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Regional Seminar on Inclusive and Sustainable Transport
&
Vientiane International Mayors Forum

14-16 March 2017

Don Chan Palace Hotel & Convention, Vientiane, Lao PDR

(Pre-Event on Contribution of Rural Transport to the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development to be held on 13 March 2017)

Provisional Programme



2030 Road Map for Sustainable Transport ~ Aligning with Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)

Co-organized by:

Ministry of Public Works and Transport (MPWT), Lao PDR
Ministry of the Environment (MOE), Japan
Partnership on Sustainable, Low Carbon Transport (SLoCaT)
United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (UN ESCAP)
United Nations Office for Sustainable Development (UNOSD)
United Nations Centre for Regional Development (UNCRD)

Chair:

Hon. Dr. Bounchanh Sinthavong, Minister of Public Works and Transport (MPWT), Lao PDR

Partners

German International Cooperation (GIZ)
Others (tbc)

Supporting Organizations (tbc)

Asian Development Bank (ADB), Department for International Development (DFID), EMBARQ (The World Resources Institute's Center for Sustainable Transport), Institute for Transportation and Development Policy (ITDP), International Union of Railways (UIC), The Korean Transport Institute (KOTI), Research for Community Access Partnership (ReCAP), TERI University, SAFER-Vehicle and Traffic Safety Centre, University of Gothenburg, United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD), Victoria Transport Policy Institute (VTPI), World Health Organization (WHO), the World Bank (WB) and others (tbc)

PRE-EVENT

Contribution of Rural Transport to the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development

**13 March 2017
Don Chan Palace Hotel, Vientiane, Lao PDR**

Co-organized by:

**Research for Community Access Partnership (ReCAP)
United Nations Centre for Regional Development (UNCRD)**

Facilitated by:

Partnership for Sustainable Low Carbon Transport (SLoCaT)

13 MARCH 2017 (Monday)	
Time / Room	Provisional Programme
08:00-09:00	Registration
09:00-09:30	Opening of the pre-event
	Session 1:
10:00-10:30	Coffee/Tea Break
	Session 2:
13:00-14:00	Networking Lunch
	Session 3:
15:30-16:00	Coffee/Tea Break
	Session 4:
	Session 5:

DAY 1	14 MARCH 2017 (Tuesday)
Time / Room	Provisional Programme
07:00-9:00	Registration
9:00-10:30	Official Opening Ceremony of the 10 th Regional EST Forum in Asia
[Venue: Ballroom]	<p>Welcome Address</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Ministry of Public Works and Transport (MPWT), Lao PDR <p>Opening Address</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - United Nations Centre for Regional Development (UNCRD) - United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (UN ESCAP) - United Nations Office for Sustainable Development (UNOSD) - Ministry of the Environment (MOE), Japan - Ministry of Public Works and Transport (MPWT), Lao PDR <p>Address by Guest of Honour</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Government of Lao PDR <p>Keynote Address</p> <p><i>Mr. Bambang Susantono</i>, Vice-President, Asian Development Bank (ADB)</p> <p>Group Photograph</p>
10:30-11:00	Coffee/Tea Break

DAY 1	14 MARCH 2017 (Tuesday)
Time / Room	Provisional Programme
11:00-12:30	EST PLENARY SESSION 1 Environmentally Sustainable Transport – Connecting the dots to SDGs, Paris Climate Agreement and the New Urban Agenda
[Venue: Grand Convention Hall (Hall AB)]	<p>Presentation of Background Paper</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) <i>EST – Connecting the dots to SDGs, Paris Climate Agreement and the New Urban Agenda</i> – by Mr. Holger Dalkmann, Director, EMBARQ (15 min) 2) <i>2030 Road Map for Sustainable Transport in Asia ~ Aligning Government Policy with Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)</i> – by Mr. Cornie Huizenga, Secretary General, the Partnership on Sustainable, Low Carbon Transport (SLoCaT) (15 min) <p>Panel Discussion</p> <p>Discussion Points</p> <p>Open Discussion</p> <p>Session Chair: Hon. Dr. Bounchanh Sinthavong, Minister, Public Works and Transport (MPWT), Lao PDR (tbc)</p> <p>Facilitator / Moderator: Mr. Holger Dalkmann, Director, EMBARQ (tbc)</p> <p>Rapporteur: Mr. Simon Ka Wing Ng, Transport Expert UNCRD (tbc)</p>
12:30-13:30	Networking Lunch

