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DECISION No. 210

The Permanent Council,

Recalling its Decision No. 185 of 18 September 1997 concerning the establishment of an OSCE Advisory and Monitoring Group in Belarus and noting that the OSCE Advisory and Monitoring Group in Belarus is now ready to begin its tasks,

Recalling its Decision No. 182 of 17 July 1997 concerning the establishment and related modalities of a Contingency Fund,

Taking note of the draft cost estimate for the activities of the Advisory and Monitoring Group in Belarus in 1998 and pending the early adoption of a budget for the Group,

- Authorizes the release of ATS 2,380,256 from the Contingency Fund in order to finance the initial activities of the OSCE Advisory and Monitoring Group in Belarus on an interim basis pending the approval of the relevant supplementary budget in accordance with established procedures.