

Chairmanship: Kazakhstan

**SPECIAL MEETING OF THE PERMANENT COUNCIL
(841st Plenary Meeting)**

1. Date: 30 November 2010 (Astana)

Opened: 3.15 p.m.

Closed: 3.20 p.m.

2. Chairperson: Ambassador K. Abdrakhmanov

3. Subjects discussed – Statements – Decisions/documents adopted:

Agenda item 1: ANNOUNCEMENT ON THE OUTCOME OF THE
SILENCE PROCEDURE ON THE MINISTERIAL COUNCIL
DECISION ON THE TIME AND PLACE OF THE NEXT
MEETING OF THE OSCE MINISTERIAL COUNCIL

The Chairperson informed the Permanent Council that the
Chairperson-in-Office, in a letter issued on 29 November 2010 (see the annex
to this journal), had announced the adoption, through a silence procedure, of
the Ministerial Council decision on the time and place of the next meeting of
the OSCE Ministerial Council (see MC.DEC/5/10, the text of which is
appended to this journal).

Agenda item 2: REVIEW OF CURRENT ISSUES

None

Agenda item 3: ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Organizational matters: Chairperson

4. Next meeting:

To be announced



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LETTER OF THE CHAIRPERSON-IN-OFFICE

Astana, 29 November 2010

Dear colleague,

In my capacity as OSCE Chairperson-in-Office, I have the honour of informing you that the period of silence on the draft decision of the Ministerial Council on the time and place of the next meeting of the OSCE Ministerial Council (MC.DD/4/10/Rev.1), expiring on 29 November 2010 at 9 a.m. CET, has not been broken.

The decision is therefore effective as of today and will be attached to the journal of the Eighteenth Meeting of the OSCE Ministerial Council and to the journal of the next meeting of the Permanent Council.

Those participating States that intend to exercise their right to duly register an interpretative statement or a formal reservation under paragraph IV.1(A)6 of the Rules of Procedure of the OSCE are invited to do so through their OSCE delegations at the above-mentioned meeting of the Permanent Council.

Yours sincerely,

[signature]

Kanat Saudabayev
Chairperson-in-Office of the OSCE

To the Ministers for Foreign Affairs
of the OSCE participating States



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**DECISION No. 5/10
TIME AND PLACE OF THE NEXT MEETING OF THE
OSCE MINISTERIAL COUNCIL**

The Ministerial Council,

Decides that the Eighteenth Meeting of the OSCE Ministerial Council will be convened in Vilnius on 6 and 7 December 2011.