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**Bulgarian Chairmanship****SPECIAL MEETING OF THE PERMANENT COUNCIL  
(502nd Plenary Meeting)**

1. Date: Tuesday, 30 March 2004

Opened: 3.45 p.m.

Closed: 6.25 p.m.

2. Chairperson: Mr. I. Petrov

The Chairperson, on behalf of the Permanent Council, expressed condolences to Uzbekistan in connection with the terrorist acts in Bukhara and Tashkent on 28 and 29 March 2004. Uzbekistan thanked the Chairperson and informed the Permanent Council about the course of investigation.

3. Subjects discussed — Statements — Decisions:

Agenda item 1: REPORT BY THE OSCE HIGH COMMISSIONER ON  
NATIONAL MINORITIES

High Commissioner on National Minorities (HCNM.GAL/1/04/Rev.1 Restr.), Ireland-European Union (with the acceding countries Cyprus, Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Malta, Poland, Slovakia and Slovenia, and the candidate countries Bulgaria, Romania and Turkey, in alignment) (PC.DEL/252/04), Russian Federation, Switzerland, United States of America, Moldova (PC.DEL/247/04), Armenia, Serbia and Montenegro, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Uzbekistan, Canada, Turkmenistan, Estonia (PC.DEL/249/04), Latvia (PC.DEL/253/04), Chairperson

Agenda item 2: OSCE MISSION IN KOSOVO

Head of the OSCE Mission in Kosovo (PC.FR/10/04 Restr.), Ireland-European Union (with the acceding countries Cyprus, Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Malta, Poland, Slovakia and Slovenia, and the candidate countries Bulgaria, Romania and Turkey, in alignment) (PC.DEL/251/04), United States of America (PC.DEL/250/04), Norway,

Ukraine (also on behalf of Azerbaijan, Georgia and Moldova), Russian Federation, Canada, Albania, Serbia and Montenegro, Chairperson

Agenda item 3:           DECISION ON THE KOSOVO POLICE SERVICE SCHOOL

Chairperson

**Decision:** The Permanent Council, subject to a silence procedure expiring on Wednesday, 31 March 2004, at 12 noon, adopted the decision on the Kosovo Police Service School, the text of which is appended to this Journal.

4.   Next meeting:

Thursday, 1 April 2004, at 10 a.m., in the Neuer Saal