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Decade of Action for Road Safety - UNECE Plan 2011–2020

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Introduction

- 1. Every year some 1.3 million people die as a result of road traffic crashes worldwide. This is more than 3,500 deaths each day! Road traffic injuries are the leading causes of death for children and young people. In addition, on average 20 to 50 million people sustain non-fatal injuries from road traffic crashes each year.
- 2. Though overall fatality rates in the UNECE region have been declining over the past decade, in certain sub-regions numbers are still persistently high and continue to worsen. In March 2010, the United Nations General Assembly proclaimed the period 2011–2020 to be the Decade of Action for Road Safety. The General Assembly, in its "Resolution on Improving Road Safety" (64/255) called for intensive work to reduce global road traffic fatalities by increasing activities at the national, regional and global levels.
- 3. This year's launching of the Decade brought the challenge to the forefront of developments, with most UNECE countries taking action towards effective road safety policies and the international community co-ordinating its efforts to ensure that the Decade leads to real improvements. Europe's responsibility to share its experience and expertise with other parts of the world and provide assistance is high.
- 4. UNECE pioneered road safety activities in the United Nations system. In the last 60 years it has been developing and updating legal instruments addressing in a systemic way the key road safety factors: user behavior, vehicles and infrastructure. These regulations have assisted member States all over the world to harmonize and enforce traffic rules and measures, produce safe and clean road vehicles, reduce the risk of accidents with dangerous goods and hazardous materials and ensure that only safe and well maintained vehicles

and competent drivers are allowed to participate in traffic. Moreover, transport infrastructure agreements developed under UNECE auspices, have given Europe coherent pan-European and safer road transport networks.

- 5. The UNECE presents its Action Plan for the UN Decade of Action for Road Safety (2011-2020). The Plan contained in this Informal document aims at achieving the UNECE's overall road safety goals by addressing priority areas of work as well as implementing continuous and future actions for each goal.
- 6. This consolidated Road Safety Action Plan includes actions, initiatives and measures for all UNECE Transport Division Working Parties. As the main coordinating entity in the area of road safety, it is presented to the Working Party on Road Traffic Safety (WP.1) for consideration.

UN Decade of Action for Road Safety UNECE PLAN (2011 - 2020)

UN OVERALL GOAL FOR THE DECADE (2011 - 2020)

To stabilize and reduce the forecast level of road traffic fatalities around the world by 2020

UNECE GOALS FOR THE DECADE (2011 - 2020)

To ensure the widest possible geographical coverage of UNECE road safety international legal instruments
To make progress in stabilizing and reducing road traffic fatalities in the ECE region and beyond
To assist countries in the ECE region and beyond in implementing the UN Decade of Action for Road safety

OBJECTIVE 1: Boost Political Will and Support Government Strategies

AREAS	UNECE PAST & PRESENT ACTIONS	UNECE FUTURE ACTIONS	RESPONSIBLE	TIME FRAME	PERFORMANCE INDICATORS
Road Traffic Casualty Reduction	Provided technical assistance for targets to		WP.1, Office	2008-2009	
Targets	be set and met (UNDA).		of the Director		
			of Transport		
	Published a UNDA Final report on		WP.1, Office	2010	
	"Improving Global Road Safety: Setting		of the Director		
	Regional and National Road Traffic		of Transport		
	Casualty Reduction Targets".				
	UNECE involvement in setting regional and	Will monitor progress of meeting	SPECA PWG	2011 -2016	Number of regional and
	national goals and targets in SPECA region	national goals and targets.	on Transport		national targets met;
	(SPECA Project working group on		Border		establishment of a road
	Transport and Border Crossings - Draft		Crossings		accident database.
	Programme of work 2012-2013 on April		(TBC), Office		
	2011, Almaty KZ).		of the Director		
			of Transport		
	Promote setting regional and national goals		WP.1, Office	2012	Number of regional and
	and targets in BSEC region.		of the Director		national targets met.
			of Transport		
Road Safety in National UNDAF	Four UNECE countries: Belarus, Serbia,	Subject to availability of resources	Office of the	2011-2016	Number of regional and
Plans	Turkey and Ukraine with UNDAF Country	and funding partnerships (with	Director of		national targets met;
	programmes have included a Road Safety	UNICEF/ WHO) under the	Transport		establishment of a road
	element (4 out of 14 countries).	UNDAF country programmes			accident database.
		(Belarus, Serbia, Turkey, Ukraine)			
		possible activities such as capacity-			
		building workshops, awareness			
		raising and peer reviews on			
		national road safety policy in			
		Belarus.			
		Will endeavor to incorporate road	WP.1, Office	2011 - 2020	Number of new countries
		safety elements into other UNECE	of the Director		incorporating a road safety
		countries with UNDAF Country	of Transport		element.
		Programmes.			

