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**Fourth European Conference
Public service contracts in the European Union and contractual
relationships
– current experiences and future developments
Barcelona, 23 October 2007**

SPEAKERS' PRESENTATIONS (TOP)

Opening and introduction of the conference

Assumpta ESCARP, Councillor for Prevention, Security and Mobility, representative of Barcelona City Hall, and President of TMB
Hans RAT, Secretary General of UITP
Guido DEL MESE, President of the UITP EU Committee

Workshop 1: The national legal frameworks - What will change due to the European regulation? (Presentation of the main consequences from a national perspective, Will the national law have to be adapted? ..) (Top)

Moderator: Josep GUARDIA CANELA, Director de l'Asesoria Juridica, TMB, Barcelona (Powerpoint)

Jean-Marc VANDENBROUCKE, Belgium (Powerpoint)
Bruno GAZEAU, France (Powerpoint)
Adolf MÜLLER HELLMANN, Germany (Powerpoint)
Attila ANTAL, Hungary (Text)
Alberto RHO, Italy (Powerpoint)
Willem LELY, Netherlands (Powerpoint)
Francisco de SEABRA FERREIRA, Portugal (Powerpoint)
Steve NEWSOME, United Kingdom (Powerpoint)

Workshop 2: Contracting and main consequences of the new regulation on PSO:

Moderator: Brigitte OLLIER, Director of UITP-EuroTeam

Concrete distinction between public procurement and concessions as covered by the regulation on Public Service Obligations: The example of France ([Powerpoint](#))

Valérie BEAUDOUIN, Head of the legal department, UTP, the French association of public transport undertakings

Transformation process of a public operator (with direct award) into an operator active on the European market: The example of Lérida (Spain) ([Powerpoint](#))

Miguel MARTÍ ESCURSELL, Consejero Delegado del Grupo SARBUS

The new regulation within the context of stricter national legislation: The example of Italy ([Powerpoint](#))

Alessia NICOTERA, Head of legal and general affairs service of ASSTRA, the Italian association of public transport undertakings

High quality public transport – how to achieve it by tendering? The example of Sweden ([Powerpoint](#))

Bernt NIELSEN, Senior adviser of SLTF, the Swedish association of organising authorities

Workshop 3: Innovative contracts from an operator's perspective

Moderador: Constantí SERRALLONGA TINTORE, Consejero Delegado, TMB

New infrastructure development and operation through private operators – concession contracts and BOT ([Powerpoint](#))

François-Xavier PERIN, Deputy director general, Transdev

Integrated network coordination and operation by a private operator ([Powerpoint](#))

René DE BEER, Chief Operating Officer, the example of Limburg (Netherlands), Veolia

How can the entrepreneurial spirit and innovation capacity of operators be best fostered to the advantage of passengers?—what is important? The example of rail tendering/contracts ([Powerpoint](#))

([Powerpoint](#))

Veit SALZMANN, Director, Hessische Landesbahn, Germany

Developing public transport services without financial compensation: The example of Krakow (Poland) ([Powerpoint](#))

Zbigniew PALENICA, Vice-President of the Board & Finance Manager, Miejskie Przedsiębiorstwo Komunikacyjne SA (MPK)

Workshop 4: What share of responsibility between the authority and the operator?

Moderador: Philippe SEGRETAIN, Honorary President of UITP EU-Committee

Presentation of Short film/interview from ([Video](#))
Peter BATCHELOR, Transport Minister of the state of Victoria - Australia,
Bernie CAROLAN, Director of Metlink.

Reaction from
Dr Claudio MASI, President of the Organising Authorities Committee of UITP; President and CEO
of the Mobility and Environment Agency of Milan.
Keith BASTOW, Director New Business Development ARRIVA Plc

Discussion and adoption of a recommendation from operator's side (from the conference
participants)

Conclusion and closure

Josep GUARDIA CANELA, Director de l'Asesoria Juridica, TMB
Guido DEL MESE, President of the UITP EU-Committee

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