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**DRAFT ORDER OF BUSINESS**  
**of the fourth part of the 2007 Ordinary Session**  
**(1-5 October 2007)**  
**provisionally drawn up by the Bureau of the Assembly**  
**on 29 June 2007**

**Monday 1 October 2007**

8 a.m. Bureau of the Assembly

9.30 a.m. Political groups

**11.30 a.m. 1. Opening of the fourth 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. Changes in the membership of Committees
- d. Request(s) for current affairs debate or debate under urgent procedure
- e. Adoption of the order of business

**2. Progress report of the Bureau of the Assembly and the Standing Committee (Doc. )**

*Rapporteur: Mr Göran Lindblad (Sweden, EPP/CD)*

Observation of the parliamentary elections in Turkey (22 July 2007) (Doc. )

*Rapporteur of the Ad Hoc Committee of the Bureau: Mr Luc Van den Brande (Belgium, EPP/CD)*

Observation of the parliamentary elections in Kazakhstan (18 August 2007) (Doc. )

*Rapporteur of the Ad Hoc Committee of the Bureau: Mr David Wilshire (United Kingdom, EDG)*

Debate and approval

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

2 p.m. Committees

**3 p.m. 1. Address by an invited personality\***

Questions

**2.a. The activities of the International Organization for Migration (IOM) (Doc. )**

*Rapporteur of the Committee on Migration, Refugees and Population: Mrs Gultakin Hajiyeva (Azerbaijan, EPP/CD)*

*Rapporteur of the Political Affairs Committee (for opinion) (Doc. ): Mr Tadeusz Iwiński (Poland, SOC)*

Deadline for tabling amendments: Monday 1 October at 12 noon.

**2.b. Regularisation programmes for irregular migrants (Doc. )**

*Rapporteur of the Committee on Migration, Refugees and Population: Mr John Greenway (United Kingdom, EDG)*

Deadline for tabling amendments: Monday 1 October at 12 noon.

**Statement by Mr Brunson McKINLEY, Director General of the International Organization for Migration (IOM)**

Joint debate

Vote on ...

Vote on ...

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

5 p.m. Political groups

**\* Subject to confirmation.**

**Tuesday 2 October 2007**

8.30 a.m. Committees

- 10 a.m.**
- 1. Election of [20] judges to the European Court of Human Rights (Doc. )**  
(from 10 a.m. to 1 pm)
  - 2. Global warming and ecological disasters (Doc. )**  
*Rapporteur of the Committee on the Environment, Agriculture and Local and Regional Affairs: Mr Alan Meale (United Kingdom, SOC)*  
Deadline for tabling amendments: Monday 1 October at 4 p.m.

**Statement by an invited personality\***

Debate  
Vote on ...

- 12 noon**
- 3. Address by Patriarch ALEXY II of Moscow and all Russia**  
Questions

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

2 p.m. Committees

- 3 p.m.**
- 1. Address by an invited personality\***  
Questions
  - 2. Member states' duty to co-operate with the European Court of Human Rights (Doc. 11183)**  
*Rapporteur of the Committee on Legal Affairs and Human Rights: Mr Christos Pourgourides (Cyprus, EPP/CD)*  
Deadline for tabling amendments: Monday 1 October at 4 p.m.  
  
Debate  
Vote on a draft resolution  
Vote on a draft recommendation
  - 3. Towards decriminalisation of defamation (Doc. 11305)**  
*Rapporteur of the Committee on Legal Affairs and Human Rights: Mr Jaume Bartumeu Cassany (Andorra, SOC)*  
Deadline for tabling amendments: Monday 1 October at 4 p.m.  
  
Debate  
Vote on a draft resolution  
Vote on a draft recommendation
  - 4. Honouring of obligations and commitments by Moldova (Doc. )**  
*Co-Rapporteurs of the Committee on the Honouring of Obligations and Commitments by Member States of the Council of Europe (Monitoring Committee): Mrs Josette Durrieu (France, SOC) and Mr Ejidijus Vareikis (Lithuania, EPP/CD)*  
Deadline for tabling amendments: Monday 1 October at 4 p.m.  
  
Debate  
Vote on ...

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

\* Subject to confirmation.

## Wednesday 3 October 2007

8.30 a.m. Political groups

**10 a.m. 1. [Possibly 2<sup>nd</sup> round] Election of [20] judges to the European Court of Human Rights (Doc. )** (from 10 a.m. to 1 pm)

**2. The humanitarian crisis in Darfur (Doc. )**

*Rapporteur of the Committee on Migration, Refugees and Population: Mrs Ruth-Gaby Vermot-Mangold (Switzerland, SOC)*

*Rapporteur of the Social, Health and Family Affairs Committee (for opinion) (Doc. ): ...*

Deadline for tabling amendments: Tuesday 2 October at 10.30 a.m.

