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To: Heads of Delegation

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OECD Parliamentary Events in February 2009

This note draws to your attention two high level parliamentary events which are scheduled to take place in February:

1. The annual meeting between the OECD Secretariat and the **Economics and Security Committee of the NATO Parliamentary Assembly** will take place on Wednesday 18th February 2009 from 9:30 to 14:00 in Room CC9 of the OECD Conference Centre.

The NATO Parliamentary Assembly will be responsible for directly inviting parliamentarians from its member countries. They will provide us with a list of those parliamentarians attending a few days before the meeting. Information on this year's event can be found in the following document C/INF(2008)4/REV1.

Parliamentarians from non-NATO OECD countries are welcome to attend this meeting. I would therefore be very grateful if delegations of the non-NATO countries could contact the parliamentary/legislative branch of their governments, inviting them to designate up to two participants to attend this meeting.

2. The next OECD **high-level parliamentary seminar** will take place on Thursday 19th February 2009. Information on the most recent seminar can be found in the following document C/INF(2008)15/REV1

We will send permanent delegations further information on both of these meetings in the coming weeks.

With my best regards.

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