

**Regional Framework for the Development of Dry Ports of International Importance
North and Central Asia
Capacity building Workshop - Almaty, Kazakhstan, 31 May - 1 June 2018**

TENTATIVE PROGRAMME

Day 1: 31 May 2018		
<i>Opening Session</i>		
0830 - 0900	hrs.	Registration of participants
0900 - 0910	hrs.	1. Opening remarks by a representative of ESCAP secretariat
0910 - 0930	hrs.	2. Status of the Intergovernmental Agreement on Dry Ports by Mr. Ryan Carvalho, Associate Economic Affairs Officer, Transport Infrastructure Section, Transport Division, ESCAP
0930 - 1000	hrs.	3. ESCAP Regional Framework for the Development, Design, Planning and Operation of Dry Ports of International Importance by Mr. Fedor Kormilitsyn, Economic Affairs Officer, Transport Infrastructure Section, Transport Division ESCAP
1000 - 1020	hrs.	<i>Coffee break</i>
1020 - 1200	hrs.	4. Introduction to dry ports and their role as enablers of intermodal Transport by Mr. Peter Hodgkinson, Transport Economist
1200 - 1330	hrs.	<i>Lunch</i>
1330 - 1500	hrs.	5. Policy issues and financing of dry ports by Mr. Peter Hodgkinson, Transport Economist
1500 - 1520	hrs.	<i>Coffee break</i>

1520 - 1600 hrs. 6. UN Location Codes (UNLOCODE) and their importance for dry ports of international importance (speaker to be defined)

1600 - 1645 hrs. 7. The experience of practical operation of a dry port (speaker to be defined)

Day 2: 1 June 2018

0900 - 1030 hrs. 8. Case study on dry port development by Mr. Peter Hodgkinson, Transport Economist

1030 – 1050 hrs. *Coffee break*

1050 - 1200 hrs. 9. Case study on dry port development (continued) by Mr. Peter Hodgkinson, Transport Economist

1200 – 1330 hrs. *Lunch*

1330 - 1700 hrs. 10. Study tour to Kazakhstan logistics center (DAMU Logistics)

1700 - 1715 hrs. **Closing remarks**