

## Asia-Pacific Trade Facilitation Forum 2012

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# Enhancing trade facilitation by effective dialogues and joint efforts of public and private sectors

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#### Review of issued discussed

- Turkey: Modernization of customs procedures of border crossing points and data exchange with EU on trade facilitation
- Tajikistan: Modernization of customs administration, progress and challenges for trade facilitation and recommendations
- Mongolia: Paperless trade and public-private collaboration for trade facilitation
- ADB: Standardization of trade related documents in CAREC member countries, efforts by ADB
- CFCFA: Challenges for public-private dialogue from the perspective of CAREC Federation of Carrier & Forwarder Associations



## Tangible progress in trade facilitation (1)

#### Turkey

- Turkey has started the New Computerized Transit
   System (NCTS) in domestic use and will be involved in European NCTS at the end of 2012
- Based on Public-Private Partnership model, there are 22 projects to rebuild customs establishments, and 7 of them are completed.
- Has prepared drafting general instruction of single window
- Agreements with 4 neighbour states have been signed for joint border control
- Legislation for paperless trade has been designed



## Tangible progress in trade facilitation (2)

#### Tajikistan

- Has approved plan for establish single window.
   Contract has been given to a company for implementation. The implementation is supported by CAREC Program, EU and GIZ
- Business Process Analysis on regulatory documents have been made

## Tangible progress in trade facilitation (3)

#### Mongolia

- Has developed Mongolian National Single Window implementation master plan
- Published "The roadmap of doing business in Mongolia"
- Has taken initiatives for monitoring of private sector in the implementation of Electronic Single Window.
- Has taken measures to build trust of the stakeholders and capacity building

## Tangible progress in trade facilitation (4)

- ADB perspective on trade facilitation between Mongolia and China
  - Harmonized customs manifests in the procedure of Joint Customs Control reduced time and cost for traders and reduce incidents for customs violations. It also improved accuracy of data on cross-borer road transport
  - Subregional cooperation provides a neutral platform for countries to agree on equal terms and create consensus on actions (CAREC Customs Cooperation Committee)

### progress in trade facilitation (5)

tive from CAREC Federation Of Forwarder Associations (CFCFA) crossing time along the CAREC rs have been reduced over time or clearance at the border have been ntially reduced over time.



