

The Public Service Obligations (PSO) regulation came into force on 3 December 2009. However, many points remain unclear about its application.

6 months after its entry into force, the UITP EU-Committee and the UTP (French association of urban transport operators and railway undertakings) invite European experts to give their views on the remaining uncertainties of the regulation.

- What **impact** on the European market of urban and rail transport?

- What **consequences** on the contractual relationships between competent authorities and transport operators?

- Will it lead to an **improvement** of quality of service?

7th june 2010



Paris

Maison de la RATP
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Programme

8.30 REGISTRATION

9.00 WELCOME ADDRESS

Pierre Mongin, Chairman and CEO of RATP

OPENING OF THE CONFERENCE

Cyrille du Peloux, President of UTP

INTRODUCTION

Three years after the conference of Barcelona, why this conference?

Josep D. Guardia Canela, former Director of Legal Affairs of TMB (Barcelona)

9.45 CURRENT MARKET DEVELOPMENTS

- European overview

Brigitte Ollier, Director of UITP EuroTeam

- Focus on four countries

- Sweden:

Stenerik Ringqvist, Senior Advisor, EU Affairs, Svensk Kollektivtrafik

- Portugal:

Francisco de Seabra Ferreira, Senior Advisor to the Board, Metropolitano de Lisboa

- Poland:

Robert Maczynski, Assistant to the General Manager, MPK Poznan (tbc)

- Italy:

Alessia Nicotera, Legal Affairs Director, ASSTRA

- Discussion

11.30 COFFEE BREAK

12.00 REMAINING ISSUES WITH THE APPLICATION OF PSO REGULATION

- Still some uncertainties!

Thomas Avanzata, Consultant

- What is the European Commission doing to help?

Salvatore D'Acunto, Head of Unit, DG TREN, European Commission

- Discussion

13.00 LUNCH

14.30 IMPACT OF THE PSO REGULATION ON THE OPENING OF THE RAIL MARKET IN EUROPE

- **Bernhard Wewers**, President of the Bundesarbeitsgemeinschaft der Aufgabenträger des SPNV (association of German competent authorities for regional rail transport)

- **Cyrille du Peloux**, President of UTP

- Discussion

15.30 THE PSO REGULATION: A TOOL TO IMPROVE PUBLIC TRANSPORT?

Facing the current crisis, public transport must make a better use of the resources currently at its disposal. Will the PSO Regulation be fruitful in improving the efficiency and quality of public transport services?

INTRODUCTION

The PSO regulation from an economical point of view
Andrew Meaney, Managing Consultant, Oxera

ROUND TABLE

chaired by **Alain Flausch**, President of UITP

- **Michel Bleitrach**, CEO of Keolis
- **Elio Cosimo Catania**, CEO of ATM, Milan (tbc)
- **Tony Depledge**, President of the UITP EU-Committee
- **Gilles Savary**, former MEP, member of the TRAN Committee, and Vice-president of the Conseil Général of Gironde
- **Coen Volp**, President of the UITP assembly of Organising Authorities

- Discussion

17.00 CLOSURE OF THE CONFERENCE

Tony Depledge, President of the UITP EU-Committee

17.15 END OF THE CONFERENCE

20.00 DINNER OFFERED BY UTP

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Registration form and practical information

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Monday
7th June 2010

Practical information

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Languages of the conference
Simultaneous interpretation will be provided in English, French and German. Passive languages: Italian and Spanish.

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