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AREAS	UNECE PAST & PRESENT ACTIONS	UNECE FUTURE ACTIONS	RESPONSIBLE	TIME FRAME	PERFORMANCE INDICATORS
Readiness Assessment Plan	Prepared and presented a readiness assessment plan for a pilot project to be used in BSEC countries implementation of the UN Decade of Action Plan.	Will implement readiness assessment plan in the BSEC region in cooperation with BSEC PERMIS and national authorities of	WP.1	2011 - 2013	Number of countries implementing a readiness assessment plan.
	Distributed readiness assessment plan questionnaire and report to all BSEC countries for input.	the BSEC member States. Will scale up the readiness assessment plan beyond the BSEC Region.	WP.1	2011 -2020	Number of country replies.
Road Traffic Accident Statistics	Yearly updated, collected and disseminated data on road traffic accidents. Some indicators are derived from data in the UNECE database and disseminated online, such as: -number of fatalities per million inhabitants -number of injured per million inhabitants; -number of fatalities per 10 000 passenger cars; -number of injured per 10 000 passenger cars; -severity of road traffic accidents (fatalities per 1000 accidents); -distribution of killed/injured by road users.	Will improve international comparability and consider "Statistical performance indicators in road safety".	WP.6	2012-2013	Development and adoption of statistical performance indicators in road safety.
	Developed appropriate and common methodologies and terminology for harmonizing road safety statistics to improve international comparability (Glossary of Transport Statistics).	Ongoing	WP.6	2012-2013	Development and adoption of statistical performance indicators in road safety.
	Developed and maintained the online UNECE Transport Statistics Database to ensure high-quality, relevant, user-friendly and timely transport statistics for road safety.	Ongoing	WP.6	2012-2013	Development and adoption of statistical performance indicators in road safety.
	Contributed to the coordination of statistical activities of international organizations in the field of road safety statistics to promote good practices and consistency of disseminated data, minimize duplication of work and reduce the burden on UNECE member countries.	Ongoing	WP.6	2012-2013	Development and adoption of statistical performance indicators in road safety.

AREAS	UNECE PAST & PRESENT ACTIONS	UNECE FUTURE ACTIONS	RESPONSIBLE	TIME FRAME	PERFORMANCE INDICATORS
Road Traffic Accident Statistics (con't.)	Provided a forum for exchanging experiences and best practices, and provided guidance on how to address statistical challenges, including the availability, quality and interchange of data on road traffic accidents statistics.	Ongoing	WP.6	2012-2013	Development and adoption of statistical performance indicators in road safety.
	WP.6 made special efforts to improve the available data on road traffic accidents through internet use; the Common Questionnaire developed jointly with ITF and Eurostat.	Will improve quality of road safety data, in particular through improving data quality for types of collision and harmonizing of methodology for data related to the accidents under influence of drugs and alcohol.	WP.6	2012-2013	Development and adoption of statistical performance indicators in road safety.
Launch of the UN Decade of Action for Road Safety (2011 – 2020)	In collaboration with the Government of Serbia, launched the regional UN Decade of Action for Road Safety in Belgrade, Serbia on 27 - 29 April 2011, in partnership with the Ministry of the Interior and Ministry of Infrastructure as well as the Road Safety Agency.		WP.1	2011-2020	Number of follow-up events organized.
	Launched the Global UN Decade of Action for Road Safety at the United Nations Commission on Sustainable Development (CSD) in NY city (May 2011), and organized a side event with the participation of the USA, EU, other Regional Commissions (ESCAP, ECLAC, ECA).		WP.1	2011	
Road Safety as an integral element of Sustainable Mobility	Created in 2009 a background information document "UNECE work in Support of Sustainable Development of Transport" which was submitted to the 18th session of the Commission on Sustainable Development (CSD) for discussion.	Will promote public transport benefits.	Office of the Director of Transport	2011	Development of public transport benefits discussion paper.

