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**DECISION No. 956
INDICATIVE WORK PROGRAMME FOR THE WORKING SESSIONS
OF THE 2010 REVIEW CONFERENCE**

The Permanent Council,

Recalling paragraph 4 of its Decision No. 952 on the agenda, organizational framework, timetable and other modalities of the 2010 Review Conference,

Agrees upon the indicative work programme for the working sessions of the 2010 OSCE Review Conference, as enclosed in the annex.

REVIEW OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF ALL OSCE PRINCIPLES AND COMMITMENTS

In line with Permanent Council Decision No. 952 on the Agenda, Organizational Framework, Timetable and Other Modalities of the 2010 Review Conference, the working sessions will provide an opportunity to review the implementation of existing OSCE principles and commitments and to focus on recommendations for future action and greater co-operation among participating States.

I. Indicative work programme for the politico-military dimension (PMS)

Review sessions (Vienna)

Monday, 18 October 2010

3 p.m. Plenary session

Tuesday, 19 October 2010

10 a.m. Session 1: Transnational threats and challenges I

Mandates, programmes/tools, resources/capacities and external co-operation regarding OSCE contributions to counter transnational threats from 1999 to 2010

- Combating terrorism;
- Police-related activities;
- Combating organized crime/drug trafficking;
- Border security/management;
- Cyber security;
- Countering proliferation;
- Cross-dimensional issues.

3 p.m. Session 2: Transnational threats and challenges II

- Continuation (see above)
- Conclusions regarding the OSCE profile, activities and structures on issues pertaining to transnational threats in the coming several years

Wednesday, 20 October 2010

- 10 a.m. Session 3: Role of the OSCE in early warning, conflict prevention and resolution, crisis management and post-conflict rehabilitation I
- Role, activities and capabilities of the OSCE in the entire conflict cycle;
 - OSCE mechanisms and procedures;
 - Peaceful settlement of disputes and conflicts on the basis of norms and principles of international law and provisions of the Helsinki Final Act;
 - Lessons learned.
- 3 p.m. Session 4: Role of the OSCE in early warning, conflict prevention and resolution, crisis management and post-conflict rehabilitation II
- Continuation (see above)

Thursday, 21 October 2010

- 10 a.m. Session 5: Threats and challenges emanating from the territory of Afghanistan and the OSCE's contribution to stability in the region
- OSCE role in international assistance to Afghanistan as a regional organization with a comprehensive mandate covering the three dimensions;
 - Co-operative approach with other international organizations and regional structures.
- 3 p.m. Session 6: The role and perspectives of arms control and confidence- and security-building regimes in building trust in the evolving security environment I
- OSCE 1996 Framework for Arms Control and CSBM regime;
 - Vienna Document 1999;
 - OSCE Code of Conduct on Politico-Military Aspects of Security;
 - SALW and SCA, including rocket fuel components and explosive remnants of war;
 - Role of the OSCE in non-proliferation;
 - Other agreed CSBMs.

Friday, 22 October 2010

- 10 a.m. Session 7: The role and perspectives of arms control and confidence-
and security-building regimes in building trust in the evolving security
environment II
- Continuation (see above)
- 3 p.m. Session 8: The role and perspectives of arms control and confidence-
and security-building regimes in building trust in the evolving security
environment III
- Continuation (see above)

**II. Indicative work programme for the
economic and environmental dimension (EED)***

Tuesday, 19 October 2010

- 10 a.m. Session 1
- From Bonn to Maastricht and beyond: Adapting the OSCE
economic and environmental dimension to changing
challenges.
- 3 p.m. Session 2
- The OSCE's role, including its field presences, in fostering
stability and security and enhancing co-operation and
integration in the area of its responsibility through co-operation
with other international, regional, subregional organizations
and initiatives as well as NGOs and the business community;
- The way forward.

Wednesday, 20 October 2010

- 10 a.m. Session 3: Economic cluster
- Strengthening good governance, including through promoting
transparency, combating corruption, money laundering and the
financing of terrorism;
- Transport security;
- The way forward.

* Open to NGOs.

3 p.m. Session 4: Economic cluster (continued)

- Migration;
- Energy security;
- The way forward.

Monday, 25 October 2010

10 a.m. Session 5: Environmental cluster

- Ensuring sustainable development and economic growth through promoting technological innovation and modernization in the economies, fostering social development, capacity-building for environmental governance;
- Protecting the environment;
- The way forward.