DAY 1	14 MARCH 2017 (Tuesday)	
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13:30 -15:00	EST PLENARY SESSION 2 Achieving Greater Food Security, Women Empowerment, Poverty Eradication through Improved, Inclusive and Equitable Transport System	
<i>[Venue: Grand Convention Hall (Hall AB)]</i>	<p>Background Presentation</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) <i>Achieving Poverty Eradication through Improved, Inclusive and Equitable Transport System</i> - by Mr. Madan B. Regmi, Economic Affairs Officer, UN ESCAP (15 min) (tbc) 2) <i>Role of Sustainable Access in Food Security and Eliminating Hunger</i> – by Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) (10 min) (tbc) 3) <i>Sustainable Connectivity for Empowering Women and Girls</i> - by Prof. Marie Thynell, Associate Professor, University of Gothenburg (10 min) <p>Panel Discussion</p> <p>Discussion Points</p> <p>Open Discussion</p>	<p>Session Chair: Hon. Mr. Narendra Singh Tomar, Minister, Minister of Rural Development, India (tbc)</p> <p>Facilitator / Moderator: Mr. Peter O’Neill, Infrastructure Development Specialist</p> <p>Rapporteur: Mr. Robert Earley, Expert, Sustainable Transport & Green Freight (tbc)</p>
15:00-15:30	Coffee/Tea Break	
15:30-17:00	EST PLENARY SESSION 3 Rural-Urban Connectivity in Achieving Sustainable Regional Development	
<i>[Venue: Grand Convention Hall (Hall AB)]</i>	<p>Background Presentation</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) <i>Rural-Urban Connectivity in Achieving Sustainable Regional Development</i> – by UN ESCAP and UNCRD (15 min) 2) <i>Prime Minister’s Rural Road Programme (PMGSY) of India</i> – by Mr. Rajesh Bhushan, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Rural Development, the Government of India (10 min) (tbc) 3) <i>Improving Rural Connectivity and its Impact on SDGs –Case of Nepal</i>– by Mr. Kamal Raj Pande, Transport Expert, Nepal (10 min) (tbc) 4) <i>Regional Connectivity and Sustainable Development – Experience of Japan</i>-by Central Nippon Expressway Company Limited (NEXCO) Japan (10 min) (tbc) <p>Panel Discussion</p> <p>Discussion Points</p> <p>Open Discussion</p>	<p>Session Chair: Hon. Mr. Hita Raj Pande, Minister, Ministry of Federal Affairs & Local Development, Nepal (tbc)</p> <p>Facilitator / Moderator: ReCAP (tbc)</p> <p>Rapporteur: Mr. Karl Peet, Research Director, SLoCaT Partnership (tbc)</p>

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17:00-18:00	EST PLENARY SESSION 4	
	Introducing Vientiane Declaration on Sustainable Rural Transport towards Achieving the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development	
<i>[Venue: Grand Convention Hall (Hall AB)]</i>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) <i>Outcome of the Global Sustainable Transport Conference 2016 (Ashgabat, Turkmenistan)- by DSD/UN DESA (10 min) (tbc)</i> 2) <i>Update on the outcome of the Ministerial Conference on Transport, 2016 (Moscow)- by UN ESCAP (7 min)</i> 3) <i>Regional strategy and policy framework to improve rural transport connectivity to wider local, national and regional transport network- by Mr. Madan B. Regmi, UN ESCAP (7min)</i> 4) <i>Introducing Draft Vientiane Declaration on Rural Transport for Sustainable Regional Development- by Mr. C. R. C. Mohanty, UNCRD (10 min)</i> <p>Open Discussion</p>	<p><u>Session Chair:</u> Hon. Mr. Nimal Siripala De Silva, Ministry of Transport and Civil Aviation, Sri Lanka (tbc)</p> <p><u>Facilitator / Moderator:</u> Mr. C. R. C. Mohanty, UNCRD (15 min)</p> <p><u>Rapporteur:</u> Mr. Simon Ka Wing Ng, Transport Expert & Ganesh Raj Joshi, UNCRD</p>
	Official Launching of World Resources Report on Sustainable Mobility (tbc)	
19:00-21:00	WELCOME RECEPTION	
	Hosted By: Ministry of Public Works and Transport (MPWT), Lao PDR Venue: Don Chan Palace Hotel & Convention	