AREAS	UNECE PAST & PRESENT ACTIONS	UNECE FUTURE ACTIONS	RESPONSIBLE	TIME FRAME	PERFORMANCE INDICATORS
Road Safety as an integral	Followed (2010) with a discussion paper	Will promote public transport	Office of the	2011	Development of public
element of Sustainable Mobility	entitled "Transport for sustainable	benefits.	Director of		transport benefits discussion
(con't.)	development in the ECE region" showing		Transport		paper.
	the relationship between transport and				
	sustainable development and strengthen				
	policy setting for sustainable development.				
	It also outlines specific challenges for the				
	UNECE countries; contributes to policy				
	debate on solutions and needed measures;				
	shows best case practices in the UNECE				
	countries and facilitates information				
	sharing. The discussion paper was made				
	available online for public consultation.				
	Presented the discussion paper "Transport				
	for sustainable development in the ECE				
	region" at the UN Commission on				
	Sustainable Development (CSD) during a				
	side event "Transport for sustainable				
	development" conveying that sustainable				
	development cannot be excluded from				
	combating road traffic casualties and				
	injuries. Event organized in cooperation				
	with other regional commissions and				
	supported by the EU's new transport policy				
	white paper.				
	Conducted four regional workshops on	Will conduct two regional	THE PEP	2012-2014	Approval of THE PEP relay
	sustainable urban mobility and integration	workshops on the same topics as			race workshop series by
	of environment and health strategies in	part of THE PEP relay race planned			UNECE and WHO/Europe
	transport policies, in the framework of the	for 2012 and 2013.			member States at the four
	Transport, Health and Environment Pan-				regional workshops. High-
	European Programme (THE PEP)				level Meeting in 2014.
	administered by UNECE and WHO/Europe				
	in Prague (2009), Skopje and Batumi				
	(2010) and Kiev (2011).				
		A High-level meeting on Transport,	THE PEP	2014	Quality and number of
		Health and Environment evaluating			participants in the high-level
		this workshop series and providing			meeting.
		guidance on further action in 2014.			
National Road Safety Lead	Commissioned a discussion paper on		WP.1	2011	Number of new countries
Agencies	potential road safety management and	framework to countries during			implementing national road
	coordination structures.	WP.1 meetings and elsewhere.			safety lead agencies.

AREAS	UNECE PAST & PRESENT ACTIONS	UNECE FUTURE ACTIONS	RESPONSIBLE	TIME FRAME	PERFORMANCE INDICATORS
National Road Safety Lead		Subject to resources being	WP.1	2011	Number of participants and
Agencies (con't.)		available, will coordinate a sub-			quality of capacity-building
		regional capacity-building			workshop.
		workshop on the occasion of World			
		Day of Remembrance for Road			
		Traffic Victims in Yerevan.			
Accession to Road Safety	Monitored the implementation of the Road	Will develop implementation	WP.1, WP.29,	2011 - 2020	Number of new Contracting
Conventions and Agreements	Safety Conventions and Agreements:		SC.1, WP.15		Parties to the Road Safety
		Conventions and Agreements.			Conventions and Agreements
	1949 Convention on Road Traffic (96 CP) /				
	1968 Convention on Road Traffic (70 CP);				
	1949 Protocol on Road Signs and Signals				
	(39 CP);				
	1968 Convention on Road Signs and				
	Signals (62 CP);				
	1958 Vehicle Regulations (46 CP)				
	1998 Vehicle Regulations (31 CP)				
	1968 European Agreement supplementing				
	Convention on Road Traffic (30 CP)				
	1971 European Agreement (33 CP)				
	1973 Protocol on Road Markings (25 CP)				
	1997 Periodical Inspections (25 CP)				
	AGR (37 CP)				
	ADR (47 CP)				
	AETR (49 CP)				
	Raised awareness and technical assistance		WP.1, WP.29,	2011-2020	Number of new Contracting
	for accession.		SC.1, WP.15		Parties to the Road Safety
					Conventions and Agreements
More effective implementation of	Issued a report on the level of enforcement		SC.1	2011-2013	Application of report to the
Road Safety Conventions and	of the AETR agreement.				AETR agreement.
Agreements					

