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## DECISION No. 1367 DATES OF THE 2020 ANNUAL SECURITY REVIEW CONFERENCE (ASRC)

The Permanent Council,

Taking into account the recommendation of the Forum for Security Co-operation,

Decides that the 2020 Annual Security Review Conference will take place in Vienna from 23 to 25 June 2020.

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## INTERPRETATIVE STATEMENT UNDER PARAGRAPH IV.1(A)6 OF THE RULES OF PROCEDURE OF THE ORGANIZATION FOR SECURITY AND CO-OPERATION IN EUROPE

By the delegation of the Russian Federation:

"In joining the consensus on the Permanent Council decision on the dates of the 2020 Annual Security Review Conference (ASRC), we believe that it is essential to implement the provision of the 2002 Ministerial Council decision in Porto (MC(10).DEC/3) that 'delegations of participating States ... be reinforced at senior level from capitals'. In the event that the continuing COVID-19 pandemic makes it impossible to ensure the physical presence and geographically balanced and equal participation of all interested State representatives, we shall consider it necessary to postpone the holding of the ASRC until a later date.

I request that this statement be attached to the adopted decision of the Permanent Council and included in the journal of the day."