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DECISION No. 2/08 TAKING NATIONAL HOLIDAYS INTO ACCOUNT WHEN PLANNING VERIFICATION ACTIVITIES

The Forum for Security Co-operation (FSC),

Attaching great importance to the effective implementation of existing confidenceand security-building measures (CSBMs),

Seeking to improve the implementation of these measures in light of the experience gained and the predominant practice of the participating States,

Decides:

Without prejudice to the right of each participating State under the Vienna Document to request and to conduct inspections and/or evaluations at a time determined by the inspecting/evaluating State, when preparing a request for an inspection or an evaluation visit, participating States will take into account the information that the participating States exchange on an annual basis on officially recognized national and religious holidays of the receiving State.