8th EPRI conference Preliminary Agenda



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## **Eighth European Conference of Members of National Parliaments on Information and Communication Technologies -** Prague 15 – 16 March 2006-

At the cross point of eGovernment & eDemocracy: How ICT in the parliamentarian environment is setting standards in participation and usage



## Wednesday 15 March

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Slot	Time	Preliminary Title	Speaker/Comment		
101	16:00-17:00	Coffee, Registration			
102	17:00- 17:10	Opening speech by the Speaker of the Czech Senate	Mr. Premysl Sobotka		
103	17:10- 17:20	Welcome address and information about the evening event and the agenda of the next day by the Chairman of the Standing Senate Commission on Media	Mr. Jiri Oberfalzer		
104	18:00- 19:00	A guided tour of the National Library			
105	19:30-23:00	Dinner hosted by the Speaker of the Czech Senate	Restaurant "U Vejvodu" – Czech typical dish		
Thursday 16 March					
Slot	Time	Preliminary Title	Speaker/Comment		
201	8:30-9:00	Coffee, registration			
202	9:00- 9:30	Summary of the previous conference	Mrs. Monica Green (MP)		
203	9:30- 10:00	Keynote 1: Benchmarking of current technologies and usage standards in eDemocracy Applications	Mr. Richard Allan Head of Government Affairs, UK and Ireland, Cisco Systems		
204	10:00- 10:30	Presentation:eDemocracy development and implementation in the New Member States in line with the Lisbon Strategy	Mr. Olav Aarna Chairman of the Cultural Affairs Committee, Estonian Parliament		
205	10:30-10:45	Coffee break			
206	10:45- 11:15	Keynote 2: Transforming Services in eDemocracy and eGovernment- Similarities & Varieties	N.N		
207	11:15- 11:45	Presentation: eDemocracy in the perspective of the eCzech Strategy 2006	Preliminary: Mr. Jiri Oberfalzer		
208	11:45- 12:15	Keynote 3: The Parliament as focal point of societal discussion and problem solution: How eDemocracy supports basic standards of monitoring, participation and traceability	Dr.h.c. Susanne Kastner Vice President German Bundestag		
209	12:15- 13:15	Photo Session Lunch break Exhibition of current	Sala Terrena		



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		technology solutions in the Czech Senate	
210 211	13:15- 13:45 13:45- 14:30	EPRI - Information Round table discussion with three or four delegates Moderator: XXX	Marco Langhof N.N
212	14:30- 15:00	General discussion	
213	15:00- 15:30	Coffee break	
214	15:30- 15:45	Summary – Resolution- Conclusion	
215	15:45- 16:00	Closure	
216	16:15 -	Optional guided sight-seeing tour in boat	