

**United States Mission to the OSCE**



**Response in Support of the Chairpersonship in  
Office Organizing HDIM**

As delivered by Deputy Chief of Mission Courtney Austrian  
to the Permanent Council, Vienna  
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Thank you very much, Mr. Chair.

I just want to quickly say that the United States fully supports the Polish Chairpersonship, in your efforts related to the staging of all mandated OSCE meetings, and we are confident that all security concerns can be addressed without any issue. I think the US position related to the holding of HDIM is extremely well known, so I won't go into it at this point, but I'm happy to reiterate it to anybody who is a little bit vague on how we feel about it.

Thank you.

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