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DRAFT ORDER OF BUSINESS
of the third part of the 2007 Ordinary Session
(25-29 June 2007)

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Monday 25 June 2007

- 8 a.m. Bureau of the Assembly
- 9.30 a.m. Political groups
- 11.30 a.m. 1. Opening of the third part of the 2007 Ordinary Session**
- a. Statement by Mr René van der Linden, President of the Parliamentary Assembly
 - b. Examination of new credentials (Doc.)
 - c. Election of a Vice-President of the Assembly with respect to Slovakia
 - d. Changes in the membership of Committees
 - e. Request(s) for current affairs debate or debate under urgent procedure
 - f. Adoption of the order of business
 - g. Adoption of the minutes of the meeting of the Standing Committee (24 May 2007, Belgrade)
- 12 noon 2. Address by Mr Alfred GUSENBAUER, Federal Chancellor of Austria**
Questions
- 1 p.m. End of the sitting**
- 2 p.m. Committees
- 3 p.m. 1. Progress report of the Bureau of the Assembly and the Standing Committee (Doc.)**
Rapporteur: Mrs Darja Lavtižar-Bebler (Slovenia, ALDE)
- Observation of the parliamentary elections in Armenia (12 May 2007) (Doc.)
Rapporteur: Mr Leo Platvoet (Netherlands, UEL)
- Debate and approval
- 2. Euro-Mediterranean agricultural and rural policy (Doc.)**
Rapporteur of the Committee on the Environment, Agriculture and Local and Regional Affairs
Committee: Mr Walter Schmied (Switzerland, ALDE)
Deadline for tabling amendments: Monday 25 June at 12 noon.
- Statement by Mr Jacques DIOUF, Director-General of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO)**
- Debate
Vote on ...
- 5 p.m. End of the sitting**
- 5 p.m. Political groups

Tuesday 26 June 2007

8.30 a.m. Committees

- 10 a.m. **1.a. Election of the Deputy Secretary General of the Council of Europe (Doc. 11284)**
(from 10 a.m. to 1 pm)
1.b. Election of a judge to the European Court of Human Rights with respect to Cyprus (Doc. 11231) (from 10 a.m. to 1 pm)

Intercultural and inter-religious dialogue

- 2.a. State, religion, secularity and human rights (Doc.)**
Rapporteur of the Committee on Culture, Science and Education: Mr Lluís Maria de Puig (Spain, SOC)
Deadline for tabling amendments: Monday 25 June at 4 p.m.
- 2.b. Blasphemy, religious insults and hate speech against persons on grounds of their religion (Doc.)**
Rapporteur of the Committee on Culture, Science and Education: Mrs Sinikka Hurskainen (Finland, SOC)
Rapporteur of the Committee on Legal Affairs and Human Rights (for opinion) (Doc.): ...
Rapporteur of the Committee on Equal Opportunities for Women and Men (for opinion) (Doc.): Mr John Dupraz (Switzerland, ALDE)
Deadline for tabling amendments: Monday 25 June at 4 p.m.
- 2.c. The dangers of creationism in education (Doc.)**
Rapporteur of the Committee on Culture, Science and Education: Mr Guy Lengagne (France, SOC)
Deadline for tabling amendments: Monday 25 June at 4 p.m.

Statement by Mr Hans-Gert PÖTTERING, President of the European Parliament*

Joint debate

- 12 noon **3. Address by Mr José Luis RODRÍGUEZ ZAPATERO, Prime Minister of Spain***
Questions

1 p.m. **End of the sitting**

2 p.m. Committees

3 p.m. **Intercultural and inter-religious dialogue (continued)**

- 1.a. State, religion, secularity and human rights (Doc.)**
Deadline for tabling amendments: Monday 25 June at 4 p.m.
- 1.b. Blasphemy, religious insults and hate speech against persons on grounds of their religion (Doc.)**
Deadline for tabling amendments: Monday 25 June at 4 p.m.
- 1.c. The dangers of creationism in education (Doc.)**
Deadline for tabling amendments: Monday 25 June at 4 p.m.

Joint debate (continued)
Votes on ...

- 2. The European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD): focus on Eastern and South-Eastern Europe (Doc.)**
Rapporteur of the Committee on Economic Affairs and Development: Mr Carles Gasòliba i Bóhm (Spain, ALDE)
Deadline for tabling amendments: Monday 25 June at 4 p.m.

Statement by Mr Jean LEMIERRE, President of the EBRD

Debate
Vote on ...

- 3. Promotion by Council of Europe member states of an international moratorium on the death penalty (Doc.)**
Rapporteur of the Committee on Legal Affairs and Human Rights: Mr Pietro Marcenaro (Italy, SOC)
Rapporteur of the Political Affairs Committee (for opinion) (Doc.): Mrs Fátima Aburto Baselga (Spain, SOC)
Deadline for tabling amendments: Monday 25 June at 4 p.m.

