNESCAP)
 - 4.8. Establishment and strengthening of Public Private Partnerships in SPECA countries (SPECA countries/UNECE/UNESCAP)
 - 4.9. Road safety issues and policy interventions in SPECA countries (SPECA countries/UNECE/UNESCAP)
 - 4.10. UNECE/UNESCAP regional transport activities with focus on SPECA countries (UNECE/UNESCAP)
5. Implementation of, and amendments to, the guidelines to improve the efficiency of the PWG-TBC (UNECE/UNESCAP)
6. Bilateral consultations on border-crossing issues of interest to SPECA countries (SPECA countries/UNECE/UNESCAP)
7. Review of the provisional agenda for the 20th session of the SPECA PWG-TBC
8. Other business
9. Adoption of the conclusions and recommendations