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1. <u>Date</u>: Thursday, 27 October 2005

Opened: 10.10 a.m. Closed: 12.30 p.m.

2. <u>Chairperson</u>: Mr. J. Lenarčič

3. Subjects discussed — Statements — Decisions:

Agenda item 1: ADDRESS BY THE MINISTER FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF LITHUANIA, H.E. ANTANAS VALIONIS

Minister for Foreign Affairs of Lithuania (PC.DEL/1057/05), Ukraine (also on behalf of Azerbaijan, Georgia and Moldova), Russian Federation (PC.DEL/1066/05 OSCE+), United States of America (PC.DEL/1075/05), Norway (PC.DEL/1061/05), Iceland, Kazakhstan, Belarus (PC.DEL/1059/05), Chairperson

Agenda item 2: REVIEW OF CURRENT ISSUES

- (a) Case of the Belarusian Helsinki Committee: United Kingdom-European Union (with the acceding countries Bulgaria and Romania; the candidate countries Croatia and Turkey; the countries of the Stabilisation and Association Process and potential candidate countries Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Serbia and Montenegro; the European Free Trade Association country Iceland, member of the European Economic Area; as well as Ukraine, in alignment) (PC.DEL/1053/05), United States of America (PC.DEL/1076/05), Belarus
- (b) Parliamentary elections in Azerbaijan, to be held on 6 November 2005: Azerbaijan (PC.DEL/1052/05)
- (c) Turkmenistan's support for international efforts on non-proliferation of weapons of mass destruction and presidential pardoning of prisoners: Turkmenistan (PC.DEL/1062/05 Restr.)

(d) Situation of the media and human rights NGOs in Uzbekistan: Uzbekistan (PC.DEL/1058/05)

Agenda item 3: OSCE CENTRE IN BISHKEK

Chairperson, Head of the OSCE Centre in Bishkek (PC.FR/21/05 OSCE+), Kyrgyzstan (PC.DEL/1072/05 OSCE+), United Kingdom-European Union (with the acceding countries Bulgaria and Romania; the candidate countries Croatia and Turkey; the countries of the Stabilisation and Association Process and potential candidate countries Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Serbia and Montenegro; as well as Moldova and Ukraine, in alignment) (PC.DEL/1054/05), Russian Federation (PC.DEL/1055/05 OSCE+), Ukraine (also on behalf of Azerbaijan, Georgia and Moldova), United States of America (PC.DEL/1074/05), Canada (PC.DEL/1068/05), Switzerland, Kazakhstan, Norway (PC.DEL/1064/05), Belarus

Agenda item 4: OSCE SPILLOVER MONITOR MISSION TO SKOPJE

Head of the OSCE Spillover Monitor Mission to Skopje (PC.FR/20/05 OSCE+), United Kingdom-European Union (with the acceding countries Bulgaria and Romania; the candidate countries Croatia and Turkey; the countries of the Stabilisation and Association Process and potential candidate countries Bosnia and Herzegovina and Serbia and Montenegro; as well as Moldova and Ukraine, in alignment) (PC.DEL/1056/05), United States of America (PC.DEL/1073/05), Russian Federation, Belarus, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (PC.DEL/1067/05 OSCE+), Chairperson

Agenda item 5: REPORT ON THE ACTIVITIES OF THE CHAIRMAN-IN-OFFICE

Announcement of the distribution of the written report on the activities of the Chairman-in-Office (CIO.GAL/157/05): Chairperson

Agenda item 6: REPORT OF THE SECRETARY GENERAL

- (a) UN Security Council resolution 1631 (2005) on co-operation between the UN and regional international organizations, adopted on 17 October 2005: Secretary General (SEC.GAL/216/05 OSCE+)
- (b) Briefing by the Secretary General in the UN regarding the OSCE's anti-terrorism activities, on 20 October 2005: Secretary General
- (c) Third meeting of experts on inter-State war crimes co-operation, held in Mostar, Bosnia and Herzegovina, on 19 and 20 October 2005: Secretary General

Agenda item 7: ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Report of the group of Belarusian election observers on the parliamentary elections in Poland, held on 25 September 2005 (PC.DEL/1051/05 Restr.): Belarus

4. <u>Next meeting</u>:

Thursday, 27 October 2005, at 4 p.m., in the Neuer Saal