Debate
Vote on ...

7.30 p.m. **End of the sitting**

* **Subject to confirmation.**

Wednesday 27 June 2007

8.30 a.m. Political groups

10 a.m. 1. **[Possibly 2nd round] Election of a judge to the European Court of Human Rights with respect to Cyprus (Doc. 11231)** (from 10 a.m. to 1 pm)

2. **Alleged secret detentions and unlawful inter-state transfers of detainees involving Council of Europe member states (Doc.)**

Rapporteur of the Committee on Legal Affairs and Human Rights: Mr Dick Marty (Switzerland, ALDE)

Deadline for tabling amendments: Tuesday 26 June at 10.30 a.m.

Debate

Vote on ...

12 noon 3. **Address by an invited personality***
Questions

1 p.m. **End of the sitting**

2 p.m. Committees

3 p.m. 1. **Combating anti-Semitism in Europe (Doc.)**
Rapporteur of the Political Affairs Committee: Mr Mikhail Margelov (Russian Federation, EDG)
Rapporteur of the Committee on Legal Affairs and Human Rights (for opinion) (Doc.): Mr Rudy Salles (France, ALDE)
Deadline for tabling amendments: Tuesday 26 June at 3.30 p.m.

Statement by Rabbi Arthur SCHNEIER, Chairperson of the Appeal of Conscience Foundation*

Debate

Vote on ...

2. **Situation of longstanding refugees and displaced persons in South-East Europe (Doc. 11289)**

Rapporteur of the Committee on Migration, Refugees and Population: Mr Nikolaos Dendias (Greece, EPP/CD)

Deadline for tabling amendments: Tuesday 26 June at 3.30 p.m.

Statement by Mr António GUTERRES, United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees

Debate

Vote on a draft recommendation

7.30 p.m. **End of the sitting**

* **Subject to confirmation.**

Thursday 28 June 2007

8.30 a.m. Committees

- 10 a.m.**
- 1. Prosecution of offences falling within the jurisdiction of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia (ICTY) (Doc. 11281)**
Rapporteur of the Committee on Legal Affairs and Human Rights: Mr Tony Lloyd (United Kingdom, SOC)
Deadline for tabling amendments: Wednesday 27 June at 10.30 a.m.

Statement by Mrs Carla DEL PONTE, Chief Prosecutor of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia (ICTY)

Debate
Vote on a draft resolution
Vote on a draft recommendation

- 2. [Possibly] Debate under urgent procedure****
Deadline for tabling amendments: ...

Debate
Vote on ...

1 p.m. End of the sitting

2 p.m. Committees

- 3 p.m.**
- 1. Communication from the Committee of Ministers to the Parliamentary Assembly presented by Mr Vuk JEREMIĆ, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Serbia, Chairperson of the Committee of Ministers**
Questions (Doc.)
(Questions must be tabled by Wednesday 27 June at 10.30 a.m. at the latest)

- 2. Honouring of obligations and commitments by the Principality of Monaco (Doc.)**
Co-Rapporteurs of the Committee on the Honouring of Obligations and Commitments by Member States of the Council of Europe (Monitoring Committee): Mr Pedro Agramunt (Spain, EPP/CD) and Mr Leonid Slutsky (Russian Federation, SOC)
Deadline for tabling amendments: Wednesday 27 June at 3.30 p.m.

Debate
Vote on ...

6.30 p.m. End of the sitting

6.30 p.m. Joint Committee

**** If the urgent procedure is decided by the Assembly.**

Friday 29 June 2007

8.30 a.m. Bureau of the Assembly

- 10 a.m.**
- 1. The image of women in advertising (Doc. 11286)**
Rapporteur of the Committee on Equal Opportunities for Women and Men: Mrs Gülsün Bilgehan (Turkey, SOC)
Deadline for tabling amendments: Thursday 28 June at 10.30 a.m.

Debate
Vote on a draft resolution
Vote on a draft recommendation

- 2. Iran's nuclear programme: the need for an international response (Doc.)**
Rapporteur of the Political Affairs Committee: Mr Göran Lindblad (Sweden, EPP/CD)
Deadline for tabling amendments: Thursday 28 June at 10.30 a.m.

Debate
Vote on ...

- 3. Europe's social dimension: full implementation of the revised European Social Charter and evaluation of new labour regulations and minimum wages (Doc. 11277)**
Rapporteur of the Social, Health and Family Affairs Committee: Mr Walter Riester (Germany, SOC)
Rapporteur of the Committee on Economic Affairs and Development (for opinion) (Doc.): ...
Deadline for tabling amendments: Thursday 28 June at 10.30 a.m.

Debate
Vote on a draft resolution

1 p.m. Closure of the third part of the 2007 Ordinary Session