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#### 779th PLENARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL

1. <u>Date</u>: Thursday, 5 November 2009

Opened: 10.10 a.m. Closed: 12.40 p.m.

2. <u>Chairperson</u>: Ambassador M. Marinaki

3. Subjects discussed – Statements – Decisions/documents adopted:

Agenda item 1: ADDRESS BY THE MINISTER FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS

AND EUROPEAN INTEGRATION OF CROATIA.

H.E. GORDAN JANDROKOVIĆ

Chairperson, Minister for Foreign Affairs and European Integration of Croatia (PC.DEL/880/09), Sweden-European Union (with the candidate countries the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Turkey; the countries of the Stabilisation and Association Process and potential candidate countries Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina and Montenegro; the European Free Trade Association countries Iceland and Norway, members of the European Economic Area; as well as Armenia, Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine, in alignment) (PC.DEL/884/09), Serbia (PC.DEL/887/09), United States of America (PC.DEL/882/09), Russian Federation (PC.DEL/894/09/Corr.1 OSCE+), the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Holy See (PC.DEL/889/09), Kazakhstan

Agenda item 2: REPORT BY THE PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES OF

THE CHAIRMAN-IN-OFFICE ON COMBATING RACISM,

XENOPHOBIA AND DISCRIMINATION, ALSO

FOCUSING ON INTOLERANCE AND DISCRIMINATION AGAINST CHRISTIANS AND MEMBERS OF OTHER RELIGIONS; ON COMBATING ANTI-SEMITISM; AND

## ON COMBATING INTOLERANCE AND DISCRIMINATION AGAINST MUSLIMS

Chairperson, Personal Representative of the Chairman-in-Office on Combating Racism, Xenophobia and Discrimination, also Focusing on Intolerance and Discrimination against Christians and Members of Other Religions (CIO.GAL/167/09 OSCE+), Personal Representative of the Chairman-in-Office on Combating Anti-Semitism (CIO.GAL/168/09 OSCE+), Personal Representative of the Chairman-in-Office on Combating Intolerance and Discrimination against Muslims (CIO.GAL/169/09 OSCE+), Sweden-European Union (with the candidate countries Croatia, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Turkey; the countries of the Stabilisation and Association Process and potential candidate countries Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Montenegro and Serbia; the European Free Trade Association countries Iceland, Liechtenstein and Norway, members of the European Economic Area; as well as Armenia, Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine, in alignment) (PC.DEL/885/09), United States of America (PC.DEL/883/09), Canada, Morocco (Partner for Co-operation) (PC.DEL/879/09/Rev.1 OSCE+), Egypt (Partner for Co-operation), Israel (Partner for Co-operation), Holy See (PC.DEL/890/09), Kazakhstan (PC.DEL/892/09 OSCE+)

#### Agenda item 3: REVIEW OF CURRENT ISSUES

Case of Mr. A. Zatoka in Turkmenistan: Sweden-European Union (with the candidate countries Croatia and the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia; the countries of the Stabilisation and Association Process and potential candidate countries Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Montenegro and Serbia; the European Free Trade Association countries Iceland and Norway, members of the European Economic Area; as well as Moldova, in alignment) (PC.DEL/886/09), Turkmenistan

# Agenda item 4: REPORT ON THE ACTIVITIES OF THE CHAIRMAN-IN-OFFICE

- (a) Announcement of the address by the Alternate Minister for Foreign Affairs of Greece and Special Envoy of the Chairman-in-Office,
  H.E. Dimitris P. Droutsas, to be delivered at a special meeting of the Permanent Council on 6 November 2009: Chairperson
- (b) Event to mark the 20th anniversary of the fall of the Berlin Wall, to take place in Vienna on 6 November 2009: Chairperson

#### Agenda item 5: REPORT OF THE SECRETARY GENERAL

Announcement of the distribution of the report on the activities of the Secretary General: Secretary General (SEC.GAL/182/09 OSCE+)

Agenda item 6: ANY OTHER BUSINESS

- (a) Results of the video contest: "Taking Part Civil Society Initiatives in the OSCE Area", organized in the framework of the 20th anniversary of the fall of the Berlin Wall: Germany (PC.DEL/888/09), Chairperson
- (b) Organizational matters related to the Seventeenth Meeting of the Ministerial Council: Chairperson

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

Friday, 6 November 2009, at 3.35 p.m., in the Neuer Saal