



Austrian Chairmanship

429th PLENARY MEETING OF THE FORUM

1. Date: Wednesday, 15 September 2004

Opened: 10.15 a.m.

Closed: 1.05 p.m.

2. Chairperson: Mr. H.-W. Erlich

On the suggestion of the Chairperson the FSC observed a minute of silence prior to the adoption of the agenda, to express solidarity with the victims of the recent terrorist attack in Beslan, Russian Federation, with the victims of the terrorist attack of 11 September 2001 in the United States of America and with other victims of terrorism, their families and nations.

3. Subjects discussed — Statements — Decisions:

Agenda item 1: GENERAL STATEMENTS

None

Agenda item 2: OPENING STATEMENT BY THE AUSTRIAN
CHAIRMANSHIP OF THE FSC:
AMBASSADOR T. MAYR-HARTING, POLITICAL
DIRECTOR OF THE AUSTRIAN FEDERAL MINISTRY OF
FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Political Director of the Austrian Federal Ministry of Foreign Affairs
(FSC.DEL/392/04 Restr.), Armenia, Netherlands-European Union (with the
candidate countries Bulgaria, Croatia, Romania and Turkey in alignment)
(FSC.DEL/390/04), Andorra, Germany, Switzerland, Belgium, United States
of America, Azerbaijan, Holy See, Russian Federation, Slovenia, Ukraine,
Belarus (FSC.DEL/389/04 Restr.), Chairperson

Agenda item 3: SECURITY DIALOGUE

Presentation on brokering in small arms and light weapons, by Silvia Cattaneo, Small Arms Survey, Geneva: Ms. Cattaneo (FSC.DEL/394/04 Restr.), Chairperson, Ireland, Finland, Switzerland, Belgium, Netherlands (also on behalf of Germany and Norway)

Agenda item 4: SPECIAL FSC MEETING ON IMPLEMENTING THE OSCE DOCUMENT ON STOCKPILES OF CONVENTIONAL AMMUNITION

Report by Mr. Helmut Kulitz, FSC Co-ordinator for Conventional Ammunition Projects: FSC Co-ordinator for Conventional Ammunition Projects (Germany) (FSC.DEL/387/04 Restr.), France, Chairperson

Agenda item 5: ANY OTHER BUSINESS

- (a) *Matters of protocol: Chairperson, United States of America, Belgium, Canada, Estonia, United Kingdom, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Norway, Netherlands, Portugal, Holy See, Czech Republic, Turkey*
- (b) *Participation of the partners for co-operation at the FSC plenary meeting on 22 September 2004: Chairperson, Luxembourg*

4. Next meeting:

Wednesday, 22 September 2004, at 10 a.m., in the Neuer Saal