



Central Asia Regional Economic Cooperation Program
CAREC FEDERATION OF CARRIER AND FORWARDER ASSOCIATIONS
10TH ANNUAL MEETING
 19 June 2019: Tashkent, Uzbekistan



Objectives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To update the Central Asia Regional Economic Cooperation (CAREC) Federation of Carrier and Forwarder Associations (CFCFA) members on overall progress of CFCFA activities. To present findings of the Corridors Performance Measurement and Monitoring (CPMM) 2018 report. To solicit CFCFA feedback and recommendations on the Asian Development Bank's (ADB) proposed regional technical assistance to strengthen the CFCFA role in CAREC trade and trade facilitation policy formulation. To discuss and agree topics to raise at the joint CAREC Customs Cooperation Committee (CCC)-CFCFA meeting, and the CFCFA work plan 2019-2020 to be presented to the CAREC Regional Trade Group.
Participants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Delegates from CFCFA member associations and enterprise members. ADB staff and consultants.
Date & Location	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 19-20 June 2019: Samarkand Hall, Hyatt Regency Hotel, Tashkent, Uzbekistan
Wednesday 19 June 2019	<p>Co-Chairs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Capt. Lin Zhong, Chairman, CFCFA Mr. Ying Qian, Director, Public Management, Financial Sector and Regional Cooperation Division (EAPF), East Asia Department, ADB
08:30 – 09:00	<i>Registration</i>
09:00 – 09:15	<p>Opening Session</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Welcome Remarks: Mr. Ying Qian, Director, ADB Opening Remarks: Capt. Lin Zhong, Chairman, CFCFA Mr. Sanjar Pulatov, Director General, Association of International Road Carriers of Uzbekistan (AIRCUIZ)
09:15 – 10:15	<p>Session 1: Update on CFCFA Activities and Standards Development</p> <p><i>Session 1 will present (i) a summary of CFCFA special projects/activities undertaken since October 2018; (ii) the proposed work plan/next steps for CFCFA; and (iii) a summary of the CFCFA financial statement, budget, and financial sourcing.</i></p> <p>Presenter: Capt. Lin Zhong, Chairman, CFCFA Moderator: Ms. Rose Mckenzie, Senior Regional Cooperation Specialist, EAPF, ADB</p> <p>Open discussion</p>
10:15 – 10:30	<i>Coffee/Tea Break and Group Photo Session</i>

10:30 – 11:30	Session 2: CPMM Annual Report 2018
	<i>Session 2 will present (i) the draft CPMM 2018 Annual Report and solicit views from the CFCFA members; (ii) potential options to expand the CPMM; and (iii) possible packaging of the CPMM report to bring added value to CAREC customs agencies and other CPMM data users.</i>
	Presenter: Ms. Rose McKenzie, ADB Moderator: Mr. Ying Qian, Director, ADB
	Open discussion
11:30 – 12:00	Session 3: Update on the New CFCFA Website
	<i>Session 3 will deliver an update on the new CFCFA website. Participants will be invited to discuss what contribution to the new website member associations should make.</i>
	Presenter: Mr. Yao Shuhong, General Manager, Shenzhen Hyun Young International Transportation Co., LTD (Representative of CFCFA Enterprise Members) Moderator: Mr. Ying Qian, Director, ADB
	Open discussion
12:00 – 13:30	<i>Lunch</i>
13:30 – 14:15	Session 4: Contribution of CFCFA to Trade-Related Policy Formulation and the CAREC Integrated Trade Agenda 2030
	<i>Session 4 will propose a new regional technical assistance to strengthen CFCFA's role in trade and trade facilitation policy formulation, including the (i) the conduct of studies to identify constraints in border-crossing procedures, both under the mandate of customs, and under the responsibility of the private sector; and (ii) development of training manual/s in subjects to be identified by CFCFA members. The CFCFA will also be requested to agree on a work plan for 2019-2021 aligned with the CAREC Integrated Trade Agenda 2030, and to be shared with the CAREC Regional Trade Group and the CAREC Senior Officials' Meeting, to be conducted in June 2019.</i>
	Presenter: Ms. Rose Mckenzie, ADB Moderator: Mr. Ying Qian, Director, ADB
	Open discussion
14:15 – 15:15	Session 5: Enhanced Collaboration with the Customs Cooperation Committee
	<i>Session 5 will invite participants to suggest new initiatives to promote active public-private dialogue with customs authorities. The session will also present CCC identified priorities for 2019-2021. Areas of potential collaboration will be tabled in the Joint CCC-CFCFA Meeting on 21 June 2019.</i>
	Presenter: Ms. Rose Mckenzie, ADB Capt. Lin Zhong, Chairman, CFCFA Moderator: Mr. Ying Qian, Director, ADB
	Open discussion
15:15 – 15:30	Closing Session
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closing Remarks: Mr. Ying Qian, Director, ADB Capt. Lin Zhong, Chairman, CFCFA

15:30 – 16:00	Coffee/Tea Break
16:15 – 17:45	<p>CFCFA Executive Board Meeting</p> <p><i>The Executive Board will discuss how to fulfill proposed work plans and delegate tasks to established CFCFA working groups. The Executive Board will also discuss matters including CFCFA registration, the CFCFA bank account, membership dues, website development, and others.</i></p>

Thursday 20 June 2019	Site Visits for CFCFA members
08:30 – 09:00	Registration at the parking area of Hyatt Regency Tashkent
09:00 – 09:30	Bus transfer to Highway Logistics Center
09:30 – 10:30	<p>Facility tour at Highway Logistics Center</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Single Window system; • warehouse complex; • TIR-parking; • MAN showroom and service center
10:30 – 11:00	Bus transfer to the container terminal Universal Logistics System
11:00 – 12:00	Facility tour at Universal Logistics System
12:00 – 12:15	Bus transfer to a restaurant featuring Uzbek cuisine
12:15 – 14:00	Lunch
14:00 – 14:40	Bus transfer to the pharmaceutical company Dentalfill Pluys
14:40 – 15:40	Facility tour at Dentalfill Pluys
15:40 – 16:00	Bus transfer to international logistics center Interlogistics
16:00 – 17:00	Facility tour at Interlogistics
17:00 – 17:30	Bus transfer to Hyatt Regency Tashkent