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CHAIR             Ukraine Logistics Cluster

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ACTION POINTS
• The Logistics Cluster to update partners on fuel provision processes as available.

AGENDA
1. Fuel update
2. Update on border crossing points
3. Log:IE
4. Situation update
5. AOB

1. Fuel update

• In the last week there has been rapid deterioration in fuel availability across the country, impacting the operational capacity of responding organisations.

• WFP confirmed that UNHCR has existing agreements with two fuel suppliers. This agreement can also be made available to other UN partners. Partners to contact Ukraine.logisticscluster@wfp.org for further information.

• The Logistics Cluster is coordinating with WFP and Fuel Relief Fund, on viable solutions which would then be made available to the humanitarian community at key hubs across the country. Given the dynamic situation, planning remains ongoing and regular updates will be provided.

• WFP has augmented staffing to address fuel issues and has a focal point in country. A short questionnaire on organisational fuel requirements will be disseminated to partners to support operational planning. Further updates on both modalities, processes and timing relating to fuel provision will be provided by the Logistics Cluster via the mailing list and WhatsApp group as soon as available.

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2. Update on border crossing points

- There are reports of congestion at border crossings into Ukraine. WFP provided an update noting that congestion appears to be related to an uptick in the volume of commercial cargo. Fuel shortages within Ukraine are also complicating crossing for long-distance transport services. Partners can find information on waiting times here.
- The Logistics Cluster is working together with partners to continue to monitor, assess and obtain up-to-date information on border crossing points and will share with partners as this becomes available. Regular presentations will also be provided during the weekly coordination meetings.
- Organisations with updates are encouraged to reach out to Ukraine.logisticscluster@wfp.org for further information.

3. Log:IE

- An overview was provided of the Logistics Information Exchange (Log:IE) platform – a Logistics Cluster tool developed at the global level that enables access to comprehensive country-specific infrastructure, logistics capacity information and situation monitoring.
- In specific relation to the Ukraine response, the tool’s interactive map is currently displaying the cluster’s Concept of Operations (ConOps). The team has also been working closely with WFP and OCHA on the rollout out of Log:IE tools to collect information from humanitarian partners on physical road access constraints and storage capacities.
- Detailed information sessions on the latter two will be held on 17 and 18 May. Interested organisations are encouraged to reach out Ukraine.logisticscluster@wfp.org for further information.

4. Situation update

COORDINATION AND INFORMATION MANAGEMENT

- The Concept of Operations (ConOps) document has been updated for May; available here. Partners are reminded that this is a live document and activities will be adapted and revised as the situation unfolds and further assessment results become available.
- Iberia is offering in-kind air transport from Spain to Poland at the end of May to support humanitarian organisations responding to the Ukraine crisis. Interested partners to express interest by 16 May COB. Please contact ukraine.logisticscluster@wfp.org for further details.
- A fast-tracked Gaps and Needs Analysis (GNA) exercise has begun to better identify current challenges and strengthen operational support throughout Ukraine.
- The next Medical Logistics Working Group meeting will take place on 16 May, 13:00 (Kyiv time). Interested partners can contact ukraine.logisticscluster@wfp.org for further information.
A virtual Logistics Cluster induction training will take place on 12 May, 16:00 (Kyiv time). The training is an opportunity for new Logistics Cluster partners to ask questions and familiarise themselves with the Logistics Cluster, its mandate and how it operates in Ukraine.

**COMMON SERVICES**

- Based on identified needs, the cluster expanded its common storage services to include warehousing in Ternopil, now available to partners. Overall, the Logistics Cluster is facilitating access to common storage services on a free-to-user basis in the following locations in Ukraine: Chernivtsi, Dnipro, Kropyvnytskyi, Kyiv, Lviv, Odesa and Ternopil.
- The Logistics Cluster is also facilitating access to common road transport services. The services are available at no-cost-to-user to ship cargo between the common storage services.
- To support inter-agency humanitarian convoys organised out of Dnipro, the Logistics Cluster is facilitating cargo consolidation and access to a dedicated fleet of trucks.

5. **Any Other Business (AOB)**

- For any specific information about the activities ran by the Ukraine Logistics Cluster support team, please contact ukraine.logisticscluster@wfp.org.

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