

**2nd Joint Conference**  
**Greater Tumen Initiative – International Coordinating Council on Trans-**  
**Eurasian Transportation**  
**"Growth Opportunities for Transport Logistics and Supply Chains in**  
**Northeast Asia and Beyond"**  
Moscow (CCTT Secretariat) and online  
February 28, 2024

**CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS**

On February 28, 2024, the 2nd Joint Conference Greater Tumen Initiative – International Coordinating Council on Trans-Eurasian Transportation «Growth Opportunities for Transport Logistics and Supply Chains in Northeast Asia and Beyond» was held.

The Conference was organized in line with a Memorandum of Cooperation between the Greater Tumen Initiative and the International Coordinating Council for Trans-Eurasian Transportation, establishing the basic principles of interaction between the GTI and CCTT and their Secretariats.

Within the framework of the conference representatives of state authorities, regions of Greater Tumen Initiative member states, transport and logistics companies, GTI and CCTT Secretariats with participation of representatives of international organizations and academia discussed the development of transportation links in Northeast Asia and Beyond.

The delegates presented sectoral and business projects in transport and logistics aimed at creating new mutually beneficial possibilities for economic operators and welfare of the population.

The delegates stressed the importance of rail and multimodal transport links as a part of ongoing work on enhancing supply chains in the region as well as strengthening its transport and transit potential. It was noted that the identification

of best practices and exchange of perspectives for the best result should be conducted with the participation of all involved parties (central and local transport authorities, transport, logistics and economy operators) and highly qualified experts. The role of this mutually beneficial dialogue is crucial to achieving the necessary outcomes and ensuring sustainable development.

In this regard the initiative of GTI Secretariat and CCTT Secretariat to establish format of the dialogue where all the involved stakeholders can discuss their visions, ideas, and achievements for the purpose of promotion of development of transportation links and services is very timely and useful.

The delegates underline that due to the importance of transport and logistics links and transport connectivity in North-East Asia some particular items of joint discussions subject to mutual agreement should be considered in the future:

- New logistics services and multimodal solutions in the North-East Asia;
- Digital development in rail and multimodal transportation;
- Sustainable logistics solutions and “Green” technologies in transport sphere;
- Facilitating cooperation between regional economic and logistics sector’s operators for transportation volumes and quality of services growth.

The delegates agree that the outcomes and findings of the Conference should be reported to GTI Transport Board and CCTT Plenary Meeting.

Participants are convinced of the importance of holding joint GTI - CCTT conferences on annual basis.

Done in Moscow in a hybrid format with in-person and online participation, on February 28, 2024.