



# RECORDIT

Real Cost Reduction of Door-to-Door Intermodal Transport

***Policies and actions to increase  
the competitiveness of  
intermodal freight transport***

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## Conference programme

### Thursday 20 December

- ⇒ **Session 1: Setting the scene**
- ⇒ **Session 2: Increasing the competitiveness of intermodal transport**
- ⇒ **Session 3: Promoting intermodal transport: policy identification and discussion**
- ⇒ **Session 4: The way forward**

### Friday 21 December

- ⇒ **Session 5: Internal and external costs of freight transport: the RECORDIT corridors**



## Setting the scene

**Welcome and introductory remarks**

*P. Costa, MEP*

**The new CTP and intermodal freight transport**

*A. Gonzalez-Finat, Director - DG TREN*

**Overview of objectives and key findings of RECORDIT**

*A. Ricci, ISIS – RECORDIT Coordinator*



## Increasing the competitiveness of intermodal transport

**Current imbalances and distortions on the European freight market**

*M. Henriques / T.G. Weibel, TETRAPLAN*

**Main cost drivers of intermodal freight transport**

*M. Savy, ENPC-LATTS*

**The views of operators and shippers**

*M. Howard (CER), S. Rasmussen (IRU), H. Duchateau (STRATEC)*

**Q&A - Debate**



## Promoting intermodal transport: policy identification and discussion

**The RECORDIT Decision Support System (cost calculation and policy simulation)**

*C. Vannoni /R. Enei, ISIS*

**Policy options and their impact**

*I. Black, Cranfield University*

**The policy debate: panel discussion**

*I. Black (Cranfield U.), M. Burkhardt (UIRR), R. Friedrich (IER), C. Nash (ITS – UNITE), M. Savy (ENPC), L. Senn (Gruppo CLAS)*



## The way forward

Lessons learned from RECORDIT and issues for further research/debate

*A. Ricci, ISIS*

Future perspectives of EC research on pricing and intermodality

*C. Sikow / M. Major, EC – DG TREN*

Future perspectives on EC-driven intermodal transport initiatives

*S. Tostmann, EC - DG TREN*

Q & A



## **Internal and external costs of freight transport: the RECORDIT corridors**

### **Methodological approach to cost calculation**

*G. Buehler, ZEW*

### **Taxes, charges and subsidies**

*N. Maas, TNO-INRO*

### **Internal costs**

*C. Vaghi, Gruppo CLAS*

### **External costs**

*S. Schmidt, IER Stuttgart (R. Friedrich)*

### **Conclusions**

*C. Sikow, EC – DG TREN*