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**Chairmanship: Kazakhstan****828th PLENARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL**

1. Date: Thursday, 9 September 2010

Opened: 10.10 a.m.  
Closed: 12.40 p.m.

2. Chairperson: Ambassador K. Abdrakhmanov

Prior to taking up the agenda, the Chairperson, on behalf of the Permanent Council, welcomed the new Permanent Representative of the Netherlands, Ambassador R. J. P. M. van Dartel, and the new Permanent Representative of Switzerland, Ambassador T. Greminger, to the OSCE.

3. Subjects discussed – Statements – Decisions/documents adopted:

Agenda item 1: OSCE PRESENCE IN ALBANIA

Chairperson, Head of the OSCE Presence in Albania (PC.FR/15/10 OSCE+), Belgium-European Union (with the candidate countries Croatia, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Iceland and Turkey; the countries of the Stabilisation and Association Process and potential candidate countries Bosnia and Herzegovina, Montenegro and Serbia; the European Free Trade Association countries Liechtenstein and Norway, members of the European Economic Area; as well as Andorra, Armenia, Moldova and Ukraine, in alignment) (PC.DEL/882/10), United States of America (PC.DEL/876/10), Russian Federation (PC.DEL/888/10), Albania (PC.DEL/891/10 OSCE+)

Agenda item 2: REPORT OF THE PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE CHAIRMAN-IN-OFFICE FOR ARTICLE IV OF THE DAYTON PEACE ACCORD, BRIGADIER GENERAL C. PERIOTTO

Chairperson, Personal Representative of the Chairman-in-Office for Article IV of the Dayton Peace Accords (CIO.GAL/147/10 OSCE+), Belgium-European Union (with the candidate countries the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Iceland and Turkey; the country of the Stabilisation and

Association Process and potential candidate country Albania; the European Free Trade Association countries Liechtenstein and Norway, members of the European Economic Area; as well as Andorra, Armenia, Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine, in alignment) (PC.DEL/883/10), United States of America (PC.DEL/877/10), Russian Federation (PC.DEL/889/10), Montenegro (also on behalf of Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia and Serbia)

Agenda item 3:           REVIEW OF CURRENT ISSUES

- (a) *Update on the deployment of the Police Advisory Group to Kyrgyzstan:* Chairperson, Director of the Conflict Prevention Centre (SEC.GAL/153/10 OSCE+), Kyrgyzstan, Belgium-European Union (with the candidate countries Croatia, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Iceland; the countries of the Stabilisation and Association Process and potential candidate countries Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Montenegro and Serbia; the European Free Trade Association countries Liechtenstein and Norway, members of the European Economic Area; as well as Andorra and Moldova, in alignment) (PC.DEL/884/10), United States of America (PC.DEL/880/10), Russian Federation
- (b) *Situation of the Roma and Sinti population in Europe:* United States of America (PC.DEL/878/10), Belgium-European Union (with the candidate countries Croatia, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Iceland and Turkey; the countries of the Stabilisation and Association Process and potential candidate countries Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Montenegro and Serbia; as well as Armenia, Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine, in alignment) (PC.DEL/885/10), Russian Federation (PC.DEL/890/10)
- (c) *Death of journalist Mr. O. Bebenin:* Belarus (PC.DEL/875/10 OSCE+), Belgium-European Union (with the candidate countries Croatia, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Iceland and Turkey; the countries of the Stabilisation and Association Process and potential candidate countries Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Montenegro and Serbia; the European Free Trade Association country Norway, member of the European Economic Area; as well as Moldova and San Marino, in alignment) (PC.DEL/886/10), United States of America (PC.DEL/881/10), Russian Federation, Chairperson
- (d) *Death penalty in the United States of America:* Belgium-European Union (with the candidate countries Croatia, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Iceland and Turkey; the countries of the Stabilisation and Association Process and potential candidate countries Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Montenegro and Serbia; the European Free Trade Association countries Liechtenstein and Norway, members of the European Economic Area; as well as Azerbaijan, Moldova, San Marino and Ukraine, in alignment) (PC.DEL/887/10), United States of America (PC.DEL/879/10)

Agenda item 4:           REPORT ON THE ACTIVITIES OF THE  
                                  CHAIRPERSON-IN-OFFICE

- (a)    *Telephone conversation between the Chairperson-in-Office and the President of Kyrgyzstan on 8 September 2010: Chairperson*
- (b)    *Telephone conversation between the Chairperson-in-Office and the Minister for Foreign Affairs of Moldova on 3 September 2010: Chairperson*
- (c)    *Telephone conversation between the Chairperson-in-Office and the Minister for Foreign Affairs of Ukraine on 7 September 2010: Chairperson*
- (d)    *Establishment by the Chairmanship of three working groups on logistics, security, and information support, for the OSCE Summit in Astana: Chairperson*

Agenda item 5:           REPORT OF THE SECRETARY GENERAL

*Announcement of the distribution of a written report of the Secretary General (SEC.GAL/154/10 OSCE+): Chairperson*

Agenda item 6:           ANY OTHER BUSINESS

- (a)    *Organizational matters related to the 2010 OSCE Mediterranean Conference: Malta, Chairperson*
- (b)    *Indicative Work Programme for the part on OSCE Structures and their Activities of the Review Conference (CIO.GAL/148/10/Rev.3/Corr.1): Chairperson (Annex)*
- (c)    *Organizational matters related to the OSCE Summit in Astana and its Review Conference: Chairperson*

4.    Next meeting:

Thursday, 16 September 2010, at 10 a.m., in the Neuer Saal



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**STATEMENT BY THE CHAIRPERSON**

Dear Ambassadors, I am pleased to inform the Permanent Council that, following broad and intensive consultations, the participating States have closely approached consensus on the draft Indicative Work Programme for the OSCE Structures and Their Activities (OSA) of the Review Conference.

The latest version of this document, which was circulated on 3 September 2010 as document CIO.GAL/148/10/Rev.3/Corr.1, enjoys broad support of delegations, and is ready for adoption by the participating States.

The Chairmanship's perception is that this part of the programme can be set aside and considered as informally finalized by all the participating States.

The Chairmanship intends to finalize the two other parts of the entire Indicative Work Programme of the Review Conference as soon as possible, and will propose the full programme for adoption by consensus either before the Review Conference, through a separate PC decision, or at the opening of the Review Conference, as stipulated in paragraph 4 of the PC decision on the agenda, organizational framework, timetable and other modalities of the 2010 Review Conference, which entered into effect on 3 August 2010.

This statement by the Chairperson will be attached to the journal of this meeting of the Permanent Council, in accordance with paragraph 7 of section IV.1(B) of the Rules of Procedure.