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**Chairmanship: Spain****653rd PLENARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL**

1. Date: Tuesday, 20 February 2007

Opened: 3.05 p.m.

Closed: 4.35 p.m.

2. Chairperson: Mr. C. Sánchez de Boado y de la Válgoma

Prior to taking up the agenda, the Chairperson, on behalf of the Permanent Council, welcomed the new Permanent Representative of Finland to the OSCE, Mr. Antti Turunen, and the new Permanent Representative of the Holy See to the OSCE, Monsignor Michael W. Banach.

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

Agenda item 1: ADDRESS BY THE UNITED NATIONS SPECIAL ENVOY FOR THE FUTURE STATUS PROCESS FOR KOSOVO, H.E. PRESIDENT M. AHTISAARI

Chairperson, United Nations Special Envoy for the Future Status Process for Kosovo, Germany-European Union (with the candidate countries Croatia, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Turkey; the countries of the Stabilisation and Association Process and potential candidate countries Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina and Montenegro; and the European Free Trade Association country Iceland, member of the European Economic Area, in alignment) (PC.DEL/136/07), Russian Federation (PC.DEL/135/07 OSCE+), Armenia, United States of America (PC.DEL/139/07), Canada, Norway (PC.DEL/137/07 OSCE+), Switzerland (PC.DEL/140/07 OSCE+), Georgia (also on behalf of Azerbaijan, Moldova and Ukraine) (PC.DEL/138/07), Albania (PC.DEL/142/07 OSCE+), Serbia (PC.DEL/141/07 OSCE+)

Agenda item 2: REVIEW OF CURRENT ISSUES

(a) *Sixth meeting of the State Commission on the Development and Concretization of the Programme of Democratic Reforms in Kazakhstan, held on 19 February 2007: Kazakhstan*

- (b) *Matters of protocol*: Liechtenstein (Dean of the Permanent Council),  
Kazakhstan, Chairperson

Agenda item 3: DECISION ON THE TOPICS FOR THE SECOND PART OF  
THE HUMAN DIMENSION IMPLEMENTATION  
MEETING

Chairperson

**Decision:** The Permanent Council adopted Decision No. 785 (PC.DEC/785),  
the text of which is appended to this journal, on the topics for the second part  
of the Human Dimension Implementation Meeting.

Chairperson

Agenda item 4: DECISION ON THE OSCE 2006 YEAR-END UNIFIED  
BUDGET REVISION

Chairperson

**Decision:** The Permanent Council adopted Decision No. 786 (PC.DEC/786),  
the text of which is appended to this journal, on the OSCE 2006 Year-End  
Unified Budget Revision.

Agenda item 5: REPORT ON THE ACTIVITIES OF THE  
CHAIRMAN-IN-OFFICE

*Announcement of the distribution of the written report on the activities of the  
Chairman-in-Office:* Chairperson

Agenda item 6: REPORT OF THE SECRETARY GENERAL

- (a) *Regional Workshop on International Co-operation against Terrorism and  
Transnational Organized Crime, held in Antalya, Turkey, from 12 to  
15 February 2007:* Director of the Office of the Secretary General  
(SEC.GAL/33/07 OSCE+)
- (b) *Visit of the Special Representative and Co-ordinator for Combating  
Trafficking in Human Beings to Cyprus on 15 and 16 February 2007:* Director  
of the Office of the Secretary General (SEC.GAL/33/07 OSCE+)
- (c) *Reissuance of vacancy notices for seconded posts in the OSCE:* Director of the  
Office of the Secretary General (SEC.GAL/33/07 OSCE+)

Agenda item 7: ANY OTHER BUSINESS

None

4. Next meeting:

Thursday, 1 March 2007, at 10 a.m., in the Neuer Saal