



HIGH-LEVEL MEETING
ON VICTIMS OF TERRORISM

13-14 September 2007
HOFBURG, VIENNA

AGENDA

Day 1 **Thursday, 13 September 2007**

9.30 - 10.00 **Opening Session**

Opening remarks:

- Mr. **Josep BORRELL FONTELLES**, Special Envoy of the OSCE Chairman-in-Office
- Amb. **Christian STROHAL**, Director of the OSCE/ODIHR
- Amb. **Marc PERRIN DE BRICHAMBAUT**, Secretary-General of the OSCE

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10.00 - 12.30 **Session I: The Victim**

Moderator: Sir **Kenneth BLOOMFIELD**, former Victim Commissioner for Northern Ireland

Introductory speeches

- Ms. **Anne SPECKHARD**, Adjunct Associate Professor of Psychiatry at Georgetown University Medical School & Professor of Psychology at Vesalius College, Free University of Brussels, United States
- Mr. **Brian GORMALLY**, Consultant Researcher, Justice Associates, United Kingdom
- Ms. **Mirna GALIĆ**, UN Counter-terrorism Implementation Task Force, New York

- *Coffee/Tea break*
- *Discussion*

12.30 - 14.30 Lunch

14.30 - 17.00

Session II: Victims' Assistance Programmes

Moderator: Mr. **Rafael BENITEZ**, Head of the Counter-Terrorism Task Force, Council of Europe

Introductory speeches

- Mr. **Dominique MALLASSAGNE**, Deputy Head of the Department on Assistance to Victims, Ministry of Justice, France
 - Ms. **Derya YAMAN**, Judge, Captain at the Legal Counsellor's Office of the Turkish General Staff (tbc)
 - Ms. **Irina ALESHINA**, Director of Department, Prosecutor General's Office, Russian Federation
- *Coffee/Tea break*
 - *Discussion*

Close of Day One

17.15

Reception hosted by the OSCE Chairman-in-Office

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Day 2

Friday, 14 September 2007

10.00 - 12.30

Session III: Victims in Legal Proceedings

Moderator: Mr. **Hans G. NILSSON**, Head of Unit, Directorate-General H (Justice and Home Affairs), General Secretariat of the Council of the EU

Introductory speeches

- Mr. **Fernando BURGOS**, Special Prosecutor, Spain
 - Mr. **Stefano DAMBRUOSO**, Public Prosecutor, Italy
- *Coffee/Tea break*
 - *Discussion*

12.30 - 14.00

Lunch

14.00 - 16.30

Session IV: The Role of Civil Society

Moderator: Mr. **Ángel LOSSADA**, Director General for International Affairs on Terrorism, Non Proliferation and Disarmament, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Spain

Introductory speeches

- Ms. **Françoise RUDETZKI**, S.O.S. Attentats, France
 - Mr. **Berthold GERSONS**, Prof. Dr., University of Amsterdam, Department of Psychiatry AMC/De Meren; President of the Board of Directors of the European Society for Traumatic Stress Study, the Netherlands
 - Mr. **Mahmut KAÇAN**, lawyer and former head of Agri Bar Association, Turkey
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- *Coffee/Tea break*
 - *Discussion*

16.30 - 17.00

Closing Plenary

- Rapporteurs' reports
- Mr. **José Manuel RODRÍGUEZ**, Director General for Support to Victims of Terrorism, Spanish Ministry of Interior, OSCE Chairmanship
- Amb. **Christian STROHAL**, Director of the OSCE/ODIHR