



*Cortes Generales*

**DRAFT AGENDA FOR THE XLIII COSAC  
30 MAY – 1 JUNE 2010, MADRID  
CONGRESS OF DEPUTIES**

**SUNDAY, 30 MAY**

- 16.00 Meeting of the Presidential Troika**
- 17.00 Departure to Toledo**
- 18.00 Guided tour of Toledo**
- 20.30 Dinner at a *cigarral*, hosted by Mr Miguel ARIAS CAÑETE, Chair of the Cortes Generales Joint Committee for the European Union**

**MONDAY, 31 MAY**

- 8.00 Political families' meetings**
- 9.30 Opening**
  - Welcome address by Mr José BONO MARTÍNEZ, Speaker of the Congress of Deputies (*to be confirmed*)**
  - Welcome address by Mr Miguel ARIAS CAÑETE, Chair of the Cortes Generales Joint Committee for the European Union**
  - Adoption of the agenda**
- 10.00 Address by Mr José Luis RODRÍGUEZ ZAPATERO, Prime Minister**
  - Debate**
- 11.45 Coffee break**



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**12.00 The future role of COSAC after the entry into force of the Treaty of Lisbon, in view of the 13th Bi-annual Report**

*Speakers:*

Mr **Hubert HAENEL** Senator for Haut Rhin and Chair of the European Affairs Committee of the French Senate

Mr **Juan MOSCOSO DEL PRADO HERNÁNDEZ**, Deputy for Navarre and Socialist Party Group Spokesperson before the Cortes Generales Joint Committee for the European Union

Debate

**14.00 Family photo**

Luncheon at the *Casino de Madrid*, hosted by Mr Miguel ARIAS CAÑETE, Chair of the Cortes Generales Joint Committee for the European Union

**16.15 Conclusions of the Conference of Speakers of the Parliaments of the European Union**

*Speaker:*

Mr **Per WESTERBERG**, Speaker of the Swedish Parliament

**16.30 The future of the European Union**

*Speaker:*

Mr **Felipe GONZÁLEZ MÁRQUEZ**, former Prime Minister of Spain and Chairman of the Reflection Group on the Future of Europe

Debate

**18.30 Chairpersons' meeting**

Contribution and Conclusions of the XLIII COSAC

**19.30 Return to hotels**

**20.30 Visit to the Art Museum Centro Nacional de Arte Reina Sofía**

**21.30 Dinner at the Hotel Ritz, hosted by Mr Miguel ARIAS CAÑETE, Chair of the Cortes Generales Joint Committee for the European Union**



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**TUESDAY, 1 JUNE**

**9.30 The political priorities of the new European Commission**

*Speaker:*

*Mr José Manuel DURAO BARROSO, President of the European Commission (to be confirmed)*

Debate

**11.30 Coffee break**

**11.45 The new model for relations between the national Parliaments and the European Parliament after the entry into force of the Treaty of Lisbon**

*Speakers:*

*Mr Elmar BROK, Member of the European Parliament (to be confirmed)*

*Mr José María GIL-ROBLES Y GIL-DELGADO, former Member of the European Parliament and former President of the European Parliament*

*Mr Vitalino CANAS, Chair of the European Affairs Committee of the Portuguese Assembly of the Republic*

Debate

**13.30 Adoption of the Contribution and Conclusions of the XLIII COSAC**

**14.00 Buffet lunch**