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Statement by the Permanent Representative of the Republic of Kazakhstan to the OSCE, Ambassador Doulat Kuanyshev at the 588th Permanent Council meeting 19 January 2006

Thank you, Mr.Chairman,

After the statements by distinguished colleagues from Austria on behalf of the European Union and the United States. I would like to say the following.

Indeed, Pavlodar Regional Panel of Criminal Justice on 14th of January issued a decision on the immediate release on parole of Mr. Galymzhan Zhakiyanov thus confirming an earlier decision by Ekibastuz City Court.

According to the court's decision there are no restrictions imposed on his place of residence.

It's important to underscore the fact that the modalities of this release are in strict accordance with the provisions of the national law.

I hope there will be no return to this case at the PC.

Thank you.