

**Call title: FP7-TRANSPORT (TPT)-2010-RTD-1**

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- **Date of publication:** 30 July 2009
- **Deadline<sup>1</sup>:** 14 January 2010 at 17.00.00 (Brussels local time)
- **Indicative budget<sup>2</sup>:** EUR 6 million  
The budget for this call is indicative. The final budget of the call may vary by up to 10% of the total value of the indicated budget for the call.
- **Topics called:**

<b>Activity / Area</b>	<b>Topics called</b>	<b>Funding Schemes</b>
<b>HORIZONTAL ACTIVITIES FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF THE TRANSPORT PROGRAMME</b>		
<b>Socio-economic research and technology foresight</b>	TPT.2010-1. Global challenges in a long term perspective: 2030-2050	CSA-SA (supporting)
	TPT.2010-2. Prospects on upcoming global competition for the European transport industry on clean transport systems	CSA-SA (supporting)
	TPT.2010-3. Exploring future transport paradigms beyond 2050	CSA-SA (supporting)
<b>Integration of transport modes and cross-cutting research</b>	TPT.2010-4. Optimisation and integration of R&D efforts for transport of passengers by enhanced intermodality	CP-FP (small or medium-scale focused research), CSA-SA (supporting)
	TPT.2010-5. Demand/supply management and logistics for transport of passengers through increased co-modality and understanding of social behaviour	CP-FP (small or medium-scale focused research), CSA-SA (supporting), BSG-CSO
	TPT.2010-6. Alternative fuels in transport	CSA-SA (supporting), CSA-CA (coordinating), CP-SICA
	TPT.2010-7. Noise mitigation research in transport: coordination of research and strategies	CSA-CA (coordinating)
<b>Strengthening the European Research Area and encouraging participation</b>	TPT.2010-8. Analysis of the state of ERA development within the transport domain	CSA-SA (supporting)
	TPT.2010-9. Market uptake of transport research and role of actors and regions	CSA-SA (supporting)

<sup>1</sup> The Director-General responsible may delay this deadline by up to two months.

<sup>2</sup> Under the condition that the preliminary draft budget for 2010 is adopted without modifications by the budget authority.

<b>Dissemination and awareness of research results</b>	TPT.2010-10. Supporting the organisation of conferences or events of special relevance to the European transport sector	CSA (supporting)
	TPT.2010-11. Environmental transport database	CSA (supporting)

- **Eligibility conditions:**

- The general eligibility criteria are set out in Annex 2 of this work programme, and in the guide for applicants. Please note that the completeness criterion also includes that part B of the proposal shall be readable, accessible and printable.
- Table of standard minimum number of participating legal entities for all funding schemes used in the call, in line with the Rules for Participation:

<b>Funding scheme</b>	<b>Minimum conditions</b>
Collaborative Projects	At least 3 independent legal entities, each of which is established in a MS or AC, and no 2 of which are established in the same MS or AC
Collaborative Project for specific cooperation actions (SICA) dedicated to international cooperation partner countries	At least 4 independent legal entities. Of these, 2 must be established in different MS or AC. The other 2 must be established in different international cooperation partner countries (ICPC).
Coordination and Support Actions (coordinating action)	At least 3 independent legal entities, each of which is established in a MS or AC, and no 2 of which are established in the same MS or AC
Coordination and Support Actions (supporting action)	At least 1 independent legal entity.
Research for the benefit of specific groups	At least 3 independent legal entities, each of which is established in a MS or AC, and no 2 of which are established in the same MS or AC. At least 1 of the legal entities has to be a civil society organisation (CSO).

- The following additional eligibility criterion apply in this call: Maximum requested Community contribution to CP-FP and CP-SICA projects is limited to EUR 1.5 million per project.
- Only information provided in part A of the proposal will be used to determine whether the proposal is eligible with respect to budget thresholds and/or minimum number of eligible participants.

- **Evaluation procedure:**

- The evaluation criteria and scoring scheme are set out in Annex 2 of the work programme.
- Proposal page limits: Applicants must ensure that proposals conform to the page limits and layout given in the Guide for Applicants, and in the proposal part B template available through the EPSS.

- The Commission will instruct the experts to disregard any pages exceeding these limits.
  - The minimum font size allowed is 11 points. The page size is A4, and all margins (top, bottom, left, right) should be at least 15 mm (not including any footers or headers).
  - The evaluation shall follow a single stage procedure.
  - Proposals may not be evaluated remotely.
  - The procedure for prioritising proposals with equal scores is described in Annex 2 of the work programme.
  - No hearings are foreseen.
- **Indicative timetable:**
    - Intended period for evaluation / panel meetings: From 1<sup>st</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> March 2010.
    - Intended start date of grant agreement negotiations: June 2010
  - **Consortia agreements:** participants in Collaborative Projects are required to conclude a consortium agreement; participants in Coordination and Support Actions are encouraged, but not required, to conclude a consortium agreement.
  - The forms of grants and maximum reimbursement rates which will be offered are specified in Annex 3 to the Cooperation work programme.

In accordance with Annex 3 of this work programme, this call provides for the possibility to use flat rates to cover subsistence costs incurred by beneficiaries during travel carried out within grants for indirect actions. For further information, see the relevant Guides for Applicants for this call. The applicable flat rates are available at the following website: [http://cordis.europa.eu/fp7/find-doc\\_en.html](http://cordis.europa.eu/fp7/find-doc_en.html) under 'Guidance documents/Flat rates for daily allowances'.