



*Permanent Delegation of Turkey
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The Ambassador*

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Dear Mr. Ruete,

Dear Matthias,

The relevant institutions in Turkey are closely following the developments on Trans-European Network Transport (TEN-T) policy of the EU and the related work undertaken by the Commission to review the policy guidelines. In this framework, the Green Paper "TEN-T: A Policy Review – Towards a Better Integrated Trans-European Transport Network at the Service of the Common Transport Policy" has been studied by our authorities with great interest.

As a part of the consultation process, I would like to transmit the view of the Ministry of Transportation of Turkey, as well as the Secretariat General for EU Affairs that, among the structural options proposed in the Green Paper, "the Dual Layer: Comprehensive Network and Core Network" would be the best option to be adopted for the future shaping of the TEN-T.

I would appreciate it if you could share this information with your related services working on the outcome of the consultation process of the Green Paper.

Yours sincerely,

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