



Green Public Procurement and Technology Advancements in the Road Sector

Programme

POLIS- 98 Rue du Trône, 1050 Brussels – Belgium

9:00-10:00	Registration & Welcome	
10:00	Session 1 - Green Public Procurement Moderator: Ms Oshani Perera, Programme Manager SPP, IISD	
	The business case for Green Public Procurement (GPP)	Ms Oshani Perera Programme Manager IISD – Switzerland
	Sustainable public procurement: key concepts and international experience	Mr Farid Yaker Programme Officer SPP UNEP- DITE, France
	The emerging EU resource efficiency policy and its relevance to the road sector	Mr Pavel Misiga Head of Unit SPC - DG Environment European Commission - Belgium
	Opportunities for sustainable public procurement in transport	Mr Peter Defranceschi Head of Office ICLEI - Belgium
	DISCUSSION	
	Coffee Break	
	EU GPP guidelines for road construction and traffic signs	Ms Susanna Zammataro Deputy DG & Environment Expert IRF, Switzerland
	Netherlands' experience with sustainable procurement in road construction	Mr Harald Versteeg Programme Manager Sustainability Dutch Ministry for Infrastructure Netherlands
	Integrating environmental conditionality into procurement process: New Zealand experience	Mr Carl Reller Environment and Urban Designer Manager NZ Transport Agency – New Zealand
	DISCUSSION	
12:30	Lunch Break	



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Session 2 – Technology Advancements in the Road Sector	
Moderator: Dr. Adnan Rahman, Director, Cambridge Systematics	
From research to markets: barriers to technology deployment	Dr. Thierry Vanelslander BNP Paribas Fortis Chair - Transport University of Antwerp - Belgium
Putting innovation on the agenda: policies and practice in the EU	Mrs Margarete Rudzki Policy Adviser Eurochambres- Belgium
Overcoming barriers to mainstream urban transport innovation	Mr Ivo Cré Project Manager POLIS - Belgium
DISCUSSION	
Coffee Break	
Innovation policies and techniques in rural roads construction in the State of Assam	Mr Ranjeet Kumar Das Director Road Research Laboratory Dep. Public Works Government of Assam - India
Advanced technology for traffic signs and road markings : better visibility and greater sustainability	Mr Rik Nuyttens Regulatory Affairs Manager 3M Europe -Belgium
Energy and resources savings in road equipment	Mrs Barbara Lax Sustainable Development Manager Caterpillar- Switzerland
DISCUSSION	
16:00	Conclusion

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