

## SUB-SESSION - 3

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### Recovery of Ports – Transport and Logistics Crisis

#### Importance of the topic:

There is an increased need to realistically identify the current circumstances of the domestic and international transportation and logistics situation caused by the COVID-19 pandemic outbreak. It is crucial to strengthen cooperation between the public and private sectors in the successful implementation of road and railway infrastructure projects to ensure the coordination of new transport infrastructure and increase the capacity of border crossings.

#### Purpose of the discussion:

The main objectives of the open session on “Recovery of Ports - Transportation and Logistics Crisis” are to determine the solutions to challenges in the transport and logistics sectors in the medium term, to involve the public and private sectors as well as foreign and domestic investors, and to develop an optimal solution that reflects the views of experts and other stakeholders in creating a harmonized transport and logistics network.

It also aims to develop a legal environment that supports private investments in the implementation of projects and programs aimed at improving transport and logistics capacity, increasing the efficiency of transport corridors to support regional social and economic development. The discussion will also aim to support the expansion of foreign and domestic tourism through the effective implementation of air transport sector liberalization and contribute to the recovery of the country's economy through inter-sectoral cooperation.

#### Expected outcome of the discussion:

It is expected to jointly identify the effective ways to implement sectoral policies of the transport and logistics sectors for further realization under the Public-Private Partnership schemes and to find the optimal solutions for the establishment of a legal and investment environment that encourages and supports the private sector engagement.

## МОДЕРАТОР



### MUNKHSOYOL BAATARJAV

CEO, Institute of National Strategy

Ms. Munkhsoyol is the CEO of the Institute for National Strategy. This nonprofit and nongovernmental organization implements the "Green City Action Plan" project that EBRD funds in cooperation with international consulting companies. She was a local team leader. She worked as a commentator on the economy for Mongol HD TV in 2017-2019. In recent years she worked as a senior consultant on Public Finance Management for the Energy Efficiency Project of the German International Cooperation Agency (GIZ) and as an expert for the Governance and Public Finances Management Sector Review of the EU.

Before joining INS and GIZ, in 2002-2013, she worked at the Open Society Forum Foundation. This nonprofit and nongovernmental organization aims to encourage public participation in policymaking and support quality research and analysis to inform decision-making. She has over twenty years of experience conducting and supervising economic and business development research and policy analysis, projects, and programs. She is an organizer of the "Economic Club of Mongolia" meeting, which aims to create a platform for the public to discuss various socio-economic issues.

She also worked as a senior professional on several development projects such as the Gobi Regional Economic Growth Initiative, funded by USAID, and the Poverty Research and Employment Facilitation for Policy Development, funded by UNDP/SIDA and Ministry of Social Welfare and Labour. She was a lecturer at the Mongolian University of Science and Technology, teaching marketing and finance.

Ms. Munkhsoyol's background is in economics, business administration, and international finance. She holds an MBA from the Asian Institute of Technology in Thailand and an MSc from the European School of Management in France. She completed her Hubert Humphrey Fellowship Program at Michigan State University in 2011. She traveled around 40 countries to study and present and participate in various meetings, seminars, and conferences.

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### **BYAMBATSOGT SANDAG**

Member of Parliament, Chairman  
of the standing committee on  
legal affairs

Byambatsogt Sandag was first elected to the parliament in 2008, thus starting his service as lawmaker. Altogether, he's been elected as a member of Parliament four times. During his tenure as a member of the State Great Khural, he was the Chairman of the Mongolian People's Party Caucus in the State Great Khural in 2013-2016, Minister for Justice and Home Affairs, Member of the Government of Mongolia in 2016-2017, Chairman of the Standing Committee on State Structure of the State Great Khural in 2019-2020. Since 2020, he's been working as the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Legal Affairs of the parliament.

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### **BAT-ERDENE JALAVSUREN**

Vice Minister of Road and  
Transport Development

HE the Vice Minister of Road and Transport Development, Bat-Erdene Jalavsuren, was born in Baruun-Urt soum of Sukhbaatar province of Mongolia in 1969.

