Introduction
Increasing numbers of people in both developed and Low- and Middle-Income Countries (LMICs) are choosing to use Powered Two Wheelers (PTW). To secure safe and sustainable use of this low-polluting and low-congesting mode of personal mobility, transport planning policies need to integrate PTW-use and recognise the benefits that PTWs make in society, business and emergency transport.

According to the Global Status Reports by the WHO, the proportion of PTW user fatalities increased from 23% to 28% of all traffic fatalities globally between 2013 and 2016. Urgent action is needed to reverse this trend. Integrating PTW Safety policy requires immediate attention at all levels: international, regional, national, and local.

Goal and Approach of the Side Event
The goal of the Side Event is to translate the problems and ideas into actions involving the upcoming 3rd Global Ministerial Conference on Road Safety, the relevant forums, groups and stakeholders.

After an introduction, a roundtable discussion is held with global institutional experts, governments, industry, user organisations, road safety experts and other key stakeholders, moderated by Professor Fred Wegman.

Organiser

Confirmed Participants
1. Minister Angela María Orozco Gómez, Minister of Transport, Colombia
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3. Prof. Anders Lie, Special Advisor, Swedish Ministry of Infrastructure
4. Dr Nhan Tran, Coordinator Unintentional Injury Prevention Unit, World Health Organisation (WHO)
5. Prof. Fred Wegman. Professor Emeritus Traffic Safety at Delft University of Technology, Chairman of IRTAD – International Traffic Safety Data and Analysis Group
6. Mr Ferry Smith, Steering Committee International Road Assessment Programme (iRAP) and Chair EuroRAP
7. Mr Andrew McKellar, Secretary General, FIA Mobility
8. Mr Jesper Christensen, Director of Public Affairs, International Federation of Motorcyclists (FIM)
9. Mrs Susanna Zammataro, Executive Director, International Road Federation (IRF)
10. Mrs Veronique Feypell de la Beaumelle, International Transport Forum
11. Mr Andi Hartanto, Secretary General of the Federation of Asian Motorcycle Industries (FAMI)
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