DAY 2	15 MARCH 2017 (Wednesday)	
Time / Room	Provisional Programme	
<p>8:30-9:00</p> <p><i>[Venue: Grand Convention Hall (Hall AB)]</i></p>	<p>EST KEYNOTE ADDRESS 2: - by High Level Representative of World Health Organization (WHO) (tbc)</p> <p>Deep Integration of Public Health and Road Safety Considerations in Transport Policies, Planning & Development under the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development</p>	
<p>9:00-10:30</p>	<p>EST PLENARY SESSION 5 & VIENTIANE INTERNATIONAL MAYORS FORUM</p> <p>Policies for Achieving Smart, Resilient and Low Carbon Cities</p>	
<p><i>[Venue: Grand Convention Hall (Hall AB)]</i></p>	<p>Background Presentation</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) <i>Outcome of HABITAT III ~ Policy Insights to Sustainable Urban Transport in Achieving Smart, Resilient and Low Carbon Cities - by UN HABITAT (10 min)</i> 2) <i>Case Study on Bhutan LRT System ~ Outcome of the Pre-feasibility Study –by Mr. Karma Wangchuk Penjor, Secretary, MOIC, the Government of Bhutan, Mr. Julien Gaudremeau, Director, Rail Concepts, France & Mr. Charlie Hargroves, Director, Strategic Transitions Group, Australia (10 min)</i> 3) <i>Renewable Energy and Energy-efficient Buildings for Low-carbon Cities (10 min)</i> 4) <i>Challenges and Opportunities in Turning our Cities into Smart Cities (10 min)</i> <p>Panel Discussion</p> <p>Discussion Points</p> <p>Open Discussion</p>	<p><u>Session Chair:</u> Hon. Mr. Ramesh Lekhak, Minister, Ministry of Physical Infrastructure and Transport, Nepal (tbc)</p> <p><u>Facilitator / Moderator:</u> Mr. Ralph D. Wahnschatt, Economist, Sustainable Energy and Transport Expert.</p> <p><u>Rapporteur:</u> Prof. Marie Thynell, Associate Professor, University of Gothenburg</p>
<p>10:30-11:00</p>	<p>Coffee/Tea Break</p>	

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11:00-12:30	<p>EST PLENARY SESSION 6</p> <p>Country Reporting Session I ~ Reporting/Reviewing Progress towards Implementation of Bangkok 2020 Declaration on EST (2010~2020)</p> <p><i>[Country presentations (using maximum 3~5 informative slides) to focus on – (a) critical challenges encountered, (b) major initiatives and plans, including master plans, undertaken, (c) actual ground achievements made]</i></p>	<p>VIENTIANE INTERNATIONAL MAYORS FORUM (Cont....) 11:00-12:00</p> <p>Session II: Integrated Planning for Sustainable Urban Development – Localizing the SDGs, Addressing the New Urban Agenda</p>
[Venue: Grand Convention Hall (Hall AB)]	<p>Country Presentations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Afghanistan (5 min.) • Armenia (5 min.) • Azerbaijan (5 min.) • Bangladesh (5 min.) • Bhutan (5 min.) • Brunei Darussalam (5 min.) • Cambodia (5 min.) • Georgia (5 min.) • People's Republic of China (5 min.) • Indonesia (5 min.) • India (5 min.) <p><u>Session Chair:</u> Hon. Mr. Mohammadullah Bataash, Minister, Ministry of Transport and Civil Aviation, Afghanistan (tbc)</p> <p><u>Facilitator / Moderator:</u> Prof. Alexiz Kai Hon Lau, Dean Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (tbc)</p> <p><u>Rapporteur:</u> Mr. Robert Earley, Expert, Sustainable Transport & Green Freight (tbc)</p> <p>Expert Comments/Intervention</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Mr. Holger Dalkmann, Director, EMBARQ (tbc) 2) Ms. Frida Youssef, Chief Transport Section, UNCTAD (tbc) 3) Dr. Muhammad Khurshid, DG, SACEP (tbc) 4) UITP (tbc) <p>Open Discussion</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The SDGs as a framework for integrated planning; • Institutional restructuring, cooperation among different offices and the role of Urban Re) development Authorities (URA); • Enhancing local governments transparency and accountability, promoting participatory decision and budgeting practices: Examples from Indonesia, Republic of Korea and/or other countries of Asia; • Tools for managing urban development and management, including software tools for enhancing public involvement in local decision making processes;
12:30-13:30	Networking Lunch	

