

### **DRAFT AGENDA**

CAREC FEDERATION OF CARRIER AND FORWARDER ASSOCIATIONS (CFCFA) 9TH ANNUAL MEETING





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#### TUESDAY, 4 SEPTEMBER 2018

#### 8:30 - 9:00 **REGISTRATION**

#### Co-chairs:

MR. BEKMYRAT EYEBERDIEV, President, Turkmen Association of International Road Carriers (THADA)

MR. YING QIAN, Director, Public Management, Financial Sector and Regional Cooperation Division (EAPF), East Asia Department, Asian Development Bank (ADB)

#### 9:00 – 9:15 WELCOME REMARKS

THE MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT OF TURKMENISTAN or MR. BEKMYRAT EYEBERDIEV, President, Turkmen Association of International Road Carriers (THADA)

#### **OPENING REMARKS**

MR. YING OIAN, Director, EAPF, ADB

#### 9:15 – 9:45 UPDATE ON CFCFA ACTIVITIES

A summary of special projects/activities undertaken since last year. The speaker will also present the proposed work plan/next steps, including the recruitment of new enterprise members and their role in CFCFA development. The speaker will also provide a summary on CFCFA financial statement, budget and financial sourcing.

Presenter: CAPT. LIN ZHONG, Incumbent Chairman, CFCFA

Moderator: MR. YING QIAN, ADB

#### Q & A

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The speaker will present initiatives to develop a new website with the help of CFCFA enterprise members. The session also aims to determine roles and contributions of other members to the proposal, including provision of contents and translation into Russian.

**Presenter:** MR. YAO SHUHONG, General Manager, Shenzhen Hyun Young International Transportation Co., LTD (Representative of CFCFA Enterprise Members)

#### **Moderator:**

MS. DOROTHEA LAZARO, Regional Cooperation Specialist, EAPF, ADB

#### A & O

#### 10:15 – 10:30 COFFEE BREAK | GROUP PHOTO SESSION

#### 10:30 - 11:30 CFCFA STANDARDIZATION INITIATIVE AND NEW DIRECTION

The speaker will present Phase 3 of CFCFA standards, and update the status of Phases I and 2 of CFCFA Standards. The members will also deliberate on the establishment of a working group on coordination and agreement of standards among members and determine the direction of this initiative, towards the agreement of Customs and adoption of members.

Presenter: CAPT. LIN ZHONG, CFCFA

Moderator: MR. YING QIAN, ADB

#### **Q & A**

#### 11:30 – 12:00 PRE-ELECTION SESSION

Members present their work achievements and support to CFCFA's initiatives in the past year. Candidates for the position of Chairman and Vice Chairman will deliver their campaign speeches, including their commitments of financial support to CFCFA.

#### **ELECTION**

Members will cast their votes for Chairman, Vice-Chairman, and Executive Board Members (from which a Treasurer/Auditor and a Secretary can be appointed).

#### **Moderator:**

MS. ROSALIND MCKENZIE, Senior Regional Cooperation Specialist, EAPF, ADB

#### 12:00 - 13:15 LUNCH

#### Chair:

MR. BEKMYRAT EYEBERDIEV, THADA

#### 13:15 – 13:30 ANNOUNCEMENT OF ELECTION RESULTS

#### **Moderator:**

MS. ROSALIND MCKENZIE, ADB

# 13:30 – 15:00 PRIVATE SECTOR'S ROLES IN THE CAREC INTEGRATED TRADE AGENDA 2030 (CITA 2030) AND ROLLING STRATEGIC ACTION PLAN (RSAP) 2018–2020

The speaker will introduce new directions and projects under the CITA 2030 and RSAP 2018-2020 framework. The session aims to identify the concrete roles and responsibilities of the private Sector (particularly CFCFA members) in the implementation of CITA 2030 and RSAP 2018-2020, and in the Regional Trade Group (RTG). The session will deliberate how ADB and CFCFA support each other to perform the identified roles.

#### Panel:

MS. DOROTHEA LAZARO, ADB

MR. MAKHMADALI SHOKIROV, Incumbent CFCFA Vice Chairman

Moderator: CAPT. LIN ZHONG, Chairman, CFCFA

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# 15:00 – 15:30 INTRODUCTION OF TRANSIT AND LOGISTICS CORRIDORS DEVELOPMENT

CFCFA members introduce the significance, prospects, logistic and economic benefits, and existing problems and solutions of transit and logistics corridor development.

### I. Feasibility study on the route Nizhni Pianj-Shirkhan Bandar-Kulyab-Khorog-Kulma-Karasu

MR. MAKHMADALI SHOKIROV, CFCFA

### 2. Andijon-Osh-Kashgar-Pacific corridor/Central Asian-Western China-ASEAN-Indo-China Peninsula Corridors

#### Panel:

MR. YASHNAR KHAMRAEV, Deputy Director General, Uzbek International Forwarders Association (UIFA)

MR. YAO SHUHONG, General Manager, Shenzhen Hyun Young International Transportation Co., LTD (Representative of CFCFA Enterprise Members)

#### **Moderator:**

MS. DOROTHEA LAZARO, ADB

**Q & A** 

#### 15:30 – 15:45 **COFFEE BREAK**

# 15:45 – 16:00 SUMMARY OF CAREC CORRIDORS PERFORMANCE MEASUREMENT AND MONITORING RESULTS

The speaker will identify and highlight issues along CAREC corridors where CFCFA and Customs can assist each other in addressing issues during shipment of goods in the CAREC region (at and behind borders).

Presenter: MR. JULIUS SANTOS, Consultant, ADB

#### **Moderator:**

MS. ROSALIND MCKENZIE, ADB

#### Q & A

# 16:00 – 16:30 ENHANCED COLLABORATION WITH THE CUSTOMS COOPERATION COMMITTEE (CCC)

The CFCFA members will review results of 3 joint conferences of CCC and CFCFA. They will also deliberate on issues where CFCFA can contribute to CAREC trade development efforts particularly on collaborative activities to address border crossing challenges. Discussion results will be presented at Joint CCC and CFCFA Meeting

#### Panel:

CAPT. LIN ZHONG, CFCFA

MR. MAKHMADALI SHOKIROV, CFCFA

MS. JING LIN, Chief Director, Tianjin Kong Gang Entry-Exit Inspection and Quarantine Bureau, PRC

Moderator: MR. YING QIAN, Director, EAPF, ADB

Q & A

#### 16:30 – 17:00 SKILLS ENHANCEMENT IN CAREC COUNTRIES

The speaker will explain the role of cooperation on skills enhancement in CAREC countries and explore partnerships with technical and vocational institutions.

Mr. SHAOQIANG MO, Dean, International College, Chongqing Electronic Engineering Vocational College (CEEVC)

Moderator: CAPT. LIN ZHONG, CFCFA

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#### 17:00 – 17:15 CLOSING REMARKS

CAPT. LIN ZHONG, CFCFA MR. BEKMYRAT EYEBERDIEV, THADA

#### 17:15 – 18:30 CFCFA EXECUTIVE BOARD AND WORKING GROUPS MEETING

The Executive Board will discuss how to fulfill proposed ongoing work plans and assign the works to 3 Working Groups. The Executive Board will also decide on the use of CFCFA finance source, website development, etc.

Each Working Group will discuss assigned tasks by the Executive Board and give suggestions for carrying out assigned tasks.

Other businesses

#### 19:00 – 20:30 DINNER HOSTED BY THE TURKMENISTAN GOVERNMENT