

153rd Plenary Meeting

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DECISION No. 217

The Permanent Council,

Acting in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Financial Regulations (DOC.PC/1/96) as approved by the Permanent Council on 27 June 1996,

Recalling its Decision No. 185 of 18 September 1997 and Decision No. 210 of 15 January 1998,

- Approves the budget for the OSCE Advisory and Monitoring Group in Belarus in the amount of ATS 9,833,810, which will be implemented on the basis of the revised proposal circulated by the Secretary General on 18 February 1998 (PC.IFC/7/98/Rev.2 Restr.). The budget covers the period from 15 January to 31 December 1998; and
- Tasks the Head of the Group and the Secretary General with continuing to pursue with the Belarusian authorities the question of taxes and social security payments on the salaries of local staff.