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13:30-15:00	<p>EST PLENARY SESSION 7</p> <p>Country Reporting Session II ~ Reporting/Reviewing Progress towards Implementation of Bangkok 2020 Declaration on EST (2010~2020)</p> <p><i>[Country presentations (using maximum 3~5 informative slides) to focus on – (a) critical challenges encountered, (b) major initiatives and plans, including master plans, undertaken, (c) actual ground achievements made]</i></p>	<p>VIENTIANE INTERNATIONAL MAYORS FORUM (Cont....) 13:30-14:30</p> <p>Session III: Public Participation in Urban Planning and Development</p>
[Venue: Grand Convention Hall (Hall AB)]	<p>Country Presentations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Islamic Republic of Iran (5 min.) • Japan (5 min.) • Kazakhstan (5 min.) • Republic of Korea (5 min.) • Kyrgyzstan (5 min.) • Lao PDR (5 min.) • Malaysia (5 min.) • Maldives (5 min.) • Mongolia (5 min.) • Myanmar (5 min.) • Nepal (5 min.) <p><u>Session Chair:</u> Hon. Mr. Ohn Winn, Union Minister Ministry of the Natural Resources and Environmental Conservation, Myanmar (tbc)</p> <p><u>Facilitator / Moderator:</u> Mr. Tyrrell Duncan, Technical Advisor for Transport, ADB (tbc)</p> <p><u>Rapporteur:</u> Mr. Charlie Hargroves, Director, Strategic Transitions Group (tbc)</p> <p>Expert Comments/Intervention</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Prof. Surya Raj Acharya, Tribhuvan University, Nepal (tbc) 2) Mr. Todd Litman, Founder and Executive Director, VTPI (tbc) 3) GIZ (tbc) 4) UIC (tbc) <p>Open Discussion</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Traditional and new forms of participatory; • Experiences with public participation in urban planning; • Enhancing transparency in local decision making; • Commitment to the UN Global Compact principles; <p>VIENTIANE INTERNATIONAL MAYORS FORUM (Cont....) 14:30-15:30</p> <p>Session IV: Financing for SDG 11</p> <p>Public investment in infrastructure is important, but there is a need to look into other opportunities, such as domestic resource mobilization, public-private partnership and international cooperation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Addis Ababa Action Agenda: Financing for Development, including ODA, domestic resource mobilization and partnerships; • Public infrastructure financing in urban expansion and development through land value capture (for new cities) and betterment levies (for existing cities); • Institutional cooperation and the role of Urban (Re)development Authorities (URA); • How to access financing available from multilateral development banks.
15:00-15:30	Coffee/Tea Break	

