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AGENDA

09:00 – 09:30	Registration	
09:30 – 09:55	Welcome Addresses Ms. Nargis Wieck, Executive Director, AHK Azerbaijan Mr. Mikayil Jabbarov, Minister of Economy of the Republic of Azerbaijan (TBC) H.E. Mr. Dirk Lölke, Ambassador of the Federal Republic of Germany to the Republic of Azerbaijan Mr. Parviz Shahbazov, Minister of Energy of the Republic of Azerbaijan	
09:55 – 11:00	Welcome Remarks Mr. Valeh Alasgarov, Chairman, Alat Free Economic Zone Authority - CEO, Azer Turk Bank (ATB) Mr. Wolfgang Meier, President, CEO, Silkway West Airlines Dr. Frederik Doyé, Senior Vice President and Head of Europe, Siemens Energy (TBC)	
11:00 – 11:40	Panel I: Infrastructure and Energy - Powering Sustainable Connectivity <i>Hosted by: Azer Turk Bank</i> Moderated by: Mr. Farid Guliyev , Deputy Chairman of the Management Board, Chief Commercial Officer, Azer Turk Bank (ATB) Panelists Mr. Oliver Hill, Senior Vice President and Head of Corporate Development, Chief Representative of VNG AG Ms. Hayala Nagiyeva, Chief Financial Officer, Azerbaijan Green Energy Company (AGEC) - Representative, Green Energy Corridor Power Company (GECO) (TBC)	
11:40 – 12:10	Coffee Break - Foyer	Press Conference - Amburan Hall
12:10 – 12:50	Panel II: Catalyzing Investment in Azerbaijan: The Role of MDBs & ECAs <i>Hosted by: Commerzbank</i> Moderated by: Mr. Michael Schwarz , Director - Global Import Markets, Structured Export & Trade Finance, Commerzbank AG Panelists Ms. Sunniya Durrani-Jamal, Country Director, Asian Development Bank (ADB) Ms. Gerlind Heckmann, Deputy Director General VB, German Federal Ministry for Economic Affairs and Energy (BMWE) Mr. Kamil Allahverdiyev, Director of Treasury, Pasha Bank - Representative, Ministry of Economy of the Republic of Azerbaijan (TBC)	
12:50 – 14:00	Networking Lunch - Foyer	

14:00 – 14:20	Keynote Speech Mr. Rashad Nabiyev, Minister of Digital Development and Transport of the Republic of Azerbaijan
14:20 – 15:00	Panel III: Transport & Logistics - The Middle Corridor: Azerbaijan's Strategic Role and Partnerships <i>Hosted by: Rhenus Logistics</i> <i>Moderated by: Ms. Alexandra Ogneva</i>, Project Lead Eastern Europe, South Caucasus and Central Asia (EECCA), Rhenus Logistics <i>Panelists</i> • Mr. Heinrich Kerstgens, Corporate Representative, Director of the Board Project of the Rhenus Group • Mr. Emil Mammadov, Advisor to the Chairman, Azerbaijan Railways • Mr. Frank Busse, Vice President Europe at Hamburg Port Consulting (HPC) • Representative, Port of Baku • Representative, Azerbaijan Transport and Communication Holding (AZCON) (TBC) • Representative, Ministry of Digital Development and Transport, Republic of Azerbaijan (TBC)
15:00 – 15:40	Panel IV: Digitalization - Building the Digital Corridor <i>Moderated by: Pasha Holding</i> <i>Panelists</i> • Mr. Rashad Hasanov, Deputy Minister of Digital Development and Transport of the Republic of Azerbaijan • Representative, Pasha Holding • Representative, PwC • Ms. Ana Nakashidze, CEO, AzerTelecom • Representative, Azerbaijan Transport and Communication Holding (AZCON) (TBC)
15:40 – 15:50	Closing Remarks - Sharg Hall I

B2G Round Table Sessions

15:50-16:50	Transport, Logistics Infrastructure - Sharg Hall II <i>Discussion Topics:</i> • The Middle Corridor as a Global Trade Gateway: Transport Infrastructure for the Future • Resilient Supply Chains Through Smart Multimodal Connectivity • Mobilizing Private Capital: Public–Private Partnerships for Strategic Infrastructure Development
15:50-16:50	Accelerating the Green Energy Transition - Sharg Hall II <i>Discussion Topics:</i> • Renewable Energy Production and Transmission • Electrification of Transport and Logistics Infrastructure • Decarbonization Strategies and ESG-Aligned Financing
15:50-16:50	Digitalization & Trade - Sharg Hall II <i>Discussion Topics:</i> • Accelerating Digital Transformation Across Government, State-Owned Enterprises, and Industry • Smart Borders: Digital Customs, Trade Facilitation, and Regulatory Harmonization • Strengthening Cybersecurity, Data Governance, and Digital Trust Along the Middle Corridor