
Chairmanship: Poland**1397th PLENARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL**

1. Date: Thursday, 3 November 2022 (in the Neuer Saal and via video teleconference)

Opened: 10 a.m.
Suspended: 1.05 p.m.
Resumed: 3.05 p.m.
Closed: 4.50 p.m.

2. Chairperson: Ambassador A. Hałaciński
Ambassador M. Czapliński

Chairperson, Russian Federation (PC.DEL/1655/22 OSCE+)

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

Agenda item 1: THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION'S ONGOING AGGRESSION
AGAINST UKRAINE

Chairperson, Ukraine (PC.DEL/1678/22), Czech Republic-European Union (with the candidate countries Albania, Moldova, Montenegro, North Macedonia and Ukraine; the potential candidate countries Bosnia and Herzegovina and Georgia; the European Free Trade Association countries Iceland, Liechtenstein and Norway, members of the European Economic Area; as well as Andorra, Monaco and San Marino, in alignment) (PC.DEL/1673/22), United States of America (PC.DEL/1653/22), United Kingdom (PC.DEL/1659/22 OSCE+), Canada (PC.DEL/1692/22), Türkiye (PC.DEL/1676/22 OSCE+), Switzerland (PC.DEL/1668/22 OSCE+), Georgia (PC.DEL/1682/22 OSCE+), Moldova (PC.DEL/1686/22 OSCE+), Belarus (PC.DEL/1664/22 OSCE+)

Agenda item 2: REPORT BY THE REPRESENTATIVE ON FREEDOM OF
THE MEDIA

Chairperson, Representative on Freedom of the Media (FOM.GAL/9/22/Rev.1), Czech Republic-European Union (with the candidate

countries Montenegro and North Macedonia; the potential candidate country Bosnia and Herzegovina; the European Free Trade Association countries Iceland and Liechtenstein, members of the European Economic Area, in alignment) (PC.DEL/1672/22), United States of America (PC.DEL/1658/22), United Kingdom (PC.DEL/1671/22 OSCE+), Russian Federation (PC.DEL/1657/22), Ukraine (PC.DEL/1683/22), Türkiye (PC.DEL/1677/22 OSCE+), Lithuania (also on behalf of Austria, Canada, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Latvia, Montenegro, the Netherlands, Norway, Sweden, the United Kingdom and the United States of America) (PC.DEL/1666/22 OSCE+), Portugal (PC.DEL/1656/22), Norway (PC.DEL/1675/22), Azerbaijan, Armenia (PC.DEL/1712/22), Switzerland (PC.DEL/1667/22 OSCE+), Montenegro (PC.DEL/1669/22 OSCE+), Georgia (PC.DEL/1681/22 OSCE+), Kyrgyzstan, Turkmenistan, Malta, Serbia, Italy (PC.DEL/1679/22), Iceland (PC.DEL/1670/22 OSCE+), Bosnia and Herzegovina (PC.DEL/1660/22 OSCE+), Uzbekistan, Romania (PC.DEL/1715/22), Belarus (PC.DEL/1662/22 OSCE+), Canada (PC.DEL/1691/22 OSCE+), North Macedonia, Tajikistan, Czech Republic-European Union, Lithuania

Agenda item 3: DECISION ON THE TIMETABLE OF THE
 TWENTY-NINTH MEETING OF THE OSCE MINISTERIAL
 COUNCIL

Chairperson

Decision: The Permanent Council adopted Decision No. 1445 (PC.DEC/1445) on the timetable of the Twenty-Ninth Meeting of the OSCE Ministerial Council, the text of which is appended to this journal.

Russian Federation (interpretative statement, see attachment to the decision)

Agenda item 4: REVIEW OF CURRENT ISSUES

- (a) *Dangerous provocations by the Kiev regime with the support of the Western alliance of OSCE participating States and on the ongoing crimes by it against the civilian population:* Russian Federation (PC.DEL/1663/22), Poland
- (b) *International Day to End Impunity for Crimes against Journalists, observed on 2 November 2022:* Russian Federation (PC.DEL/1661/22)