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<p>15:30-17:00</p>	<p>EST PLENARY SESSION 8</p> <p>Country Reporting Session III ~ Reporting/Reviewing Progress towards Implementation of Bangkok 2020 Declaration on EST (2010~2020)</p> <p><i>[Country presentations (using maximum 3~5 informative slides) to focus on – (a) critical challenges encountered, (b) major initiatives and plans, including master plans, undertaken, (c) actual ground achievements made]</i></p>	<p>VIENTIANE INTERNATIONAL MAYORS FORUM (Cont....) 15:30-16:30</p> <p>Session V: Conservation of Urban Cultural and Natural Heritage and Historic Urban Landscapes, Provision of Recreational “Green” and Other Urban Public Spaces</p>
<p><i>[Venue: Grand Convention Hall (Hall AB)]</i></p>	<p>Country Presentations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pakistan (5 min.) • The Philippines (5 min.) • Russian Federation (5 min.) • Singapore (5 min.) • Sri Lanka (5 min.) • Tajikistan (5 min.) • Thailand (5 min.) • Timor-Leste (5 min.) • Turkmenistan (5 min.) • Uzbekistan (5 min.) • Viet Nam (5 min.) <p><u>Session Chair:</u> Hon. Mr. Constanciaoda Conceicao Pinto, Minister, Ministry of Commerce, Industry and Environment, Timor-Leste (tbc)</p> <p><u>Facilitator / Moderator:</u> Prof. Marie Thynell, Associate Professor, University of Gothenburg</p> <p><u>Rapporteur:</u> Mr. Sudhir Gota, Transport Expert (tbc)</p> <p>Expert Comments/Intervention</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Prof. Yoshitaka Motoda, Iwate Prefectural University, Japan (tbc) 2) Mr. Lorenz Gessner, Office Director, KfW (tbc) 3) Mr. Simon Ka Wing Ng, Transport Expert (tbc) 4) ReCAP (tbc) <p>Open Discussion</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Progress and challenges in implementation of UNESCO Conventions of Cultural and Natural Heritage in urban areas; • Conservation of cultural and natural heritage as catalyst for (sustainable urban) tourism; • Programmes and measures to enhance protection of Historic Urban Landscapes; • Recreational zones, parks, green spaces, urban public spaces;

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17:00-18:00	<p>EST PLENARY SESSION 9</p> <p>Insight to Implementation of the Bangkok 2020 Declaration ~ Policy Trends and Developments, Challenges and Opportunities</p>	<p>VIENTIANE INTERNATIONAL MAYORS FORUM (Cont....) 17:00-18:00</p> <p>Session VI: Making Our Cities More Resilient – Implementation of Sendai Framework, Integrating DRR in Urban Planning, Addressing Climate Change Impacts, etc.</p>
[Venue: Grand Convention Hall (Hall AB)]	<p>Background Presentation <i>Insight to Implementation of the Bangkok 2020 Declaration ~ Policy Trends and Developments, Challenges and Opportunities-</i> by Mr. Todd Litman, Founder and Executive Director, Victoria Transport Policy Institute (VTPI), Canada (15 min.)</p> <p>Panel Discussion</p> <p>Discussion Points</p> <p>Open Discussion</p> <p><u>Session Chair:</u> Hon. Mr. Ali Amir, Deputy Minister, Ministry of Environment and Energy, Maldives (tbc)</p> <p><u>Facilitator / Moderator:</u> Mr. Cornie Huizenga, Secretary General, Transport (SLoCaT)</p> <p><u>Rapporteur:</u> Mr. Robert Earley, Expert, Sustainable Transport & Green Freight (tbc)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Implementation of Sendai Framework, integrating disaster risk reduction and resilience, climate change adaptation and mitigation in land use, urban planning and management systems, sectoral planning, etc.; • Building Back Better and Safer: Participatory slum upgrading, settlement planning and building code revision, local materials, local/traditional/indigenous knowledge and practices; • Early warning systems, community-based disaster management; • Nature-based solutions for urban resilience: green/resilient infrastructure, coastal and ecosystem restoration, etc.
19:00-21:00	<p>Signing of the Addendum to Kyoto Declaration for the Promotion of Environmentally Sustainable transport (EST) Towards Realizing Resilient, Smart and Liveable Cities in Asia &</p> <p>NETWORKING RECEPTION Hosted By: Ministry of Public Works and Transport (MPWT), Lao PDR Venue: Don Chan Palace Hotel & Convention</p>	