3 p.m. Session 6: Environmental cluster (continued)

- Promoting co-operation on security aspects of the environment by, *inter alia*, sustainable use and management of natural resources and preventing pollution, land degradation, ecological risks, natural and man-made disasters;
- The way forward.

Tuesday, 26 October 2010

10 a.m. Session 7: The way forward and recommendations for future action

III. Indicative work programme for the human dimension (HD)*

Review sessions (Warsaw)

Thursday, 30 September 2010

10 a.m. Plenary session (formal opening of the 2010 OSCE Review Conference)

3 p.m. Plenary session (continued)

* Open to NGOs.

Friday, 1 October 2010

- 10 a.m. Session 1: Democratic institutions, including:
- Democratic elections;
 - Democracy at the national, regional and local levels;
 - Citizenship and political rights.
- 3 p.m. Session 2: Fundamental freedoms I, including:
- Freedom of thought, conscience, religion or belief;
 - Presentation of activities of the ODIHR and other OSCE institutions and field operations to implement priorities and tasks contained in the OSCE decisions and other documents.

Monday, 4 October 2010

- 10 a.m. Session 3: Fundamental freedoms II, including:
- Freedom of assembly and association;
 - National human rights institutions and the role of civil society in the protection of human rights;
 - Freedom of movement.
- 3 p.m. Session 4: Rule of law I, including:
- Legislative transparency;
 - Independence of the judiciary;
 - Right to a fair trial.

Tuesday, 5 October 2010

- 10 a.m. Session 5: Rule of law II, including:
- Exchange of views on abolition of capital punishment;
 - Prevention of torture;
 - Protection of human rights and fighting terrorism.
- 3 p.m. Session 6: Humanitarian issues and other commitments, including:
- Refugees and displaced persons;
 - Treatment of citizens of other participating States;
 - Human rights education.

Wednesday, 6 October 2010

- 10 a.m. Session 7: Tolerance and non-discrimination I, including:
- Implementation of the OSCE Action Plan on Roma and Sinti;
 - National minorities;
 - Preventing aggressive nationalism, racism and chauvinism.
- 3 p.m. Session 8: Tolerance and non-discrimination II, including:
- Promotion of gender balance and implementation of the OSCE Action Plan and relevant commitments;
 - Prevention and response to hate crimes in the OSCE area;
 - Combating intolerance and discrimination.

Thursday, 7 October 2010

- 10 a.m. Plenary session

Forward-looking discussions (Warsaw)

Thursday, 7 October 2010

- 3 p.m. Session 1: Freedom of media

Friday, 8 October 2010

- 10 a.m. Session 2: Intolerance against migrants
- 3 p.m. Session 3: Combating trafficking in human beings, with a particular focus on trafficking in children

Forward-looking discussions (Astana)

Friday, 26 November 2010

- 3 p.m. Session 4: Freedom of media (continued)

Saturday, 27 November 2010

- 10 a.m. Session 5: Intolerance against migrants (continued)

3 p.m. Session 6: Combating trafficking in human beings, with a particular focus on trafficking in children (continued)

Sunday, 28 November 2010

10 a.m. Reinforced plenary session (including formal closure of the entire 2010 OSCE Review Conference)

IV. Indicative work programme for OSCE structures and their activities (OSA)

Review sessions (Vienna)

Thursday, 21 October 2010

10 a.m. Session 1: Enhancing the role and further strengthening capabilities of the OSCE executive structures

- Part 1: Effectiveness of the Secretariat and institutions

3 p.m.* Session 2: Enhancing the role and further strengthening capabilities of the OSCE executive structures

- Part 2: Lessons learned from field activities

Friday, 22 October 2010

10 a.m. Session 3

- Co-operation with the Mediterranean Partners for Co-operation;
- Co-operation with the Asian Partners for Co-operation.

3 p.m. Session 4: Co-operation with international, regional, subregional organizations, institutions, and initiatives

* Open to NGOs.

Monday, 25 October 2010

10 a.m.

Session 5

- Decision-making process;
- Role of the Chairmanship;
- OSCE meetings;
- The role of the OSCE Parliamentary Assembly.

3 p.m.

Session 6: Administrative, financial and human resource management issues

Tuesday, 26 October 2010

10 a.m.

Session 7: The OSCE's legal framework