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The 3196th session of the Council of the European Union **TRANSPORT, TELECOMMUNICATIONS and ENERGY (Transport items only)** - will take place on Monday 29th (09.30) October 2012, in the Kirchberg Conference Centre, Luxembourg, under the presidency of **Mr Efthymios Flourentzou**, Minister for Communication and Works of Cyprus.

The following points will be discussed at this session:

Legislative deliberations

Shipping

- Maritime Labour Convention enforcement package
 - (a) Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive 2009/16/EC on port State control
General approach
 - (b) Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning flag State responsibilities for the enforcement of Council Directive 2009/13/EC implementing the Agreement concluded by the European Community Shipowners' Associations (ECSA) and the European Transport Workers' Federation (ETF) on the Maritime Labour Convention, 2006, and amending Directive 1999/63/EC
General approach

Aviation

- Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on common rules for the allocation of slots at European Union airports (Recast)
General approach

Land transport

- Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Council Regulation (EEC) No 3821/85 on recording equipment in road transport and amending Regulation (EC) No 561/2006 of the European Parliament and the Council ("Tachograph")
Political agreement

- Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on periodic roadworthiness tests for motor vehicles and their trailers and repealing Directive 2009/40/EC
Orientation debate

Non-legislative activities

Aviation

- Proposal for a Council Decision on the signing, on behalf of the Union, and provisional application of the Agreement providing a general framework for enhanced cooperation between the European Union and the European Organisation for the Safety of Air Navigation (Eurocontrol)
Adoption

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Press conference: *The presidency will hold a press conference at the end of the meeting (+/- 17.00).*

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