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"Strengthening stability and security through co-operation on good governance"

CONCLUDING MEETING

Prague, 14 – 16 September 2016 Venue: Czernin Palace, Loretánské nám: 5, 118 00 Prague

ANNOTATED AGENDA

Wednesday, 14 September 2016

- 11:30 13:00 Welcome Buffet
- **13:00 14:30 Opening Plenary Session** (*open to the press*)

Welcoming remarks:

- Ambassador Eberhard Pohl, Chairperson of the OSCE Permanent Council, Permanent Representative of Germany to the OSCE, 2016 OSCE German Chairmanship
- H.E. Lubomír Zaorálek, Minister of Foreign Affairs, Czech Republic
- H.E. Lamberto Zannier, Secretary General, OSCE

Keynote speech:

 Dr. Gernot Erler, Special Representative of the Federal Government of Germany for the 2016 OSCE Chairmanship, Member of the German Bundestag

Moderator: Ambassador Eberhard Pohl, Chairperson of the OSCE Permanent Council, Permanent Representative of Germany to the OSCE, 2016 German OSCE Chairmanship **Rapporteur: Ms. Brigitte Krech**, Economic and Environmental Affairs Adviser, Office of the Co-ordinator of OSCE Economic and Environmental Activities

Statements by Delegations / Discussion

14:30 – 15:00 Coffee/Tea break

Presentation of the OSCE Handbook on Protecting Electricity Networks from Natural Hazards (Gallery Hall)

15:00 – 16:00 Session I (Panel Debate): Good governance, business climate and sustainable economic development

Selected topics:

- Good governance and its impact on business climate, sustainable economic development, stability and security
- Fostering good governance and integrity in the public and private sector
- Triangular co-operation between public sector, private sector and civil society in strengthening good governance

Moderator: Dr. Eric Frey, Managing Editor, Der Standard, Austria

Rapporteur: Mr. Merey Mukazhan, Second Secretary, Permanent Mission of the Republic of Kazakhstan to the International Organizations in Vienna

Speakers:

- **Mr. Štefan Füle**, Special Envoy for the OSCE and the Western Balkans, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Czech Republic, former Commissioner for Enlargement and Neighbourhood Policy
- Mr. Goran Svilanović, Secretary General, Regional Cooperation Council
- **Mr. Jan Žůrek**, Managing Partner, KPMG, Member of the Governmental Council for Sustainable Development, Czech Republic

Discussion

16:00 – 16:30 Coffee/Tea break

16:30 – 18:00 Session II: The way to Hamburg

Moderator: Ambassador Vuk Žugić, Permanent Representative of the Republic of Serbia to the OSCE, Chairperson of the OSCE Economic and Environmental Committee

Rapporteur: Mr. Uroš Milanović, Attaché, Permanent Mission of the Republic of Serbia to the OSCE

Introduction:

- **Dr. Gernot Erler**, Special Representative of the Federal Government of Germany for the 2016 OSCE Chairmanship, Member of the German Bundestag
- **18:30** Reception hosted by the 2016 German OSCE Chairmanship at the Embassy of the Federal Republic of Germany, Vlašská 347/19, 6118 00 Praha 1.

Thursday, 15 September 2016

09:30 – 11:00 Session III: The role of the private sector in fighting corruption, money-laundering and financing of terrorism for strengthening stability and security

Selected topics:

- Promoting integrity in the private sector
- Best practices on public-private co-operation in promoting good governance and fighting corruption
- Engaging private financial institutions and the corporate sector in combating corruption, money laundering and financing of terrorism

Moderator: Dr. Eric Frey, Managing Editor, Der Standard, Austria

Rapporteur: Ms. Zukhra Bektepova, Economic Affairs Officer, Office of the Co-ordinator of OSCE Economic and Environmental Activities

Speakers:

- **Mr. Drago Kos**, Chair of the OECD Working Group on Bribery in International Business Transactions
- **Mr. Tseesuren Nyamdorj**, Deputy Director, Commissioner in charge, Independent Authority Against Corruption of Mongolia, (IAAC), Mongolia
- **Dr. Marcin Walecki**, Head, Democratization Department, Office for Democratic Institutions and Human Rights (ODIHR)
- **Mr. Michael Nagl**, Manager Global Investigations, Western Union Payment Services Ireland Ltd., Austria
- **Mr. Nazar Kholodnytskyi**, Deputy Prosecutor General, Head of the Specialized Anti-Corruption Prosecutor's Office, Ukraine

Discussion

11:00 – 11:30 Coffee/Tea break

11:30 - 13:00Session IV: Trade facilitation measures and good governance in
supply chains

Selected topics:

- Trade facilitation, border management and digital transformation
- Harmonizing and simplifying procedures in order to promote trade facilitation and strengthen good governance
- Regulatory frameworks in promoting labour, social and environmental standards in supply chains

• Public-private partnerships in promoting connectivity and trade facilitation

Moderator: Mr. Walter Kemp, Vice President and Chief Operations Officer, International Peace Institute