He started his career as an engineer and programmer at Argamag Systems LLC in 1993 and worked as a specialist, senior specialist, and Head of Department at the Ministry of Infrastructure Development from 1996 to 2004. From 2004 to 2012, he acted as a Deputy Chairman and Chairman of the Information, Communication and Technology Agency, and from 2012 to 2015, he was the CEO of Telecom Mongolia. During 2015 - 2018, he served as the State Secretary of the Ministry of Road and Transport Development of Mongolia, and since July 2020, he is serving as the Vice Minister of Road and Transport Development.

HE the Vice Minister Bat-Erdene Jalavsuren graduated from the Novosibirsk State Technical University in the Russian Federation as a Systems Engineer in 1993. He also studied at the Information Technology Institute of Dortmund, Germany as an Information Technology Consultant and Administrative Methodologist in 2000. Furthermore, he earned a postgraduate degree in IT Security in 2001 in the United States. Mr. Bat-Erdene is currently a PhD candidate and Honorary Professor at the University of Science and Technology of Mongolia and has a Consulting Engineer Certificate in Information and Communication Technology.

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### **NARANTSOGT SANJAA**

Vice Minister of Economy and Development

HE the Vice Minister of Economy and Development, Narantsogt Sanjaa has worked for Institute of Mathematics of the Academy of Sciences as Assistant Researcher, as an Engineer and Senior Engineer for the Science Information Center, Program Coordinator for the Mongolian Open Society Institute, Consultant for Ministry of Defense, Specialist for the Ministry of Finance, Head of Department for the same Ministry. He was appointed as the Vice Minister of Economy and Development in January 2022.

HE the Vice Minister, Mr. Narantsogt graduated from the School of Physics and Mathematics, the National University of Mongolia with a Bachelor in Physics and Mathematics. Further, he obtained a Master's degree from the School of Physics and Mathematics of the National University of Mongolia. In 2008, he obtained PhD in Engineering and Economics from the Seoul National University, South Korea.

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### **ORGIL GANSUKH**

Chairman of the Board of the  
Mongolian Association of Freight  
Forwarders

Mr. Orgil Gansukh, Chairman of Mongolian Freight Forwarders Association, has been a member of the Board of Directors of the Association since 2016 and has been elected as Chairman of the Board since 2020.

He worked in MCS Group in charge of Procurement and Logistics of their Mining projects.

Since 2012, he has been working for New Logistics LLC, which provides integrated transport, logistics, and customs services.

Mr. Orgil graduated from the University of Science and Technology with a bachelor's degree in International Transport Management. He holds a Master's degree in Transportation Management/ Logistics Management from the University of Sydney, Australia.

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### **KHULAN ODGEREL**

Founder and General Manager,  
DHL Global Forwarding Mongol  
LLC

Mrs. Khulan started her career as an Office Manager Department of Public administration, MFA in 2000. She then worked as a Diplomat & Official passport & Visa officer, Consular section, MFA. In 2007, she founded DHL Global Forwarding Mongolia and since has been working as a General Manager of the company. In 2010, she founded Passport Express International Mongolia Co Ltd and has been working as the CEO.

She is also the Founder and Present Board Member of the Down Syndrome Association of Mongolia and the Teacher of Happiness Program.

Mrs. Khulan obtained a BBA degree from The Academy of Economics Studies of Bucharest, Romania in 2005, earned a Postgraduate in International Business Administration from the University of Northumbria Newcastle, UK and an MBA from the University of Wales, Cardiff, UK

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### **ADIYA OYUNGEREL**

Executive director of the American Chamber of Commerce in Mongolia

Mr. Adiya Oyungerel has extensive work experience in international organizations – the UN, EBRD, UNDP project at the Ministry of Finance and Economics; the government – Cabinet Secretariat; and the private sector – Oyu Tolgoi. He is specialized in stakeholder engagement, government relations, and policy advocacy. He is the Executive Officer of AmCham and has been working at the Chamber for the last 7 years.

Mr. Adiya obtained an MBA from the University of Sheffield, the UK; and a Master's degree in Public Management from the University of Potsdam, Germany.