





ADB-UNESCAP National Workshop on Secure and Efficient Cross-Border/Transit Transport for Bhutan

21 January 2014 Thimphu, Bhutan

AGENDA

0830 - 0900	Registration
0900 – 0915	Opening Session
	 Opening Remarks by Mr. Ronald Antonio Q. Butiong, Unit Head, SASEC Regional Cooperation and Operations Coordination Division South Asia Department ADB Mr. Yuwei Li, Chief, Transport Facilitation and Logistics Section Transport Division UNESCAP Mr. Choiten Wangchuk, Director General Department of Public Accounts, Ministry of Finance Royal Government of Bhutan
0915 – 1040	Session 1: Presentations on Current Status of Cross-border and Transit Transport between Bhutan and India
	Mr. Pema Wangchen, Joint Collector, RRCO, Phuentsholing Department of Revenue and Customs (DRC), Ministry of Finance (MOF)
	Mr. Karma Loday, Liaison and Transport Officer, Kolkata, DRC, MOF
	Mr. Sonam Dendup, Planning Officer, Policy and Planning Division Ministry of Information and Communications
1040 – 1100	Coffee Break
1100 – 1230	Session 2: Presentations by Resource Persons
	Presentation on Customs Facilitation with Application of Electronic Truck Tracking System in Thailand, by Mr. Anusorn Lovichit, Managing Director, Thai International Freight Forwarders Association EDI Services Co. Ltd,

	Thailand Presentation on Cross-border Navigation Monitoring System along the Lancang-Mekong River, by Mr. Yuwei Li, Chief, Transport Facilitation & Logistics Section, Transport Division, UNESCAP Presentations on (a) Secure Cross-border Transport Model and (b) Potential corridor(s) and suggested steps for implementation, by Mr. Sandeep Raj Jain, Economic Affairs Officer, Transport Facilitation & Logistics Section, Transport Division, UNESCAP Presentation on technical conditions of vehicles for Customs certification for the use with electronic vehicle tracking systems, by Mr. Yuwei Li, Chief, Transport Facilitation & Logistics Section, Transport Division, UNESCAP
1230 – 1400	Lunch
1400- 1530	Session 2 (continued)
1530 – 1600	Coffee Break
1600 –1730	Session 3: Discussion of possible application of the model on pilot basis to cross-border/transit transport between Bhutan and India
1730 – 1800	Session 4: Conclusions and Recommendations of the Workshop