Rapporteur: Mr. Tarash Papaskua, Counsellor, Permanent Mission of Georgia to the OSCE

Speakers:

- **Ms. Ana Hinojosa**, Director of Compliance and Facilitation, World Customs Organization (WCO)
- **Ms. Asli Gurates,** Customs expert, Transport Facilitation and Economics Section Sustainable Transport Division, UNECE
- **Ms. Natascha Weisert,** Senior Policy Officer, Division for Sustainability Standards, Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development, Germany
- Ambassador Madina Jarbussynova, OSCE Special Representative and Co-ordinator to Combat Trafficking in Human Beings
- Mr. Carlos Grau Tanner, Director General, Global Express Association

Discussion

13:00 – 14:30 Lunch break

14:30 – 16:00 Session V: Good environmental governance and its impact on economic development, stability and security

Selected topics:

- Good environmental governance, sustainable development and green economy
- The role of national environmental regulatory frameworks for economic growth, stability and security
- Resource efficiency and innovation for sustainable economic development
- Enhancing transparency and stakeholder participation in environmental decision-making

Moderator: Ms. Marta Szigeti Bonifert Executive Director, Regional Environmental Center for Central and Eastern Europe

Rapporteur: Ms. Jenniver Sehring, Environmental Affairs Adviser, Office of the Co-ordinator of OSCE Economic and Environmental Activities

Speakers:

- Mr. Marco Keiner, Director, Environment Division, UNECE
- **Ms. Lyazzat Ryssymbetova**, Representative of the Commissioner of the International Specialized Exhibition Astana EXPO-2017 "Future Energy", Kazakhstan
- **Prof. Pavel Danihelka**, Head of the Laboratory of Risk Research and Management, Faculty of Safety Engineering, Technical University of Ostrava, Czech Republic
- **Mr. Jan Lüneburg**, Head of Democratization Department, OSCE Mission to Serbia
- Ms. Olga Zakharova, Manager, Aarhus Centre Minsk, Belarus

Discussion

16:00 – 16:30 Coffee/Tea break

16:30 – 17:30 Review of the implementation of the OSCE commitments relevant to the theme of the 24th Economic and Environmental Forum

Selected topics:

- Presentation of the Review Report
- Forward looking discussion on the Review Report's main findings and recommendations

Moderator: Dr. Halil Yurdakul Yiğitgüden, Co-ordinator of OSCE Economic and Environmental Activities

Rapporteur: Ms. Tatiana Varacheva, Office of the Co-ordinator of OSCE Economic and Environmental Activities

Speakers:

- **Mr. Alexey Stukalo**, former Deputy Co-ordinator of the Office of the Co-ordinator of OSCE Economic and Environmental Activities
- Mr. Patrick Taran, President, Global Migration Policy Associates
- **Prof. Stephen Stec**, Visiting Professor, Department of Environmental Science and Policy, Central European University, Hungary

Discussion

18:00 Reception hosted by the Co-ordinator of OSCE Economic and Environmental Activities in the Gardens of the Czernin Palace

Friday, 16 September 2016

09:30 – 10:30 Session VI (Panel Debate): Good migration governance and labour market integration

Selected topics:

- Demographic shifts, labour market needs and migrant workers` skills
- Effective labour migration policies and its contribution to economic growth, stability and security
- Global competition for talents and innovative migration policies
- The role of the private sector in good migration governance

Moderator: Mr. Erik Tabery, Chief Editor "Respekt", Czech Republic

Rapporteur: Ms. Teresa Albano, Economic Affairs Officer, Office of the Co-ordinator of OSCE Economic and Environmental Activities

Speakers:

- **Prof. Rainer Münz**, Adviser on Migration and Demography to the European Political Strategy Centre, European Commission
- **H.E. Ms. Nilza de Sena,** Chair of the Committee for Economic Affairs, Science, Technology and Environment, OSCE Parliamentary Assembly
- Mr. Renald Grégoire, Counsellor for Immigration, Embassy of Canada in Austria
- **Dr. Martin Gleitsmann**, Head of Social Policy and Health Department, Federal Austrian Economic Chamber, Austria

Discussion

10:30 – 11:00 Coffee/Tea break

11:00 – 12:00 Concluding Plenary Session – Follow-up to the 24th OSCE Economic and Environmental Forum

- General Discussion
- Closing statements

Moderator: Ambassador Eberhard Pohl, Chairperson of the OSCE Permanent Council, Permanent Representative of Germany to the OSCE, 2016 OSCE German Chairmanship

Rapporteur: Ms. Alena Baur, Attachée, Permanent Mission of Austria to the OSCE

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- **Dr. Halil Yurdakul Yiğitgüden**, Co-ordinator of OSCE Economic and Environmental Activities
- **Ambassador Florian Raunig**, Head of the Task Force for the 2017 Austrian OSCE Chairmanship, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Austria