



# European Short Sea Network Annual Meeting May 2018, Varna, Bulgaria

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Agenda version 1.0

- Future of the SPCs. View point of DG MOVE Directorate D /D1 Maritime Transport and Logistics. SPCs actions in the new situation;
- Varna Declaration on Strengthening Short Sea Shipping Centers- Letters to TRAN Committee, Commissioner BULC, Maritime Directors, e t c.;
- Taking decisions and adopting an opinion- ESN / SPCs State Point- Memorandum on European Maritime Transport Strategy 2019-2028 and new role of European Short Sea Shipping Centers;
- Discussion and adoption of state point on inclusion of SSS to neighboring countries as a major component of the next European Maritime Transport Strategy 2019-2028;
- Setting up Regional cooperation trough SPCs Regional Committees as Short Sea Shipping Clusters- Baltic, Atlantic, West/EastMed, Black Sea (1) as Short Sea Shipping Clusters or (2) as Regional SSS / M o S Development Centers;
- ESN/SPCs State point on ECA Impact: Disproportions in the development of Short Sea Shipping in European Sea Regions–Baltic/North Sea, Atlantic, Med, Black Sea;
- New membership in ESN of organizations similar to SPCs from Belgium, France, Netherlands. New members of the ESN: New SPCs from Ukraine, Georgia, e t c.;
- Nomination of the next Chairman of European Shipping Network for June-December 2018.

