

# SEETAC 4<sup>th</sup> FINAL MINISTERIAL CONFERENCE

## 28<sup>TH</sup> – 29<sup>TH</sup> August 2012

### Bled, Slovenia

#### PROGRAMME AND AGENDA

##### Day 1, August 28th

##### Arrival of participants

19.30 p.m. Dinner (offered by the Slovenian Ministry of Infrastructure and Spatial Planning)

##### Day 2, August 29th

8.30 a.m. **Registration of participants**

9.00 a.m. **Opening addresses by the:**

- Mr. Boštjan Rigler, General Director of the Slovenian Ministry of Infrastructure and Spatial Planning
- Amb. Gerhard Pfanzelter, Secretary General of the Central European Initiative (CEI)
- Ms. Roberta Calcina, Project Manager, South East Europe Transnational Cooperation Programme

9.30 a.m. **Session 1 - Findings and results of the SEETAC project in terms of international transport co-operation**

*Presentation of the activities by the Work Package (WP) coordinators*

- Mr. Carlo Fortuna, Central European Initiative, *SEETAC scientific and institutional outcomes for the prospects of future collaboration in South east Europe by the LP*
- Mr. Thomas Spiegel, Austrian Ministry for Transport Innovation and Technology, *Implementation of a coordinated database management system (WP3)*
- Mr. Boris Živec, Slovenian Ministry of Infrastructure and Spatial Planning, *Definition of multi-modal traffic scenarios and common mobility standards and environmental guidelines (WP4)*
- Mr. Christos Taxiltaris, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, *Identification of necessary financial resources and financing mechanism (WP5)*
- Mr. Nenand Nikolic, South East European Transport Observatory, *Finalisation of SEE spatial planning and legal framework (WP6)*
- Mr. Walter Goruppi, Informest, *Communication and dissemination activities (WP2)*

11.15 a.m. **Coffee break**

11.30 a.m. **Session 2 - Transport system of the region in lights of common European transport system with global connections - Moderator: Mr. Boris Živec**

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**Panellists :**

- Mr. Helmut Adelsberger, European Commission
- Mr. Nenad Nikolic, South East Europe Transport Observatory
- Mr. Izet Bajrambasic, South East Europe Transport Observatory
- Mr. Matjaž Vrčko, Slovenian Ministry of Infrastructure and Spatial Planning
- Mr. Roberto Ferrazza Italian Ministry of Economic Development, Infrastructure and Transport
- Mr. Joachim Kroll, RAILNET Europe

**Issues for discussion:**

- *Inclusion of the Western Balkans network in the EU transport system; policy options vis à vis the economic and financial crisis*
- *The role of National Governments, International organizations and regions in the process of joint planning; How to be effective and coordinated*
- *Strategies for success of the future TEN T networks: Core and comprehensive network; How to ensure a full efficient corridor's approach*

**General discussion.**

13.00 p.m.

**Lunch break**

14.00 p.m.

**Session 3 - Progress in project' implementation in the light of TEN-T policy, EU cohesion policy and the Danube Strategy - Moderator Mr. Carlo Fortuna**

**Panellists :**

- Mr. Helmut Adelsberger, European Commission
- Mr. Giorgio Rosso Cicogna, Alternate Secretary General of the Central European Initiative
- Mr. Franc Zepic, EUSDR Priority Area Coordinator
- Mr. Zdenko Antešić, Deputy Minister, Croatian Ministry of Maritime Affairs, Transport and Infrastructure
- Mr. Thomas Spiegel, Austrian Ministry for Transport Innovation and Technology
- Mr. Boris Živec, Public Agency of the Republic of Slovenia for Railway Transport

15.00 p.m

**Interventions by SEETAC projects partners and others institutions invited on the continuation of the SEETAC project and general remarks**

15.30 p.m

**Conclusions - Slovenian Ministry of Infrastructure and Spatial Planning**

16.15 p.m

**SEETAC Family Photo**