



**JOINT SHORT SEA SHIPPING AND MOTORWAYS OF THE SEA
FOCAL POINTS AND SHORT SEA PROMOTION CENTRES MEETING
BRUSSELS, 18 DECEMBER 2013**

VENUE: CCAB, MEETING ROOM AB-4C, RUE FROISSART 36 – BRUSSELS

DRAFT AGENDA

START/END OF THE MEETING: 09:00 HRS - 18:00 HRS

MEETING CHAIR: MS MAGDA KOPCZYNSKA, EUROPEAN COMMISSION
HEAD OF UNIT D1 – MARITIME TRANSPORT AND LOGISTICS, DG MOVE

<i>09:00 - 09:30</i>	<i>REGISTRATION & COFFEE</i>
<i>09:30 – 10:00</i>	OPENING SESSION
<i>09:30 – 10:00</i>	<i>Opening by the Commission, followed by addresses by the present and future presidency of the EU</i>

<i>10:00- 12:30</i>	Session I: SHORT SEA SHIPPING (SSS) PROMOTION and ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES
<i>10:00 – 10:30</i>	Item 1. Update on EU policies <i>European Commission</i> Magda Kopczynska, DG MOVE
<i>10:30 – 10:50</i>	Item 2. "ESN, the way forward" – Final results <i>European Shortsea Network</i> Fabien Becquelin, SPC France
<i>10:50 – 11:00</i>	<i>Discussion session on item 2</i>

<i>11:00 – 11:20</i>	Item 3. ESN report "SECA 2015 preparedness" <i>European Shortsea Network</i> Rita Pöntynen, SPC Finland
<i>11:20 – 11:30</i>	Discussion session on item 3
<i>11:30 – 11:50</i>	Item 4. Creating competitive coastal shipping – the Norwegian initiative <i>European Shortsea Network</i> Hans Kristian Haram, SPC Norway
<i>11:50 – 12:10</i>	Item 5. The Italian Ecobonus – Concluding findings Francesco Benevolo, RAM – Rete Autostrade Mediterranee S.p.a.
<i>12:10 – 12:30</i>	Discussion session on items 4 and 5

<i>12:30 – 14:00</i>	Lunch break
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<i>14:00 – 18:00</i>	Session II - Group discussion "Future role and financing of the Shortsea Promotion Centres"
<i>14:00 – 14:10</i>	Short Introduction by the Commission Brigitte Segers, DG MOVE
<i>14:10 - 15:40</i>	Round table 1 – Discussion on the current and future role of the Shortsea Promotion Centres Moderator : DG MOVE
<i>15:40 – 15:50</i>	Conclusions of Round table 1 Magda Kopczynska, DG MOVE

<i>15:50 – 16:10</i>	<i>Coffee break</i>
<i>16:10 – 17:40</i>	Round table 2 – Discussion on the current and future financing of the Shortsea Promotion Centres Moderator : DG MOVE
<i>17:40 – 17:50</i>	Conclusions of Round table 2 Magda Kopczynska, DG MOVE
<i>17:50 – 18:00</i>	Any Other Business
<i>18:00</i>	Closure of the meeting