OBJECTIVE 2: Protect Road Users

AREAS	UNECE PAST & PRESENT ACTIONS	UNECE FUTURE ACTIONS	RESPONSIBLE	TIME FRAME	PERFORMANCE INDICATORS
Protecting Vulnerable Road Users	s Paid special attention to pedestrian safety by amending the 1968 Convention on Road Traffic (instructions on behavior of pedestrians), amending the Convention on Signs and Signals concerning behavior at pedestrian crossings, adopted regulation on pedestrian safety in 2008, made special reference on walking through THE PEP, and amending the consolidated resolution (RE.1).	Will develop Guidelines for School bus Operation.	WP.1	2011-2020	Development of guidelines.
		Will adopt new biofidelic test tools in UN Regulations to design vehicles to be more pedestrian friendly.	WP.29	2012-2013	Number of Contracting Parties applying the UN Regulations.
	Promoted safe cycling through THE PEP, and through the 1968 Convention on Road Traffic promoted safety for cyclist and their vehicles.	Ongoing	WP.1, THE PEP	2011-2020	
	Commissioned a discussion paper to highlight the benefits of the correct use of helmets and their specific construction (Regulation No. 22) for full head coverage to minimize impact in case of an accident.		WP. 29	2012	Number of Contracting Parties applying the Regulation No. 22.
	Reached out to young road users through cooperation with the World Organization of the Scout Movement (WOSM), Road Safety Institute "PanosMtlonas", Irish Scouts and Hellenic Scouts.		WP.1	2012 - 2014	Number of road safety youth capacity-building events.
		Will develop framework for future cooperation with the World Organization of the Scout Movement (WOSM).			Future activities with WOSM though mutual cooperation.
	Paid special attention to safe mobility and elderly road users through adoption of provisions in UN Regulation No. 16 for safety-belts load limiters to reduce risk of thorax rib fracture injury.		WP.29	2011 - 2020	Number of increased Contracting Parties applying Regulation No. 16
	Promoted safety of disabled road users.		WP.1		
Fighting Driver's Fatigue		Will conduct a seminar on driver's fatigue.	WP.1	2011	Number of participants at the seminar.
	Focused on AETR agreement related to driving time and rest periods of professional drivers.	Will establish an AETR expert	WP.1	2012 - 2014	Successful amendment of AETR agreements.

OBJECTIVE 3: Make Vehicles Safer

AREAS	UNECE PAST & PRESENT ACTIONS	UNECE FUTURE ACTIONS	RESPONSIBLE	TIME FRAME	PERFORMANCE INDICATORS
Passive and Active Safety	Drafted and Adopted UN Regulations and UN Global Technical Regulations on: child restraints systems, whiplash injury prevention, frontal/lateral/rear crash protection, safety-belts and their anchorages, protection against electric shocks in electric and hybrid vehicles:	Will draft and adopt a new UN Regulation on child restraint system to improve child protection.	WP.29	2012	Number of Contracting Parties applying the UN Regulation.
	Regulations passed on Passive Safety (crash worthiness) Safety belts: 1970, Protective helmets: 1972, Child Restraint Systems (CRS): 1981, Frontal and lateral crash tests: 1995, Pedestrian safety: 2008, Hybrid and Electric safety: 2010	and UN Global Technical Regulation (UN GTR) on head	WP.29	2012	Number of Contracting Parties applying the UN Regulation.
		Will adopt new UN Regulation/UN GTR and amend to existing ones to improve safety of electric/hybrid/Hydrogen vehicles.	WP.29	2012	Number of Contracting Parties applying the new UN Regulation.
		Will develop amendments to the UN Regulation on frontal collision with particular attention to the protection of older occupants, female occupants and also focus on optimization of vehicles' structural interaction to improve self protection and partner protection.	WP.29	2014	Still pending endorsement of this activity of GRSP and WP.29 - Amendments adopted.
		Will establish new Regulations on: Child Restrain systems (2012), Pole side test (2012), Hydrogen & Fuel Cell vehicles (HFCV) - Safety: (2012), Harmonization of dummies (2013), Crash compatibility (2015).	WP.29	2012 - 2015	Number of Contracting Parties applying the UN Regulations.
Vehicle Design (Developing technical provisions on the construction of vehicles and their equipments)	Drafted technical prescriptions on the burning behavior factors of materials used for buses and coaches.	Will apply Regulation No. 107 on Improve the fire safety level in buses and coaches.	WP.29	2 years for new buses and coaches	Number of countries applying Regulation No. 118/01
	Drafted technical prescriptions on superstructure of buses and coaches.	Will apply Regulation No. 107 to ensure accessible seats for persons of reduced mobility.	WP.29	3 to 4 years for new buses and coaches	Number of countries applying Regulation No. 107/04
	Drafted technical prescriptions with regard to indirect vision systems (mirrors & camera monitoring) in trucks and buses.	Will apply Regulation No. 46 for camera monitor systems replacing all mirrors in vehicles.	WP.29	2 years for new vehicles	Number of countries applying Regulation No. 46/03

