



CENTRAL ASIA REGIONAL ECONOMIC COOPERATION (CAREC) PROGRAM
SUBREGIONAL WORKSHOP
17–18 August 2010
Almaty, Kazakhstan

AGENDA

Tuesday, 17 August 2010

08:30–09:00 *Registration*

09:00–09:20 **Session I-A: Opening Session**

Welcome Remarks:

Mr. Manat Bibassov, Director, International Cooperation Department, Ministry of Transport and Communications, Kazakhstan (Host Country Chair)

Opening Remarks:

Ms. Shigeko Hattori
Director
Country Coordination and Regional Cooperation Division
Central and West Asia Department
Asian Development Bank

09:20–09:35 **Session I-B: Overview of CAREC: Ten Years of Cooperation and Moving Forward and the CAREC Institute Performance Assessment Report**

Mr. Wang Hong, Principal CAREC Coordinator
ADB Almaty Office, Kazakhstan Resident Mission

Session II: CAREC: Ten Years of Cooperation and Moving Forward (Part 1–Stock Take)

Mr. Ronald Antonio Q. Butiong
Head, CAREC Unit
Country Coordination and Regional Cooperation Division
Central and West Asia Department
Asian Development Bank

09:35–09:50 **Milestones of Cooperation**

09:50–10:35 Discussion

10:35–10:50 *Coffee break*

10:50–11:10 **Achievements in Sectors of Cooperation**

11:10–12:00 Discussion

12:00–13:30 *Lunch*

13:30–13:45 **Key Issues Going Forward**

13:45–14:30 Discussion

**Session III: CAREC: Ten Years of Cooperation and Moving Forward
(Part 2 – Recommendations on Future Directions)**

Ms. Rosalind McKenzie
Results Management Specialist
Country Coordination and Regional Cooperation Division
Central and West Asia Department
Asian Development Bank

14:30-14:45 **Preliminary Ideas on Part 2 and Process of Formulating Part 2**

14:45-15:30 Discussion

15:30–15:45 *Coffee break*

Session IV: 9th CAREC Ministerial Conference

Ms. Shigeko Hattori, ADB

15:45–16:00 **Preparations for the 9th CAREC Ministerial Conference**

16:00–17:00 Discussion

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Session V: The CAREC Institute Performance Assessment

09:00–09:20 **Overview of the CAREC Institute Performance Assessment Report**

Mr. Tomomi Tamaki
Principal Regional Economist
Country Coordination and Regional Cooperation Division
Central and West Asia Department
Asian Development Bank

09:20–10:00 Discussion

Session VI: Other Matters

10:00-10.30 Discussion

10:30–10:45 *Coffee break*

10:45–12:00 **Session VII: Wrap Up and Closing**

Mr. Manat Bibassov, Kazakhstan

Ms. Shigeko Hattori, Asian Development Bank

12:00–13:30 *Lunch*