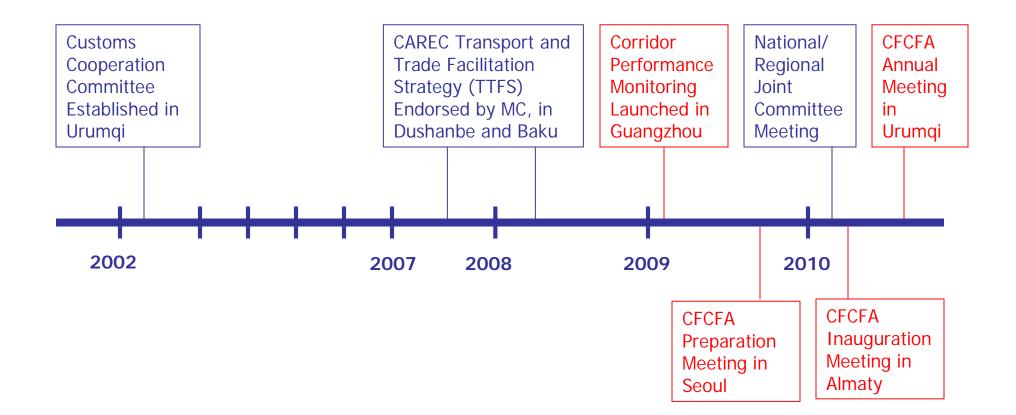
CAREC Partnership with the Private Sector

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Private Sector Led Growth

- CAREC "3Gs": Good Neighbors; Good Partners, and Good Prospects all have to do with the Private Sector
- Trade facilitation is often the most important subject for sub-regional cooperation programs, where private sector plays vital role

CAREC TF Milestones



CFCFA

- First of its kind in Sub-regional Programs
 - GMS, which has about 10 years more of history than CAREC, is just starting to contemplate a similar organization
- CFCFA has a solid organizational structure
 - Constitution
 - Executive board and leadership structure

Mandates of CFCFA Members

- Contributing a private sector perspective to CAREC trade facilitation efforts
- Support government agencies in policy making and project implementation and play an important role in national joint committees
- Enhancing professionalism of member associations

CPMM

- A flag ship project that has won recognition from international development partners and market for its organization, richness of information, and quality of analysis
 - Contributing to CAREC results framework
 - Monitoring TTFS implementation
 - Detailed analysis for certain segments of corridors
 - National policy advice

National Joint Committees

- CFCFA members can play an important role in national joint committees
 - Help break institutional barriers since they do not have vested interest or territorial issues
 - Feed back to government agencies real market information
 - Strong linkages among sister associations in other countries
 - Innovative solutions to overcome bottlenecks

Capacity Building

- Practical and targeted capacity building activities that are not bound by administrative barriers
- Outcome of the Questionnaires
 - Strong interest in Logistics and Supply Chain management
 - Need both theory and practical application
 - Delivered through combination of classroom & practical training
 - Curricula customized for different student groups (e.g. policy makers, mid-level management, entry level associates) and specific CAREC region needs

Capacity Building Proposed Priorities – Private Sector

- Develop Supply Chain Management & Logistics Curricula
- Identify the first "CAREC Centers of Excellence" for training and determine the most appropriate CAREC educational institutions to partner with.
- CPMM data aggregation and analysis at national level

Thank you



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