AREAS	UNECE PAST & PRESENT ACTIONS	UNECE FUTURE ACTIONS	RESPONSIBLE	TIME FRAME	PERFORMANCE INDICATORS
Vehicle Design (con't.)	Drafted technical prescriptions for vehicles	Will apply Regulation No. 43 to	WP.29	2 years for new vehicles	Number of countries
	to safety glazing materials including plastics	reduced burn rate for rigid plastic			applying Regulation No.
		panes.			43/01
Quiet Road Transport Vehicles	Drafted a first set of guidelines to be	Will adopt new UN Global	WP.29	2012-2013	Number of countries
(QRTV)	adopted on technical aspects of QRTV	Technical Regulation to ensure			applying the UN Regulation.
	(inserted into the R.E.3)	electric and hybrid vehicles			
		audibility.			
Periodical Technical Inspections	Adopted of a new rule on roadworthiness	Will conduct annual capacity-	WP.29	2012	Number of capacity-building
Convention (1997)		building workshops.			workshops conducted.
	Introduced safety Regulation Annex to the		WP.29	2012-2013	Successful introduction of
	Agreement				safety Regulation Annex to
					the Agreement.

OBJECTIVE 4: Improve Safety of Transport of Dangerous Goods

AREAS	UNECE PAST & PRESENT ACTIONS	UNECE FUTURE ACTIONS	RESPONSIBLE	TIME FRAME	PERFORMANCE INDICATORS
Safety of Transport of Dangerous	Provided practical information of	Ongoing and will further develop	WP. 15	Continuous	Information available on
Goods	administrative or technical nature on	and expand with training/capacity-			website and up to date
	implementation of conventions on website	building material.			
	(ADR Chapter 1.9).				
	Fostered cooperation between Contracting	Will continue fostering cooperation	WP. 15	Continuous	Effective cooperation
	Parties (ADR Chapter 1.8).	between Contracting Parties (ADR			between Contracting Parties
		Chapter 1.8).			
	Providing specification of the safety	Will be updated at request of	WP. 15	Continuous - Updates	Enforcement measures
	obligations falling to the various	Contracting Parties if necessary.		every 2 years when	enacted in national law
	participants in the carriage of dangerous			necessary	(controls, penalties)
	goods (ADR Chapter 1.4).				
	Provided requirements for instructions in	Will continue to review.	WP. 15	Continuous - Updates	Instructions available on
	writing to be on board vehicles carrying			every 2 years when	UNECE website in all
	dangerous goods in order to inform drivers of the emergency action to be taken to			necessary	languages of Contracting Parties - Instructions
	protect themselves in case of accident				available on board the
	(ADR Chapter 5.4).				vehicles in a language
	(ADR Chapter 3.4).				understood by the driver
	Provided requirements for construction of	Will continue to review (in the light	WP 15	Continuous - Updates	Number of ADR vehicle
	vehicles intended for the carriage of	of safety techniques development	W1.13	every 2 years when	certificates issued or renewed
	dangerous goods, their approval and their	and lessons learned from		necessary	every year
	periodic technical inspection (ADR Part 9).	experience/accidents).			2
	Provided requirements for construction,	Will continue to review (in the light	WP. 15	Continuous - Updates	Effective application
	testing, approval and periodic inspection of			every 2 years when	(measured by controls by
	transport equipment such as tanks,	and lessons learned from		necessary	Contracting Parties)
	containers, packaging, etc (ADR Part 6).	experience/accidents).			
	Provided requirements for safe loading,	Will continue to review (in the light	WP. 15	Continuous - Updates	Effective application
	stowage, segregation of dangerous goods in	of safety techniques development		every 2 years when	(measured by controls by
	vehicles and freight containers, and their	and lessons learned from		necessary	Contracting Parties)
	unloading (ADR Part 7).	experience/accidents).			
	Provided requirements for the operation of	Will continue to review (in the light	WP. 15	Continuous - Updates	Effective application
	vehicles carrying dangerous goods (speed	of safety techniques development		every 2 years when	(measured by controls by
	limitation, use of parking brakes and wheel			necessary	Contracting Parties)
	chocks, supervision). (ADR Parts 8 and	experience/accidents).			
	9).				

