

**Chairmanship: Slovenia**

**885th PLENARY MEETING OF THE FORUM**

1. Date: Wednesday, 23 May 2018

Opened: 10.05 a.m.

Suspended: 12.55 p.m.

Resumed: 3 p.m.

Closed: 4.15 p.m.

2. Chairperson: Ambassador A. Benedejčič

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

Agenda item 1: SECURITY DIALOGUE: NUCLEAR SECURITY IN THE OSCE AREA

– *Presentation by Mr. A. Stritar, Director of the Slovenian Nuclear Administration*

– *Presentation by Mr. J. C. Lentijo, Deputy Director General of the IAEA and Head of the Department of Nuclear Safety and Security*

– *Presentation by Ms. E. K. Sokova, Deputy Director of the James Martin Center for Nonproliferation at the Middlebury Institute of International Studies at Monterey*

– *Presentation by Mr. R. Howsley, Executive Director of the World Institute for Nuclear Security*

Chairperson, Director of the Slovenian Nuclear Administration, Deputy Director General of the IAEA, Ms. E. K. Sokova, Mr. R. Howsley, Russian Federation, Bulgaria-European Union (with the candidate countries Albania, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Montenegro and Serbia; the country of the Stabilisation and Association Process and potential candidate country Bosnia and Herzegovina; the European Free Trade Association countries Iceland, Liechtenstein and Norway, members of the European Economic Area; as well as Andorra, Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine,

in alignment) (FSC.DEL/95/18), Romania, Belarus (FSC.DEL/93/18 OSCE+), Kazakhstan, United States of America, Ukraine (FSC.DEL/98/18 OSCE+), Turkey, Armenia, Mr. R. Adnan (on behalf of the Deputy Director General of the IAEA)

Agenda item 2: GENERAL STATEMENTS

*Situation in and around Ukraine:* Ukraine (FSC.DEL/100/18 OSCE+), Bulgaria-European Union (with the candidate countries Albania, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Montenegro; the country of the Stabilisation and Association Process and potential candidate country Bosnia and Herzegovina; the European Free Trade Association countries Iceland, Liechtenstein and Norway, members of the European Economic Area; as well as Andorra, Georgia, Moldova, San Marino and Ukraine, in alignment) (FSC.DEL/96/18), United States of America, Russian Federation

Agenda item 3: ANY OTHER BUSINESS

- (a) *Military exercise "North 18", to be conducted in Finland from 24 May to 7 June 2018:* Finland, Russian Federation, Chairperson
- (b) *Military exercise "Våreld 18", being conducted in Sweden from 21 to 30 May 2018:* Sweden, Russian Federation, Chairperson
- (c) *Military exercise "Thunder Storm 2018", to be conducted in Lithuania from 1 to 15 June 2018:* Lithuania, Russian Federation, Chairperson
- (d) *Briefing on the regional seminar on the OSCE Code of Conduct on Politico-Military Aspects of Security held in Bucharest from 14 to 18 May 2018:* Romania, Chairperson, FSC Co-ordinator for the Code of Conduct on Politico-Military Aspects of Security (Montenegro), Switzerland, Germany
- (e) *Matters of protocol:* Latvia, Chairperson
- (f) *Update on a request from Armenia for practical assistance under the OSCE Documents on Small Arms and Light Weapons and on Stockpiles of Conventional Ammunition (FSC.DEL/94/18 Restr.):* Chairperson
- (g) *Special session of the Forum for Security Co-operation to commemorate the centenary of the end of the First World War, to be held on 30 May 2018:* Chairperson, Russian Federation

4. Next meeting:

Wednesday, 30 May 2018, at 10 a.m., in the Neuer Saal