
Norwegian Chairmanship

223rd PLENARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL

1. Date: Thursday, 15 April 1999

Opened: 10.35 a.m.

Closed: 1.10 p.m.

2. Chairman: Mr. K. Eide

Prior to the opening of the Plenary Meeting of the Permanent Council, General Carlo Jean, Personal Representative of the Chairman-in-Office on the Implementation of Articles II and IV of Annex 1-B of the General Framework Agreement for Peace in Bosnia and Herzegovina, addressed a joint meeting of the Permanent Council and the Forum for Security Co-operation (see Annex).

Cancellation of the address of H.E. Eduard Kukan, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Slovak Republic.

Chairman, Slovak Republic

3. Subjects discussed - Statements - Decisions:

Agenda item 1: OSCE SPILLOVER MONITOR MISSION TO SKOPJE

Chairman, Head of the OSCE Spillover Monitor Mission to Skopje, Switzerland, Canada, Germany-European Union (also on behalf of Bulgaria, Cyprus, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Romania, the Slovak Republic, Slovenia and the Czech Republic) (PC.DEL/190/99), Turkey, United States of America (PC.DEL/191/99), Albania (PC.DEL/197/99), Russian Federation, Bulgaria, Czech Republic, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia

Agenda item 2: BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA OMBUDSMEN

Bosnia and Herzegovina Ombudsmen (PC.FR/8/99 Restr.), Chairman, Germany-European Union (also on behalf of Bulgaria, Cyprus, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Romania, the Slovak Republic, Slovenia and the Czech Republic) (PC.DEL/192/99), United States of America, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Canada, Switzerland

Agenda item 3: CONTINUED OSCE FOCUS ON YUGOSLAVIA (SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO)

Chairman (CIO.GAL/40/99), Germany-European Union (also on behalf of Bulgaria, Cyprus, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Romania, the Slovak Republic, Slovenia and the Czech Republic) (PC.DEL/193/99) (PC.DEL/198/99) (SEC.DEL/121/99), Poland, Switzerland, United States of America (PC.DEL/194/99), Russian Federation, Greece, Ukraine (SEC.DEL/119/99), Belarus, Albania (PC.DEL/196/99), Canada, Malta, United Kingdom

Agenda item 4: REVIEW OF CURRENT ISSUES

- (a) *Meeting of Central Asian States in Ashgabad*: Turkmenistan (also on behalf of Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan and Uzbekistan) (PC.DEL/189/99)
- (b) *Memorandum of Understanding between the OSCE and Canada*: Canada

Agenda item 5: REPORT ON THE ACTIVITIES OF THE CHAIRMAN-IN-OFFICE

- (a) *Appointment of the Personal Representative of the Chairman-in-Office for Central Asia*: Chairman
- (b) *Meetings of the Chairman-in-Office in Moscow and Oslo*: Chairman

Agenda item 6: REPORT OF THE SECRETARY GENERAL

- (a) *Personnel situation of the Kosovo Verification Mission*: Secretary General
- (b) *Memorandum of Understanding between the OSCE and Canada*: Secretary General
- (c) *Address of the Secretary General to the Council of Europe*: Secretary General

Agenda item 7: ANY OTHER BUSINESS

1999 Human Dimension Seminar "Human Rights: The Role of Field Missions":
Chairman

4. Next meeting:

Thursday, 22 April 1999, at 10 a.m., in the Neuer Saal

223rd Plenary Meeting**JOINT MEETING OF THE PERMANENT COUNCIL
AND THE FORUM FOR SECURITY CO-OPERATION**

1. Date: Thursday, 15 April 1999

Opened: 9.35 a.m.

Closed: 10.25 a.m.

2. Chairman: Mr. O. Hovdkinn (Norway)
Mr. P. Nieuwenhuys (Forum for Security Co-operation) (Belgium)

3. Subjects discussed - Statements - Decisions:

Agenda item 1: PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE
CHAIRMAN-IN-OFFICE ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF
ARTICLES II AND IV OF ANNEX 1-B OF THE GENERAL
FRAMEWORK AGREEMENT FOR PEACE IN BOSNIA
AND HERZEGOVINA

Personal Representative of the Chairman-in-Office on the Implementation of
Articles II and IV (CIO.GAL/38/99), Chairman of the Forum for Security
Co-operation, Croatia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, United States of America
(PC.DEL/199/99), Russian Federation, Germany

Agenda item 2: ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Military activities in the Balkans: Belarus (PC.DEL/195/99), United States of
America, France