



ATLANTIC
CORRIDOR

16th TAG-RAG meeting

Bilbao, March 13th, 2019

RU input

Regional activities

RUs welcome various regional activities on the corridor to improve productivity of railfreight traffic

Initiatives of the RFC

- Hendaye/Irun
- Forbach/Saarbrücken

Initiatives of AVEP

- Focus on Spain and Portugal
- Focus on TEN-T parameters (+ loading gauge)

Information
Coordination
Consultation

Regional activities

DE/FR

- Pilot on IT assisted communication
- German as second language on the French section even beyond 31/12/2019 (requirement of TSI OPE art. 4.2.1.5)
- Redefinition of Forbach-Saarbrücken border section to include Saarbrücken RBf (interesting for RUs and foreseen by 4th railway package)
- Regional WG on operational topics

Regional activities

FR/ES

- Analysis of Irun/Hendaye border
- First results?

ES/PT

- AVEP EEIG established, targets: improve productivity on borders
influence/foster/address investments
- RUs would like to be involved and consulted
- Is RFC involved and consulted?

Monitoring of PaP and TCR quality

- Did the number of PaPs increase?
- Were TCRs considered during PaP construction for TT 2020?
- Have TCRs been harmonized across the borders?

Quality monitoring
and improvement

Future of the TTR pilot on RFC Atlantic

- Delay by 1 year confirmed?
- Future Working Group structure?
- Closer involvement of RUs
- IT tool?

Commitment
Consultation

IT landscape

SIPH

- Compatibility SIPH
- Interfaces PCS – SIPH – GESICO
- WS on French IT landscape for timetabling foreseen?

PCS

- French user manual
- New timeline for envelope concept
- Further training (also on basics, not only on new features), maybe on-line training?
- Reprogramming of correct hand-over points
- Cuts at the borders to be avoided



Information

Infrastructure development

Loading gauge

COOPERE subgroup on loading gauge

- Gauge desired by RUs well defined
- Many current traffics risk stricter evaluation
- Line measurements by SNCF Fret: will results be considered?

Standard track gauge in Spain

- Map rendering like on RFC6 possible (CIP)?

Involvement and
keeping in focus

Infrastructure development

Train length in Spain

- Needs specific additional attention

ERTMS

- Map rendering in CIP possible? (Corridor sections / timing / ERTMS-standard)
- COOPERE subgroup established?

Involvement and
keeping in focus

Sector activities

Xborder

Issue Logbook Priorities

Contingency Management handbook for RUs

Information