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« How to improve safety at and around level crossings »
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Haydarpaşa Train Station



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09:00 Meeting at Hotel Double Tree reception for transfer to the conference

09:30 - 10:00 Welcome coffee (*with compliments of OPTEX and TEWPLUS*)

10:00 - 10:30 Press conference

10:30 - 10:35 TCDD and ILCAD awareness videos on level crossing safety

10:35 - 10:55 Short opening by

- Mr. Alexander Kava, Deputy Minister of Infrastructure of Ukraine (5')
- Mr. Jerzy Wisniewski, Director Fundamental Values Dept. of UIC (5')
- Mr. Omer Yildiz, Director General of TCDD (5')

11:00-13:00: 1st session

Moderator: Mr. Martin Gallagher, Chairman UNECE Group of Experts on LC safety

11:00 - 11:20 Mr. Jan Grippenhoven, German Aerospace Center (DLR): *"A human centered perspective on level crossing accidents"*

11:20 - 11:40 Mrs. Virginie Taillandier, SNCF Réseau, France: *"Pedestrians at level crossings"*

11:40 - 12:00 Mrs. Mumbi Kamuri, Rift Valley Railways Kenya/Uganda: *"Rail Safety at Level Crossing in Kenya and Uganda"*

12:00 - 12:20 Mr. Nobuo Nishioka, JR East, and Mr. Kazutaka Matsumaru, JR West, Japan/France: *"Measures to reduce risks at level crossings in Japan"*

12:20 - 12:40 Ms. İlksen Tavsanoğlu, Acting Safety Division Manager, Directorate General of Railway Regulation (DGRR): *"Level Crossing Legislation in Turkey"*

12:40 - 13:00 Mr. Dale Jones and OPTEX (EUROPE) LIMITED and Mr. Dave Farman/TEW: presentation of their product exhibited.

13:00 - 13:15 Questions

13:15 - 14:15 Buffet (*with compliments of TCDD*)

Exhibition: TCDD/ILCAD/industries with posters/videos/goodies

14:15 - 15:35 2nd session: Education/Awareness

Moderator: Mrs. Mumbi Kamuri, Rift Valley Railways Kenya/Uganda

- 14:15 -14:35 Mr. Ergun Yurtcu, Manager of Safety Management System, 3rd Regional Directorate of TCDD: *“Increasing the Level Crossing Awareness in Turkey”*
- 14:35 -14:55 Mr. Tamo Vahemets, Operation Lifesaver, Estonia: *“Awareness campaigns in Estonia”*
- 14:55 -15:15 Mr. Edgar Vilcans/LDZ, Latvia: *“Awareness campaigns in Latvia”*
- 15:15 -15:35 Mr. Sandy Bell-Ashe, and Mr. Robert Cann, Network Rail, UK: *“New approach to level crossing safety awareness in the UK”*

15:35 – 15:50 Questions / Conclusions

15:50 - 17:10 3rd session: analysis, evaluation, risk assessment

Moderator: Mr. Ibrahim Halil Cevik, Director International Relations, TCDD

- 15:50 - 16:10 Mr. Tobias Schaller, FOT, Switzerland: *“Analysis of LC incident data as a basis for a monitoring program”*
- 16:10 - 16:30 Mr. Jarmo Koistinen, TRAFI, Finland: *“Safety evaluation of level crossings in Finland”*
- 16:30 - 16:50 Mr. Martin Gallagher, UNECE GE1 Chairman, UK: *“Risk assessment process at individual crossings”*
- 16:50 - 17:10 Mr. Selahattin Sivrikaya, Head of Permanent Way Department, Turkish State Railways - TCDD, *“Measures to be taken at level crossings and related implementations”*

17:10 – 17:25 Questions / Conclusions

17:45 Departure for the visit (Marmaray tube tunnel)

18:45 End of the visit

19:00 Informal dinner (*with compliments of UIC*)

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