



Hellenic Federation of Road Transports



International Road Transport Union

*Provisional Programme*

**TIR-EPD Seminar**

*Hotel Makedonia Palace, Thessaloniki, 9 April 2015*

09:00 – 09:20	<b>Registration</b>
09:20 – 09:30	<b>Opening speech</b> <i>Mr Apostolos Kenanidis, President, OFAE</i>
09:30 – 09:40	<b>Welcome speech</b> <i>Mr Jens Hügel, Head - Goods Transport &amp; Sustainable Development, IRU</i>
09:40 – 09:50	<b>Welcome speech</b> National Ministry of Transport
09:50 – 10:20	<b>TBD.....</b> <i>Ms Helen Metaxa-Mariatou, Head of Section/Movement and Transit of Goods, Directorate General of Customs and Excise, Greece</i>
10:20 – 10:40	<b>TIR risk management tools – their importance and further development</b> <i>Mr Vakhtang Zarandia, Head – TIR Guarantee Chain Management Department, IRU</i>
10:40 – 11:00	<b>TIR-EPD: a tool for submitting advance information to Customs authorities</b> <i>Ms Tatiana Rey-Bellet, TIR-EPD Project Manager, IRU</i>
11:00 – 11:15	<b>Experience of AMERIT in promoting TIR-EPD in Former Yugoslavian Republic of Macedonia (FYROM)</b> <i>Ms Olivera Miovska, Executive Advisor, AMERIT</i>
11:15 – 11:30	<b>Coffee Break</b>
11:30 – 12:30	<b>Demonstration of TIR-EPD application and practical recommendations</b> <i>Ms Tatiana Rey-Bellet, TIR-EPD Project Manager, IRU</i>
12:30 – 12:45	<b>Questions – answers</b>
12:45 – 14:00	<b>Practical work for transport operators</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Exercises per concrete itineraries</li><li>• Individual support</li><li>• Possibility to submit a real TIR-EPD to Customs authorities</li></ul> <i>Ms Tatiana Rey-Bellet, TIR-EPD Project Manager, IRU</i> <i>Ms Iro Doumani, General Manager, OFAE</i>
14:00 – 15:15	<b>Lunch</b>
15:15 – 15:30	<b>Experience of transport operator in submitting advance information to Customs via TIR-EPD</b> <i>XXXX, transport company, FYROM</i>
15:30 – 15:45	<b>Questions – answers</b>
15:45 – 15:50	<b>Conclusions</b> <i>Ms Iro Doumani, General Manager, OFAE</i>