

The Secretary General

Strasbourg, 23 November 2010

Dear Member of the Assembly,

I have the pleasure to inform you that the first part of the 2011 Session of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe will take place in Strasbourg from **Monday 24 to Friday 28 January 2011**.

You will find enclosed the preliminary draft agenda as drawn up by the Bureau on 11 November 2010 which indicates when the different reports are foreseen for debate as well as the interventions of personalities invited to this Part-Session. All these documents are or will be available on the Assembly's website (http://assembly.coe.int).

At its meeting in Paris on 13 December 2010, the Bureau will finalise the draft agenda, which I will send you thereafter, along with the forms you can use to register on the lists of speakers for the different debates and/or to put a question to the invited personalities or to the Chairperson of the Committee of Ministers.

I would like to draw your attention in particular to the address by Mr Abdullah Gül, President of Turkey on Tuesday 25 January and the communications by Mr Ahmet Davutoğlu, Minister of Foreign Affairs of Turkey, Chairperson of the Committee of Ministers and Mr Thorbjørn Jagland, Secretary General of the Council of Europe on Monday 24 January.

Should you require a visa for France, I would kindly ask you to take the necessary steps without delay.

Yours sincerely, with my best regards,

Mateo Sorinas

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