**The Single Railway network will modernise Europe’s transport, say MEPs**

Stockshots – Signe Railway Network

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**Script Version:** 1

**Locations:** Brussels, Belgium, Strasbourg, France

**Dates Shot:** November 14, 2011; November 5, 2012

**Sound:** natural

**Duration:** 02:03

**Source:** S&D group

**Restriction:** none

**Intro**

*Brussels, 28th of April.* After years of negotiations, the European Parliament and the Council of the EU have finally agreed on reforms to Europe's railway network so that there will be no more technical differences between EU member states and passengers will be able to travel between different European cities with a single ticket.

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**Shotlist**

FRANCE (NOVEMBER 5, 2012) (EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AUDIOVISUAL – ACCESS ALL)

1. CUTAWAY: Exterior view of the train station in France with trains stationed on the tracks
2. CUTAWAY: Train arriving at the station
3. CUTAWAY: General view of the station with main building on the right side
4. CUTAWAY: Control room with agents controlling the position of

BRUSSELS, BELGIUM; STRASBOURG, FRANCE (NOVEMBER 14, 2011) (EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AUDIOVISUAL – ACCESS ALL)

1. CUTAWAY: The train station in Strasbourg, external shot
2. CUTAWAY: Platforms inside the train station in Strasbourg
3. CUTAWAY: The train driver Inside the train
4. CUTAWAY: Various of the interior of the railway lines control center
5. CUTAWAY: various of the Midi train station, at the Eurostar passenger control

**Story**

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