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## **DECISION No. 233**

The Permanent Council,

In view of the discussions in the framework of the Contact Group with the Mediterranean partners for co-operation, and

In the light of the continued interest shown by the Mediterranean partners in becoming better acquainted with OSCE activities and the desire of participating States to improve the quality of the interaction between the Mediterranean partners for co-operation and the work of our Organization,

Decides that

- OSCE Missions will, on a case-by-case basis, and in accordance with modalities to be established by the Missions and the Secretariat, receive representatives sent by partners for co-operation for short-term visits;
- the ODIHR will make arrangements for inclusion of observers sent by partners for co-operation in election monitoring or supervision operations organized by the OSCE, and will establish appropriate modalities for such participation.