AREAS	UNECE PAST & PRESENT ACTIONS	UNECE FUTURE ACTIONS	RESPONSIBLE	TIME FRAME	PERFORMANCE INDICATORS
	Considered by the Informal working group mandated by the Joint Meeting RID/ADR/ADN (WP.15/AC.1) of what information provided by telematics could enhance the safety and security of the transport of dangerous goods and facilitates such transport, of the cost/benefit analysis of utilizing telematics in road transport of dangerous goods and of the related technica requirements.	working group on the basis of the work programme adopted by the Joint Meeting: Proposals of amendments to ADR to include prescriptions for the use of telematics for the carriage of dangerous goods.	WP. 15	2010-2014	Adoption of amendments to RID/ADR/ADN for entry into force in 2017 or of guidelines for initial implementation on voluntary basis pending availability of all required technology in all Contracting Parties
	Promoted the use of multimodal solutions through harmonization between ADR/RID/ADN. Provided restrictions of dangerous goods through road tunnels – Categorization of road tunnels and identification of dangerous goods prohibited in each category (ADR Section 1.9.5 and Chapter 8.6). Development of road signs and signals to ensure implementation of restrictions (cooperation WP.15/WP.1).	Will continue to harmonize facilitates intermodal transport solutions. Will continue to review (in the light of safety techniques development and lessons learned from experience/accidents.		Continuous	ADR, RID and ADN fully harmonized Effective categorization of road tunnels by ADR Contracting Parties, as shown by the display of relevant dangerous goods road signs and signals and as reported on the Transport Division Website
	Provided requirements for the training (initial training and refresher courses) and examination of drivers of vehicles carrying dangerous goods. (ADR Chapter 8.2) ADR training certificates issued by any Contracting Party recognized by other Parties for carriage on their territory.	Will continue to review (in the light of safety techniques development and lessons learned from experience/accidents).	WP. 15	Continuous	Number of ADR driver certificates issued or renewed every year

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Safety of Transport of Dangerous	Provided requirements for the training of	Will continue to review (in the light	WP. 15	Continuous	Number of DGSA
Goods (con't.)	persons, other than drivers, whose duty	of safety techniques development			certificates issued or renewed
	concerns the transport of dangerous goods	and lessons learned from			every year
	(ADR Chapter 1.3).	experience/accidents).			Number of personnel trained
	Requirements for undertakings involved in				by enterprises every year
	the transport of dangerous goods by road to				
	appoint a dangerous goods safety adviser				
	responsible for helping to prevent the risk				
	inherent at their activities (ADR Section				
	1.8.3).				
	Requirements for dangerous goods safety				
	adviser training (initial and refresher) and				
	examinations (ADR Section 1.8.3).				
	ADR Contracting parties informed the	In case of an incident or accident,	WP. 15	Continuous	
	UNECE secretariat of incidents or accidents				Effective discussion by
	involving dangerous goods on their	additional safety requirements on			WP.15 of reported
	territories. In accordance with 1.8.5 of	the basis of the study of the causes			accidents/incidents
	ADR, the secretariat made this information	•			If deemed necessary,
	available to other Contracting Parties.	1			adoption of new requirements
					or of amendments to existing
					requirements on the basis of
					discussion of
					accident/incident reports
					accident incident reports
	Provided requirements for hazard	Will continue to review (in the light	WP. 15	Continuous	Cargo and vehicles properly
	communication: Requirements for marking,		,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	Commuous	labeled / marked / placarded /
	labeling and/or placarding cargo and	and lessons learned from			documented (measured by
		experience/accidents).			controls by Contracting
	in order to provide the necessary				Parties).
	information for emergency response by				
	emergency services in case of				
	incidents/accidents (ADR Chapters 5.2 and				
	5.3)				
	Organized or participated in awareness-	Will continue and further develop.	WP. 15	2012-2013	Guidelines for the
	raising or capacity-building	Will develop a road map on how to		2012 2013	development of
	seminars/workshops.	set up the administrative structures			administrative and technical
	Seminars, workshops.	required for implementation of			structures for proper
		ADR			implementation of ADR by
					Contracting Parties or
					countries wishing to apply
					ADR available in 2014.
					11DIC available in 2017.