**Statement by Mr Bernard KOUCHNER, Minister for Foreign and European Affairs of France\***

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. Regionalisation in Europe (Doc. )**

*Rapporteur of the Committee on the Environment, Agriculture and Local and Regional Affairs: Mr Lluís Maria de Puig (Spain, SOC)*

Deadline for tabling amendments: Tuesday 2 October at 3.30 p.m.

Debate

Vote on ...

**2. The OECD and the world economy (Doc. prov.)\*\***

*Rapporteur of the Committee on Economic Affairs and Development: Mrs Antigoni Papadopoulou (Cyprus, ALDE)*

Deadline for tabling amendments: Tuesday 2 October at 7 p.m.

Contribution from the Social, Health and Family Affairs Committee (Doc. )  
(Spokesperson: Mrs Maria de Belém Roseira (Portugal, SOC))

Contribution from the Committee on Migration, Refugees and Population (Doc. )  
(Spokesperson: Mr Hakki Keskin (Germany, UEL))

Contribution from the Committee on Culture, Science and Education (Doc. )  
(Spokesperson: Baroness Hooper (United Kingdom, EDG))

Contribution from the Committee on the Environment, Agriculture and Local and Regional Affairs (Doc. ) (Spokesperson: Mrs Eva García Pastor (Andorra, ALDE))

**Statement by Mr Angel GURRÍA, Secretary-General of the OECD\***

Enlarged debate

Vote on ...

**3. Realising both economic growth and social protection in Europe in an era of globalisation (Doc. )**

*Rapporteur of the Committee on Economic Affairs and Development: Mr Tony Lloyd (United Kingdom, SOC)*

*Rapporteur of the Social, Health and Family Affairs Committee (for opinion) (Doc. ): Mr Cezar Florin Preda (Romania, EPP/CD)*

Deadline for tabling amendments: Tuesday 2 October at 3.30 p.m.

Debate

Vote on ...

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

\* Subject to confirmation.

\*\* Debate and vote according to the Rules of Procedure for enlarged debates on the activities of the OECD.

**Thursday 4 October 2007**

8.30 a.m. Committees

**10 a.m. 1. [Possibly] Debate under urgent procedure\*\*\***

Deadline for tabling amendments: ...

Debate  
Vote on ...

**OR**

**1. A report appearing on the Agenda**

**2. For a European drug convention on promoting public health policy in drug control (Doc. )**

*Rapporteur of the Social, Health and Family Affairs Committee: Mr Paul Flynn (United Kingdom, SOC)*

Deadline for tabling amendments: Wednesday 3 October at 10.30 a.m.

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 3 October at 10.30 a.m. at the latest)

**2. Prostitution – which stance to take? (Doc. )**

*Rapporteur of the Committee on Equal Opportunities for Women and Men: Mr Leo Platvoet (Netherlands, UEL)*

Deadline for tabling amendments: Wednesday 3 October at 3.30 p.m.

Debate  
Vote on ...

**3. [Possibly] The dangers of creationism in education (Doc. )**

*Rapporteur of the Committee on Culture, Science and Education: Mrs Anne Brasseur (Luxembourg, ALDE)*

Deadline for tabling amendments: Wednesday 3 October at 3.30 p.m.

Debate  
Vote on ...

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

6.30 p.m. Joint Committee

\* Subject to confirmation.

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

**Friday 5 October 2007**

8.30 a.m. Bureau of the Assembly

- 10 a.m.**
- 1. The political dimension of Council of Europe budget (Doc. )**  
*Rapporteur of the Committee on Economic Affairs and Development: ...*  
Deadline for tabling amendments: Thursday 4 October at 10.30 a.m.

Debate  
Vote on ...
  - 2. "Parliaments united in combating domestic violence against women": mid-term assessment (Doc. )**  
*Rapporteur of the Committee on Equal Opportunities for Women and Men: Mr José Mendes Bota (Portugal, EPP/CD)*  
Deadline for tabling amendments: Thursday 4 October at 10.30 a.m.

Debate  
Vote on ...
  - 3. The concept of preventive war and its consequences for international relations (Doc. 11293)**  
*Rapporteur of the Political Affairs Committee: Mr Lluís Maria de Puig (Spain, SOC)*  
Deadline for tabling amendments: Thursday 4 October at 10.30 a.m.

Debate  
Vote on a draft resolution
  - 4. Draft Convention of the Council of Europe on the adoption of children (revised) (Doc. 11274 + Doc. )**  
*Rapporteur of the Committee on Legal Affairs and Human Rights: Mr Jaume Bartumeu Cassany (Andorra, SOC)*  
*Rapporteur of the Social, Health and Family Affairs Committee (for opinion) (Doc. ):*  
*Mrs Ruth-Gaby Vermot-Mangold (Switzerland, SOC)*  
Deadline for tabling amendments: Thursday 4 October at 10.30 a.m.

Debate  
Vote on ...
- 1 p.m. Closure of the fourth part of the 2007 Ordinary Session**