



- **22-23 February**: CiO Steinmeier and French FM Ayrault visited Ukraine for talks on further steps towards the implementation of the Minsk agreements. They also met with OSCE staff and monitors of the Special Monitoring Mission.
- **24 February**: SR for the Chairmanship Erler met in Hamburg with the "OSCE Network of Think Tanks and Academic Institutions" to discuss Chairmanship programme and involve academic community in the OSCE area.
- **25 February**: SR Erler attended the 2016 Winter Meeting of the OSCE Parliamentary Assembly.



- **29 February**: CiO Steinmeier briefed the UN Security Council on the Chairmanship's priorities and called for stronger UN-OSCE co-operation.
- **1 March**: CiO Steinmeier discussed Chairmanship's priorities with the Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe (Helsinki Commission) in Washington, DC.
- **18 February**: Updated national "Regulation on Privileges and Immunities of the OSCE" entered into force, enhancing the legal status of the OSCE in Germany.