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**PROVISIONAL DRAFT AGENDA OF THE COUNCIL  
(Transport, Telecommunications and Energy)**

**Luxembourg, 7 April 2008**

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Approval of the list of "A" items

**LAND TRANSPORT**

**3. Road transport**

- a) Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on common rules for **access to the international road haulage market (recast) (LA)**  
(Legal basis proposed by the Commission: Article 71 of the EC Treaty)
  - b) Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing common rules concerning the conditions to be complied with to pursue the occupation of **road transport operator (LA)**  
(Legal basis proposed by the Commission: Article 71 of the EC Treaty)
  - c) Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on common rules for **access to the market for coach and bus services (recast) (LA)**  
(Legal basis proposed by the Commission: Article 71 of the EC Treaty)
- *Policy debate/Progress report*  
[Public deliberation, pursuant to Article 8(1)(c) CRP]

**4. Railways**

- Communication from the Commission "**Towards a rail network giving priority to freight**"
- *Adoption of Council conclusions*

## INTERMODAL QUESTIONS

### 5. **GNSS – EGNOS and GALILEO**

Amended proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the further **implementation** of the European satellite radio navigation programmes (**EGNOS and Galileo**) (LA) (\*)

(Legal basis proposed by the Commission: Article 156 of the EC Treaty)

- *General approach*

[Public deliberation, pursuant to Article 8(1)(c) CRP]

## AVIATION

### 6. (*poss.*) Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on **airport charges** (LA) (\*)

(Legal basis proposed by the Commission: Article 80(2) of the EC Treaty)

- *Political agreement*

[Public deliberation, pursuant to Article 8(1)(b) CRP]

### 7. Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on a **Code of Conduct for computerised reservation systems** (LA)

(Legal basis proposed by the Commission: Articles 71 and 80(2) of the EC Treaty)

- *General approach*

[Public deliberation, pursuant to Article 8(1)(c) CRP]

### 8. Communication from the Commission "**First Report on the implementation of the European Single Sky Legislation: achievements and the way forward**"

- *Adoption of Council conclusions*

### 9. Communication from the Commission "**An agenda for Sustainable Future in General and Business Aviation**"

- *Adoption of Council conclusions*

### 10. **External relations**

Draft Decision by the Council and the Representatives of the Governments of the Member States of the European Union, meeting within the Council, authorising the Commission to open **negotiations with Israel** on a comprehensive **air transport agreement**

- *Adoption*

## **SHIPPING**

11. Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on compliance with **flag State requirements (LA) (\*)**  
(Legal basis proposed by the Commission: Article 80(2) of the EC Treaty)
  - *Policy debate/Progress report*  
[Public deliberation, pursuant to Article 8(1)(c) CRP]
  
12. Amended proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on the **civil liability and financial guarantees of shipowners (LA)**  
(Legal basis proposed by the Commission: Article 80(2) of the EC Treaty)
  - *Policy debate/Progress report*  
[Public deliberation, pursuant to Article 8(1)(c) CRP]
  
13. **ANY OTHER BUSINESS**
  - Negotiating directives for a treaty establishing a Transport Community with the Western Balkans
    - *Presentation by the Commission*

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