OBJECTIVE 5: Make Technologies Work for Safer Mobility

AREAS	UNECE PAST & PRESENT ACTIONS	UNECE FUTURE ACTIONS		TIME FRAME	PERFORMANCE INDICATORS
Innovation - ITS	Developed an ITS Strategy (Road Map).	Will strengthen ITS solutions to increase Road Safety	WP.29	2011-2020	Published ITS Road Map and implementation its actions through different Working Parties.
	Updated existing regulations and create new ones to boost ITS solutions for Road Safety.		WP.29	2011-2020	Number of capacity-building workshops conducted.
		Will consider the issues of vehicle platooning.	WP.1	2011-2020	Discussion at WP.1.
	Addressed issues of liability, particularly in case of DAS systems through cooperation between WP.1 and WP.29.	Will conduct workshops to address issues and will make recommendations.	WP.1, WP.29	2011-2015	Amendment to 1968 Convention on Road Traffic.
	Researched factors for improving safety for the transport of dangerous goods through monitoring and tracking systems, linking consignors, transport operators, emergency responders, enforcement and control authorities and regulators.		WP.15		
Variable Message Signs (VMS)	Established an informal ad hoc group of experts on VMS to assess the feasibility of harmonization of Variable Message Signs (VMS).		WP.1	2011-2015	Amendment to 1968 Convention on Road Traffic, 1968 Convention on Road Signs and Signals, and Consolidated Resolutions (RE.1, RE.2).

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OBJECTIVE 6: Make Roads Safer

AREAS	UNECE PAST & PRESENT ACTIONS	UNECE FUTURE ACTIONS	RESPONSIBLE	TIME FRAME	PERFORMANCE INDICATORS
Road Signs and Signals	Continuous update of Consolidated Resolutions of Road Traffic and the Consolidated Resolutions of Road Signs and Signals (RE.1, RE.2).	Will conduct global Review of Road Signs and Signals by WP.1.	WP.1	2011-2020	Publish a review of global Road Signs and Signals.
Road Safety Audits in Infrastructure Development	Modified of AGR - appending Road Safety Audit annex.	Will consult and cooperate with IFI to include road safety component in their lending programmes.		2011-2020	Amendment to AGR; Inclusion of road safety component to IFI lending programmes.
ТЕМ	Incorporated Road Safety in the Revised TEM and TER Master Plan.	r	Office of the Director of Transport	2011-2012	Establishment of statistic database on the TER network.
Safety in Road Tunnels and Rail Tunnels	Developed recommendations for minimum safety in rail tunnels and road tunnels.		WP.24, WP.1		
Safety at Road -Rail Level Crossing	Assessed safety at Road -Rail Level Crossings.	Will establish a multidisciplinary expert group to review safety at road - rail level crossings.	WP.24, WP.1, Office of the Director of Transport	2012-2013	Establishment of statistic database on the TER network.
	Cooperation with International Level Crossing Awareness Day (ILCAD); promotion of UNECE work at ILCAD events (Warsaw 2011)	Will continue ongoing activities in cooperation with ILCAD as requested.	WP.1	2011-2020	Continued cooperation with ILCAD.

OBJECTIVE 7: Improve Cargo Safety

AREAS	UNECE PAST & PRESENT ACTIONS	UNECE FUTURE ACTIONS	RESPONSIBLE	TIME FRAME	PERFORMANCE INDICATORS
Safe packing and handling of	IMO, ILO and UNECE adopted		WP. 24	2011	New revised guidelines
intermodal transport units	international Guidelines (1997) for the				adopted by IMO, ILO and
	packing of cargo in intermodal transport				UNECE.
	units (containers, trucks).				
	Started review of the 1997 Guidelines (joint	Ongoing	WP. 24	2011-2013	Adoption of revised
	work of IMO, ILO and UNECE - together				international guidelines.
	with the industry and trade unions) to				
	ensure coverage of all modes of land and				
	sea transport.				