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

- (a) *Joint statement issued on 31 October 2022 by the OSCE Chairman-in-Office, H.E. Mr. Z. Rau, and the OSCE Secretary General, following the closure of the OSCE Special Monitoring Mission to Ukraine and the Project Co-ordinator in Ukraine (SEC.PR/202/22):* Chairperson
- (b) *New donor-funded Support Programme for Ukraine, launched on 1 November 2022 (SEC.PR/203/22):* Chairperson

- (c) *Appointment of Ambassador H. Villadsen as Special Representative of the OSCE Chairman-in-Office – Project Co-ordinator in Ukraine, effective as of 1 November 2022 (CIO.GAL/62/22 OSCE+):* Chairperson, Russian Federation (PC.DEL/1665/22)
- (d) *Telephone conversation between the OSCE Chairman-in-Office, H.E. Mr. Z. Rau, and the Minister for Foreign Affairs of Sweden, H.E. Mr. T. Billström, on 3 November 2022:* Chairperson
- (e) *Appointment of Ambassador G. De Sanctis as Head of the OSCE Presence in Albania, effective as of 1 December 2022 (CIO.GAL/63/22 OSCE+):* Chairperson

Agenda item 6: REPORT OF THE SECRETARY GENERAL

None

Agenda item 7: ANY OTHER BUSINESS

None

4. Next meeting:

Thursday, 10 November 2022, at 10 a.m., in the Neuer Saal and via video teleconference



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**DECISION No. 1445
TIMETABLE OF THE TWENTY-NINTH MEETING OF THE
OSCE MINISTERIAL COUNCIL**

(Łódź, 1 and 2 December 2022)

The Permanent Council,

Recognizing that the Twenty-Ninth Meeting of the OSCE Ministerial Council will be conducted in accordance with the OSCE Rules of Procedure,

Decides:

To adopt the timetable of the Twenty-Ninth Meeting of the OSCE Ministerial Council as set out below.

Timetable

Thursday, 1 December 2022

- 10 a.m. **Opening session (open)**
- Formal opening and adoption of the agenda
 - Address by the OSCE Chairman-in-Office
 - Address by the President of the OSCE Parliamentary Assembly
 - Report by the OSCE Secretary General
- First plenary session (closed)**
- Statements by Heads of Delegations
- 1.45 p.m. Lunch for Ministers of Foreign Affairs or Heads of Delegations

- 3–6 p.m. **Second plenary session (closed)**
- Statements by Heads of Delegations

Friday, 2 December 2022

- 10 a.m. **Third plenary session (closed)**
- Statements by Heads of Delegations
 - Adoption of Ministerial Council documents and decisions
 - Closing statements by Delegations
 - Any other business
- 1.30 p.m. **Closing session (open)**
- Formal closure (statements by the current and incoming Chairpersons-in-Office)
- 2.30 p.m. Press conference

PC.DEC/1445
3 November 2022
Attachment

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**INTERPRETATIVE STATEMENT UNDER
PARAGRAPH IV.1(A)6 OF THE RULES OF PROCEDURE
OF THE ORGANIZATION FOR SECURITY AND
CO-OPERATION IN EUROPE**

By the delegation of the Russian Federation:

“In joining the consensus regarding the Permanent Council decision on the adoption of the timetable of the Twenty-Ninth Meeting of the OSCE Ministerial Council, the Russian Federation expresses its deep disappointment at the fact that once again it proved impossible to reach agreement on a list of international organizations, institutions and initiatives whose representatives will be invited to the Ministerial Council meeting and will have the right to address the meeting and/or distribute written statements, as provided for in the Rules of Procedure of the OSCE. The unacceptability of any hierarchy of international, regional and subregional organizations and associations is also made clear in the Platform for Co-operative Security, which was an integral part of the Charter for European Security signed at the Istanbul Summit in 1999.

We take the position that, in the absence of a Permanent Council decision on the organizational modalities for the Twenty-Ninth Meeting of the OSCE Ministerial Council, representatives of international organizations, institutions and initiatives will be invited to the meeting in accordance with the previous agreed list. In addition, statements by representatives of international organizations, institutions and initiatives during the Ministerial Council meeting should be possible solely in accordance with the Rules of Procedure of the OSCE – only on the basis of an oral consensus decision by all OSCE participating States.

I request that this statement be attached to the adopted decision and included in the journal of today’s meeting of the Permanent Council.”