CFCFA Transport and Logistic Training for Mongolian Freight Forwarders and Road Carriers Shanghai Maritime University, PRC

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To Mr. Zhang, Asian Development Bank, Shanghai Maritime University Jinjiao Zhang, Shi Yuanzhang, my fellow teachers and friends from Mongolia, good morning!

End of September 2010, through the coordination and support of Asian Development Bank (ADB) and Central Asia Regional Economic Cooperation Federation of the Carrier and Freight forwarder (CFCFA), a visit to Mongolia was conducted. During those days, I felt Mongolia's social development and progress. Mongolia, in highway construction, builds the new millennium on a positive path; in railway construction, began on the new rail projects, and actively opens a second new sea port. Meanwhile, Mongolia needs also to develop modern logistics of transport and transit structure. With the help Ms. Tsevelee of the Mongolian Chamber of Commerce, we had visited various government agencies and private companies to discuss the training needs for transport and logistics.

When I came back, I discussed the training needs for Mongolia to Asian Development Bank through Mr. Zhang and agreed their support and assistance. The training will be a continuous program and the first phase will be pulled as the Central Asian regional training base. Only then we can today, China's largest port city in Shanghai, and in shipping management prestigious Shanghai Maritime University, and we come together. Once again, let us give a warm applause to thank Mr. Zhang's strong support and help.