OBJECTIVE 8: Turn Road Safety Training, Education and Behavior into Knowledge Management

AREAS	UNECE PAST & PRESENT ACTIONS	UNECE FUTURE ACTIONS	RESPONSIBLE	TIME FRAME	PERFORMANCE INDICATORS
Impact of Cultural Differences on	Commissioned a discussion paper on the	Will publish discussion paper and	WP.1	2011	Published discussion paper.
Road Safety	relevance of cultural differences on road	make it available for consultation.			
	safety.				
Professional drivers competence		Will review whether revisions to	WP.1	2011-2020	Review of RE.4.
		RE.4 are necessary.			
		Will develop guidelines for	WP.1	2011-2020	Development of guidelines.
		professional driver's training with			
		IRU Academy.			
Mutual Recognition of Driver's		Will review whether revisions are	WP.1	2011-2020	Review of mutual recognition
Permits		needed in mutual recognition of			of driver's permits.
		driver's permits.			
		Will review provisions related to	WP.1	2011-2020	Review of provisions related
		falsification of driver's permits.			to falsification of driver's
					permits.

OBJECTIVE 9: Learn from Road Crashes

AREAS	UNECE PAST & PRESENT ACTIONS	UNECE FUTURE ACTIONS	RESPONSIBLE	TIME FRAME	PERFORMANCE INDICATORS
National Road Safety Databank		Will conduct a round table on	WP.1	2011-2015	Number of participants
		policies and institutional structures.			attending the round table.
Multi-disciplinary crash	Continuous discussions at WP.1	Will prepare a discussion paper on	WP.1	2011-2013	Published discussion paper
investigation (MDCI)		MDCI best practice.			on MDCI best practices.
		Will prepare a best practice	WP.1	2011-2013	Published guidebook.
		guidebook.			

OBJECTIVE 10: Mitigate the Impact of Road Crashes

AREAS	UNECE PAST & PRESENT ACTIONS	UNECE FUTURE ACTIONS	RESPONSIBLE	TIME FRAME	PERFORMANCE INDICATORS
Insurance – Green Card System		Will expand the geographic	WP.1	2011-2020	Number of new countries
		coverage of green card systems.			adopting the green card
					system.
		Will review effects of bottlenecks	WP.1	2011-2020	Review of bottlenecks and
		for global 3rd party insurance - in			recommendations made.
		cooperation with other Regional			
		Commissions.			
Improving Post-Crash Response		Will prepare a discussion paper on	WP.1	2011-2020	Published discussion paper.
and Care		post- crash response and care.			

OBJECTIVE 11: Raise Awareness, Fundraise, and Advocate for Road Safety

AREAS	UNECE PAST & PRESENT ACTIONS	UNECE FUTURE ACTIONS	RESPONSIBLE	TIME FRAME	PERFORMANCE INDICATORS
Campaigns and capacity-building	Engaged with the FIBA Basketball Community - in cooperation with the Hellenic Basketball Federation and the Greek basketball champions on the Declaration on "Team Work and Fair Play on the Basketball Court and on our Roads" the declaration on the "Respect the Rules" was signed by FIBA, FIBA Europe, UNECE and the Government of Poland. This was followed by a similar campaigns in Turkey (2101 FIBA World Championship) and Lithuania (2011 EuroBasket).	Will continue developing similar joint FIBA-UNECE campaigns, including with NBA.	WP.1	2011 - 2020	Number of campaigns organized with FIBA; cooperation with NBA and number of campaigns organized.
	Engaged in Youth Campaign "Scouting for Global Road Safety" with Scouts - partnered with the World Organization of the Scout Movement (WOSM) to promote road safety at the World Scouting Jamboree on August 2011 in Sweden through an international pilot project on road safety involving Greece, Ireland and European partners.	learning road safety workshops.	WP.1	2011 - 2020	Number of workshops conducted and continued cooperation with WOSM.
	Created a Road Safety Film to highlight its road safety initiatives.		WP.1	2011	Number of visitors to the road safety film link in youtube.
	Created a Road Safety poster signing campaign aimed at raising awareness of road safety issues. The signing of the poster of key road safety stakeholders demonstrates their commitment by pledging to work towards reducing casualties and deaths on the roads.		WP.1	2011 - 2020	Number of campaigns organized.
		Will be involved in organizing UN Road Safety Week. Will engage in a targeted approach		2012-2020 2011 - 2020	Number of organized UN Road Safety Week events. Amount of financial
		to fundraise for road safety activities such as capacity-building, support implementation of the UN Decade of Action (2011 - 2020) activities in the UNECE region, and continue to engage in awareness raising activities with partners.		2011 2020	resources collected.