

**4th DAY OF THE TWELFTH MEETING OF THE  
ECONOMIC FORUM****Third Meeting of Working Group A**

1. Date: Thursday, 3 June 2004  
  
Opened: 9.40 a.m.  
Closed: 11.05 a.m.
  
2. Chairperson: Mr. C. Munro (United Kingdom) (Moderator)
  
3. Subjects discussed — Statements — Decisions:  
  
Agenda item 5: POLITICAL COMMITMENT FOR INSTITUTIONAL  
DEVELOPMENT AND REFORM (continued)  
  
(c) IMPROVING THE BUSINESS CLIMATE BY BUILDING LOCAL  
CAPACITY AND PROMOTING CO-OPERATION  
  
Reports by: SigmaBleyzer (EF.NGO/28/04), OSCE Mission to Georgia  
(EF.GAL/14/04)  
  
Moderator, Russian Federation, Japan (Partner for Co-operation),  
United States of America, Turkey  
  
Contributions by: Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development,  
Institute for Development and Research Alternatives (Albania), International  
Federation of Consulting Engineers
  
4. Next meeting:  
  
Thursday, 3 June 2004, at 11.30 a.m., in the plenary hall

## Second Meeting of Working Group C

1. Date: Thursday, 3 June 2004

Opened: 9.40 a.m.

Closed: 11 a.m.

2. Chairperson: Ms. S. Moser-Starrach (Moderator)

3. Subjects discussed — Statements — Decisions:

Agenda item 7: DEVELOPMENT OF HUMAN CAPITAL AS AN  
INVESTMENT FOR THE FUTURE (continued)

(a) REFORM IN THE FIELD OF EDUCATION (continued)

Reports by: United States Agency for International Development  
(EF.NGO/25/04) (EF.NGO/26/04), University of Belgrade (Serbia and  
Montenegro) (EF.NGO/9/04), European Commission (EF.NGO/30/04)

Moderator, Austria, Turkey, Russian Federation, Switzerland, Kazakhstan

Contributions by: National TEMPUS Office (Uzbekistan), OSCE Mission to  
Serbia and Montenegro, OSCE Mission to Bosnia and Herzegovina

4. Next meeting:

Thursday, 3 June 2004, at 2.30 p.m., in the gallery hall

## Fourth Meeting of Working Group A

1. Date: Thursday, 3 June 2004  
  
Opened: 11.35 a.m.  
Closed: 12.40 p.m.
  
2. Chairperson: Mr. C. Munro (United Kingdom) (Moderator)
  
3. Subjects discussed — Statements — Decisions:  
  
Agenda item 5: POLITICAL COMMITMENT FOR INSTITUTIONAL  
DEVELOPMENT AND REFORM (continued)  
  
(c) IMPROVING THE BUSINESS CLIMATE BY BUILDING LOCAL  
CAPACITY AND PROMOTING CO-OPERATION (continued)  
  
Reports by: OSCE Mission to Bosnia and Herzegovina (EF.GAL/21/04),  
OSCE Field Office in Osh  
  
Moderator, Armenia, Ireland, Japan (Partner for Co-operation)  
  
Contributions by: OSCE Mission to Serbia and Montenegro
  
4. Next meeting:  
  
Thursday, 3 June 2004, at 2.30 p.m., in the plenary hall

## Fourth Meeting of Working Group B

1. Date: Thursday, 3 June 2004

Opened: 11.35 a.m.

Closed: 12.50 p.m.

2. Chairperson: Mr. M. S. Rattie (Moderator)

3. Subjects discussed — Statements — Decisions:

Agenda item 6: CAPACITY-BUILDING FOR THE PRIVATE SECTOR  
(continued)

(b) STRENGTHENING THE SERVICE AND NETWORKING CAPACITY OF  
BUSINESS ORGANIZATIONS (continued)

Reports by: Österreichische Kontrollbank (Austria) (EF.DEL/2/04), Eurasia  
Foundation (EF.NGO/29/04)

Moderator, Armenia, Austria

Contributions by: Chambers of Commerce and Industry of the Gegargunik  
region of Armenia (EF.DEL/41/04/Corr.1), Chamber of Commerce and  
Industry of Romania, Office of the OSCE Project Co-ordinator in Ukraine,  
International Federation of Consulting Engineers, Office of the Co-ordinator  
of OSCE Economic and Environmental Activities, OSCE Office in Yerevan

4. Next meeting:

Thursday, 3 June 2004, at 2.30 p.m., in the plenary hall

## Joint Meeting of Working Groups A and B

1. Date: Thursday, 3 June 2004

Opened: 2.40 p.m.

Closed: 4.05 p.m.

2. Chairperson: Mr. J. van Beuningen (Netherlands) (Moderator)

3. Subjects discussed — Statements — Decisions:

Agenda item 5: POLITICAL COMMITMENT FOR INSTITUTIONAL  
DEVELOPMENT AND REFORM (continued)

(d) PUBLIC-PRIVATE DIALOGUE AND PARTNERSHIP

Discussion under agenda item 6(c)

Agenda item 6: CAPACITY-BUILDING FOR THE PRIVATE SECTOR  
(continued)

(c) PUBLIC-PRIVATE DIALOGUE AND PARTNERSHIP

Reports by: International Foundation of Consulting Engineers  
(EF.NGO/34/04), Institute for Development Research and Alternatives  
(Albania) (EF.NGO/11/04), Brcko District Development Agency (Bosnia and  
Herzegovina) (EF.NGO/23/04)

Moderator, Germany, Russian Federation

Contributions by: Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development,  
OSCE Mission to Serbia and Montenegro

### **Third Meeting of Working Group C**

1. Date: Thursday, 3 June 2004

Opened: 2.45 p.m.

Closed: 4 p.m.

2. Chairperson: Mr. A. Ovin (Moderator)

3. Subjects discussed — Statements — Decisions:

Agenda item 7: DEVELOPMENT OF HUMAN CAPITAL AS AN  
INVESTMENT FOR THE FUTURE (continued)

(b) SUPPORTING ACADEMIC EDUCATION AND RESEARCH THROUGH  
CO-OPERATION AND EXCHANGES

Reports by: European Centre for Higher Education of the United Nations  
Educational and Cultural Organization (UNESCO-CEPES) (EF.IO/8/04),  
Eurasia Foundation (EF.NGO/31/04), Economics Education Research  
Consortium (Russian Federation) (EF.NGO/33/04), Open Society Institute  
(EF.NGO/15/04)

Moderator, Kazakhstan

Contributions by: University of Bitola (the former Yugoslav Republic of  
Macedonia)