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REPORT OF THE MEETING OF THE MINISTERS OF THE BSEC MEMBER STATES IN CHARGE OF TRANSPORT

Belgrade, 1 November 2016

1. The Meeting of the Ministers of the BSEC Member States in Charge of Transport was held in Belgrade, the Republic of Serbia, on 1 November 2016.
2. The Meeting was chaired by H.E. Mr. Miodrag POLEDICA, State Secretary, Ministry of Construction, Transport and Infrastructure of the Republic of Serbia.
3. The Meeting was attended by the representatives of the following BSEC Member States:

Republic of Albania
Republic of Azerbaijan
Republic of Bulgaria
Hellenic Republic
Republic of Moldova
Romania
Russian Federation
Republic of Serbia
Republic of Turkey
Ukraine
4. The representative of the Parliamentary Assembly of the BSEC (PABSEC) participated at the Meeting as a BSEC Related Body.
5. The representatives of the European Commission and the Republic of Italy participated in the Meeting as the BSEC Observers.
6. The representative of the Danube Commission participated in the Meeting as the BSEC Sectoral Dialogue Partner.
7. The representatives of the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe and International Road Transport Union and the International Union of Railways participated in the Meeting as a Guests.

The List of Participants of the Meeting is attached as **Annex I**.

8. H.E. Mr. Miodrag POLEDICA, State Secretary, Ministry of Construction, Transport and Infrastructure of the Republic of Serbia, and H.E. Mr. Michael B. CHRISTIDES, Secretary General of the BSEC PERMIS, welcomed the participants.

9. The Draft Agenda of the Meeting was discussed and adopted. The Agenda, as adopted by the Heads of Delegations, is attached as **Annex II**.

10. The Heads of Delegations delivered their general statements and discussed the agenda items.

11. The representative of Ukraine made a special statement. The said statement is attached as **Annex III**.

12. The representative of the Russian Federation also made a special statement, which will be submitted additionally and be attached as **Annex IV**.

13. The Heads of Delegations of the BSEC Member States adopted the “Belgrade Joint Declaration on Prospects of Cooperation in the field of Transport in the BSEC Region - BSEC Region, Integrate to Grow, Partnership for the Future”.

The Declaration is attached as **Annex V**.

14. The Heads of Delegations adopted the present Report and submitted it to the 35th Meeting of the Council of Ministers of Foreign Affairs of the BSEC Member States.