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41st JOINT MEETING OF THE FORUM FOR SECURITY CO-OPERATION AND THE PERMANENT COUNCIL

1. <u>Date</u>: Tuesday, 14 October 2009

 Opened:
 10.05 a.m.

 Closed:
 12.15 p.m.

- 2. <u>Chairperson</u>: Ambassador I. Cliff (FSC) (United Kingdom) Ambassador M. Marinaki (PC) (Greece) Ms. E. Sourani (Greece) Ms. B. Gare (United Kingdom)
- 3. <u>Subjects discussed Statements Decisions/documents adopted:</u>

Agenda item 1: SECURITY DIALOGUE

Presentation by Lieutenant General Jim Dutton, Deputy Commander of the International Security Assistance Force (ISAF), on ISAF's Mission and its Implications for OSCE participating States: Chairperson (PC), Chairperson (FSC), Mr. J. Dutton, Sweden-European Union (with the candidate countries Croatia and the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia; the countries of the Stabilisation and Association Process and potential candidate countries Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Montenegro and Serbia; the European Free Trade Association countries Iceland and Norway, members of the European Economic Area; as well as Armenia, Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine, in alignment) (FSC-PC.DEL/33/09), United States of America (FSC-PC.DEL/32/09), Canada, Russian Federation (FSC-PC.DEL/31/09 OSCE+), Kazakhstan, Turkey, Georgia, Luxembourg, Afghanistan (Partner for Co-operation)

Agenda item 2: FSC DECISION ON THE BEST PRACTICE GUIDE FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF THE VIENNA DOCUMENT 1999 CHAPTER IV, CONTACTS

Chairperson (FSC)

Decision: The Forum for Security Co-operation adopted Decision No. 8/09 (FSC.DEC/8/09), the text of which is appended to this journal, on the Best Practice Guide for Implementation of the Vienna Document 1999 Chapter IV, Contacts.

Russian Federation

Agenda item 3: ANY OTHER BUSINESS

- (a) *Organizational matters*: Chairperson (PC)
- (b) *Tenth anniversary of the European Security and Defence Policy (ESDP):* Sweden-European Union
- (c) Open meeting of the committee established pursuant to United Nations Security Council resolution 1540, held in New York from 30 September to 2 October 2009: Representative of the Conflict Prevention Centre
- 4. <u>Next meeting</u>:

To be announced



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DECISION No. 8/09 BEST PRACTICE GUIDE FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF THE VIENNA DOCUMENT 1999 CHAPTER IV, CONTACTS

The Forum for Security Co-operation (FSC),

Reaffirming its commitment to the full implementation of the Vienna Document 1999 (VD 99),

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

Seeking to improve the implementation of these measures in the light of practical experience gained,

Decides to:

 Welcome the development of the Best Practice Guide for Implementation of the Vienna Document 1999 Chapter IV, Contacts, FSC.AIAM/8/09/Rev.3, which covers, *inter alia*, practical recommendations on planning, preparing and arranging demonstration activities for visits to air bases, military facilities or formations in order to maximize their contribution to the CSBM process, and endorse it for publication.