



**Workshop of CAREC National Transport and Trade Facilitation Committees
on Preparation of Project: CAREC Regional Improvement of Border Services
Bangkok, 27-28 January 2011
Tentative Program**

DAY 1: (Thursday, 27 January 2011)

Venue: UN Conference Center, Bangkok

- 0900 – 0915 **Registration**
- 0915 – 0925 **Opening Session**
Welcome Remarks:
Speaker: **Mr. Dong Woo Ha**, Director Transport Division UNESCAP
Mr. Ying Qian, Lead Regional Cooperation Specialist, ADB
- 0925 – 0940 **Updates on 2010 CAREC Senior Officials Meeting/Ministerial Conference
and Proposed Regional Improvement of Border Services (RIBS) Project**
- 9th MC Statement
 - New CAREC Members: Pakistan and Turkmenistan
 - CAREC 10th year Anniversary
 - Objectives of RIBS
 - ADB Project Team and Government Counterparts
 - Timeline for Project Preparation
- Speaker: **Mr. Ying Qian**, Lead Regional Cooperation Specialist, ADB
- 0940 - 1000 **UNESCAP's Activities in the fields of Trade Facilitation (including Single
Window) and Transport**
Speakers: **Ms. Shamika Sirimanne**, Chief Trade Facilitation Section, Trade
and investment Division, UNESCAP
Mr. Pierre Chartier, Economic Affairs Officer, Transport Division,
UNESCAP
- 1000 – 1030 **Photo Session and Coffee Break**
- 1030 – 1100 **Border Crossing Points Infrastructure Improvement Task Team**
Speaker: **S. Mitra**, Senior Transport Specialist, CWRD, manager of task
team 1 on border crossing point infrastructure
- 1100 – 1130 **Trade Facilitation and Single Window Task Team**
Speaker: **Y. Zhang**, Senior Regional Cooperation Specialist, EARD,
manager of task team 2 on trade facilitation and single window
- 1130 – 1200 **General Discussion**
- 1200 – 1400 **Lunch Break**
- 1400 – 1415 **Implementation of the Regional Project Preparatory Technical Assistance**
Speaker: **J. Procak**, Regional Cooperation Specialist, EARD,
- 1415 – 1530 **Investment Proposals**

Moderator: **Mr. Ying Qian**, ADB

- Afghanistan
- Azerbaijan
- Kazakhstan
- Kyrgyz Republic

1530 – 1600

Coffee Break

1600 – 1730

Investment Proposals (cont.)

- Mongolia
- People's Republic of China
- Tajikistan
- Uzbekistan



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DAY 2: (Friday, 28 January 2011)

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| 0915 – 1000 | Safeguard related Issues
Speaker: N. Djenchuraev , Environment Specialist, CWRD <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Environment• Resettlement• Gender and Development |
| 1000 – 1015 | Questions and Answers |
| 1015 – 1045 | Coffee Break |
| 1045 - 1100 | Role of National Joint Transport and Trade Facilitation Committees
Speaker” Mr. Li Yuwei , Chief Transport Facilitation & Logistics
Section, Transport Division, UNESCAP |
| 1100 – 1115 | Coordination Issues
Speaker: H. Wang , Principal CAREC Coordinator, CWRD
Coordination Staff for task team 1 and task team 2 |
| 1115 - 1130 | Questions and answers |
| 1130 - 1200 | Loan Agreements
Speaker: Mr. Cheong Ann Png , Counsel, ADB |
| 1200 – 1400 | LUNCH |
| 1400 - 1500 | National Joint Transport and Trade Facilitation Committees and Focal
Points for RIBS
Moderator: Mr. Yuebin Zhang , ADB <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Afghanistan• Azerbaijan• Kazakhstan• Kyrgyz Republic• Mongolia• People’s Republic of China• Tajikistan• Uzbekistan |

1500 – 1530 **Coffee Break**

1530 – 1630 **RIBS: General Discussion/Questions and Answers**

1630 – 1645 **Closing Remarks**

Speakers: **Mr. Ying Qian**, Lead Regional Cooperation Specialist, ADB
Mr. Yuwei Li, Section Chief, Transport Facilitation &
Logistics Section, UNESCAP