

**288th Plenary Meeting**

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**DECISION No. 363  
PLACE, DATE AND OVERALL THEME FOR THE  
NINTH MEETING OF THE ECONOMIC FORUM**

The Permanent Council,

Taking into account the Chairperson's Summary of the Eighth Meeting of the Economic Forum,

- Decides that the Ninth Meeting of the Economic Forum will take place in Prague from 15 to 18 May 2001. The overall theme of the Forum will be "Transparency and good governance in economic matters".

Discussions of the Forum should benefit from input provided by deliberations in various international organizations, other OSCE bodies and relevant meetings, including seminars.

Moreover, taking into account its mandate, the Economic Forum will review the implementation of commitments in the economic dimension.

The organizational modalities, including the sub-themes of the Forum, will be further elaborated and submitted to the Permanent Council for adoption in due time.