



Draft programme

High Level Stakeholder conference on the Future of Transport

9-10 March 2009, Charlemagne

Monday, 9 March

9:00 **Registration + Coffee**

10:30 **Welcome address**, *Karel Van Miert – former Commission Vice-President and Transport Commissioner*

10:35 **Opening Speech – Setting the Scene**, *Antonio Tajani – Vice President of the EU Commission and Commissioner in charge of Transport Policy*

10:50 **The European Parliament**, *Paolo Costa MEP – Chairman of the Committee on Transport and Tourism of the European Parliament*

11:10 **The EU Presidency: Czech Republic (TBC)**

11:30 **A Member State perspective: Leif Zetterberg**, *State Secretary – Ministry for Communications, Sweden*

11:50 **The achievements of the Common Transport Policies and the on-going reflections on the future**, *Matthias Ruete – Director General, DG Transport and Energy – EU Commission*

12:10 **Addressing the climate challenge for transport: Karl Falkenberg** – *Director General, DG Environment – EU Commission*

12:30 **Lunch Break – Exposition**

14:30 **Workshops** (the three workshops will run in parallel from 14:30 to 17:30):

- **Urban transport**

Chair: Antonio Preto, Head of Vice-President Tajani's Cabinet

Rapporteur: Sylvain Haon, Executive Director POLIS (Network of cities and regions for better transport)

Panellists

- 1) Gábor Demszky, Mayor of Budapest and representative of EUROCITIES;
- 2) Marco Filippeschi, Mayor of Pisa;
- 3) Peter Hendy, Commissioner of Transport for London;
- 4) Guillaume Pepy, CEO SNCF (TBC);

- 5) Giuseppe Bonomi, CEO of SEA (Milan Airports);
- 6) Ivan Hodac, Secretary General of ACEA;
- 7) Representative Retail Business (*TBC*).

Questions & Answers session with the audience

• Passengers Transport

Chair: Karel Van Miert, former Commission Vice-President and Transport Commissioner

Rapporteur: Trevor Garrod, Chairman EPF (European Passengers Federation)

Panellists

- 1) Jean-Cyril Spinetta, CEO Air France;
- 2) Mauro Moretti, CEO Ferrovie dello Stato;
- 3) Cyrille du Peloux, CEO Veolia Transport;
- 4) David Evans, Managing Director Arriva;
- 5) Emanuele Grimaldi, CEO Grimaldi Group;
- 6) Safety / security aspects in transport (*speaker TBC*).

Questions & Answers session with the audience

• Freight Transport

Chair: Robert Coleman, former Director General of DG TREN

Rapporteur: Marco Sorgetti, Director General CLECAT (European Association for forwarding, transport, logistic and customs services)

Panellists

- 1) Norbert Bensel, CEO of Deutsche Bahn Schenker;
- 2) Representative Shipowners (*TBC*);
- 3) Victor Schoenmakers, Director of the Port of Rotterdam and Chairman ESPO (European Sea Port Organisation);
- 4) Janusz Lacny, CEO JMJ-TRANS and president of IRU;
- 5) Ola Johnsson, CEO LKAB;

6) Karin De Schepper, Secretary General INE (Inland Navigation Europe);

7) Aviation Representative (*TBC*).

Questions & Answers session with the audience

17:30 **End of day one**

Tuesday, 10 March

9:00 **Registration + Coffee**

9:30 **Main findings of the workshops**

Chair: Antonio Preto

Rapporteurs

11:00 **A future of Sustainable Mobility**

Chair: Karel Van Miert

Panellists:

- 1) Prof. Dr. Werner Rothengatter, IWW, Universität Karlsruhe;
- 2) Eduardo Chagas, General Secretary ETF (European Transport Workers' Federation);
- 3) Jos Dings, Director T&E (European Federation for Transport and Environment);
- 4) Hermann Meyer CEO ERTICO – ITS Europe (public/private partnership for the development and deployment of Intelligent Transport Systems);
- 5) Janos Toth, President of the European Economic and Social Committee (EESC) Section for Transport, Energy, Information Society and Services of General Interest;
- 6) Business representative (*TBC*).

13:00 **Closing remarks, *Karel Van Miert***

13:30 **End of the conference**