DAY 3	16 MARCH 2017 (Thursday)	
Time / Room	Provisional Programme	
9:00-10:30	EST PLENARY SESSION 10 Role of Road Safety in Achieving Sustainable Development	
[Venue: Grand Convention Hall (Hall AB)]	<p>Background Presentation</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Economics of road safety – What does it imply under the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development?</i> –by Prof. Jac Wismans, Chalmers University, Sweden (15 min.) <i>Global Plan of Action and regional goals, targets and indicators for achieving SDG target 3.6 to halve the number of global deaths and injuries from road traffic accident by 2020</i> –by Mr. Jonathon Passmore, Technical Lead Violence and Injury Prevention, World Health Organization (WHO) (15 min.) <p>Panel Discussion</p> <p>Discussion Points</p> <p>Open Discussion</p>	<p>Session Chair: Hon. Abdullah Al Islam Jakob, Deputy Minister, Ministry of Environment and Forests (MOEF), Bangladesh (tbc)</p> <p>Facilitator / Moderator: Mr. Jonathon Passmore, Technical Lead Violence and Injury Prevention, WHO</p> <p>Rapporteur: Prof. Surya Raj Acharya, Tribhuvan University, Nepal (tbc)</p>
10:30-11:00	Coffee/Tea Break	
11:00-12:30	EST PLENARY SESSION 11 Green Freight and Logistics in the Context of SDGs (This session emphasis on trade and environment issues, fuel economy and efficient supply chain)	
[Venue: Grand Convention Hall (Hall AB)]	<p>Background Presentation</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Green Freight and Logistics in the Context of SDGs</i> – by Mr. Tali Trigg, Team Leader, Energy Efficiency and Climate Change Mitigation in the Land Transport sector in the ASEAN Region (15 min) <i>Green Freight Transport and Logistics as a Trade Enabler towards Social Progress, Environmental Protection and Climate Change Mitigation</i> –by Ms. Frida Youssef, Chief Transport Section, United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD) (10 min) <i>Railways as the Backbone of Environmentally Sustainable Transport and their Contribution to the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)</i> –by International Union of Railways (UIC) (10 min) <p>Panel Discussion</p> <p>Discussion Points</p> <p>Open Discussion</p>	<p>Session Chair: Hon. Mr. Magnaisuren Sandag, State Secretary, Ministry of Construction & Urban Development, Mongolia (tbc)</p> <p>Facilitator / Moderator: Mr. Tali Trigg, Team Leader, Energy Efficiency and Climate Change Mitigation in the Land Transport sector in the ASEAN Region</p> <p>Rapporteur: Mr. Robert Earley, Expert, Sustainable Transport & Green Freight (tbc)</p>
12:30-13:30	Networking Lunch	

DAY 3	16 MARCH 2017 (Thursday)	
Time / Room	Provisional Programme	
14:30-16:30	<p align="center">ADOPTION OF VIENTIANE DECLARATION ON</p> <p align="center"><i>Sustainable Rural Transport towards</i></p> <p align="center"><i>Achieving the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development</i></p> <p align="center">and</p> <p align="center">CHAIR'S SUMMARY</p>	
<i>[Venue: Grand Convention Hall (Hall AB)]</i>	<p align="center"><u>Chair:</u></p> <p>Hon. Dr. Bounchanh Sinthavong, Minister of Public Works and Transport (MPWT), Lao PDR</p> <p align="center">Facilitator / Moderator: Mr. C.R.C. Mohanty, UNCRD & Mr. Cornie Huizenga, Secretary General, SLoCaT</p>	<p align="center"><u>Rapporteurs:</u></p> <p>Mr. Simon Ka Wing Ng, Transport Expert & Mr. Ganesh Raj Joshi, UNCRD</p>
16:30-17:00	Official Closing Ceremony of the 10th Regional EST Forum in Asia	
<i>[Venue: Grand Convention Hall (Hall AB)]</i>	<p>Closing Remarks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ United Nations Centre for Regional Development (UNCRD) ▪ United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (UN ESCAP) ▪ United Nations Office for Sustainable Development (UNOSD) ▪ Ministry of the Environment (MOE), Japan ▪ Hon. Dr. Bounchanh Sinthavong, Minister of Public Works and Transport (MPWT), Lao PDR 	
17:00-19:00	Technical Field Trip to Chao Anouvong Park	