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PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVES COMMITTEE (Part 2)
THURSDAY 23 FEBRUARY 2006

PROVISIONAL AGENDA : (doc. 6600/06)

The agenda items will be dealt with in the following order:

10 h.00 :

1. Adoption of the provisional agenda and any other business

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12. Draft Council Minutes (*)
 - a) 2673rd meeting (Economic and Financial Affairs/Budget), held in Brussels on 15 July 2005
11290/05 PV/CONS 43 ECOFIN 249 BUDGET 59
+ COR 1 (en)
+ COR 2
+ ADD 1

- b) 2674th meeting (General Affairs and External Relations), held in Brussels, on 18 July 2005
11291/05 PV/CONS 44
 - c) 2675th meeting (General Affairs and External Relations), held in Brussels, on 18 July 2005
11292/05 PV/CONS 45 RELEX 381
 - d) 2678th meeting (General Affairs and External Relations), held in Luxembourg, on 3 October 2005
12882/05 PV/CONS 48
+ COR 1 (fi)
 - e) 2679th meeting (General Affairs and External Relations), held in Luxembourg, on 3 October 2005
12883/05 PV/CONS 49 RELEX 493
+ COR 1
 - f) Conference of the Representatives of the Governments of the Member States, held in Brussels on 14 October 2005
13371/05 PV/RGEM 3
13. Report on proceedings in the Council's other configurations
6490/06 POLGEN 12
14. Resolutions, opinions and decisions adopted by the European Parliament at its periods of session in
- Strasbourg 16/19 January 2006
 - Brussels 1-2 February 2006
6455/06 PE-RE 1
6477/06 PE-RE 2
15. Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Council Regulation (EC) No 1676/2001 imposing a definitive anti-dumping duty on imports of polyethylene terephthalate film originating, inter alia, in India and terminating the partial interim review of the anti-subsidy measures applicable to imports of polyethylene terephthalate (PET) film originating, inter alia, in India
6314/06 COMER 40 ASIE 11 OC 149
16. Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Regulation (EC) No 1676/2001 imposing a definitive anti-dumping duty on imports of polyethylene terephthalate (PET) film originating, inter alia, in India
6317/06 COMER 43 ASIE 14 OC 151

17. Proposal for a Council Regulation imposing a definitive countervailing duty on imports of polyethylene terephthalate (PET) film originating in India following an expiry review pursuant to Article 18 of Regulation (EC) No 2026/97
6320/06 COMER 46 ASIE 17 OC 153
18. Proposal for a Council Regulation repealing Council Regulation (EEC) No 1461/93 concerning access to public contracts for tenderers from the United States of America
6428/06 COMER 51 USA 15 OC 165
6429/06 COMER 52 USA 16 OC 164
19. Council Regulation amending and updating Regulation (EC) No 1334/2000 setting up a Community regime for the control of exports of dual-use items and technology
6168/06 COMER 38 PESC 117 CONOP 8 ECO 13 UD 20 ATO 11
6166/06 COMER 37 PESC 116 CONOP 7 ECO 12 UD 19 ATO 10
20. Proposal for a Council Decision on a Community position within the EU-Chile Association Council amending Annex I of the EU-Chile Association Agreement to take into account the consolidation of the tariff preferences granted to Chile by the community scheme of generalised tariff preferences (GSP)
5940/06 AMLAT 15 COMER 34 DEVGEN 22
5941/06 AMLAT 16 COMER 35 DEVGEN 23
21. (poss.) Draft Council conclusions on EU-Latin America relations
22. Publication in the Official Journal of an initiative of the Republic of Austria and its transmission to the European Parliament
5418/06 EUROPOL 4
5417/06 EUROPOL 3
23. Publication in the Official Journal of an initiative of the Republic of Austria and its transmission to the European Parliament as well as to the Europol Management Board
5432/06 EUROPOL 6
5428/06 EUROPOL 5
24. Proposal for a Council Decision authorising the Kingdom of the Netherlands to apply a measure derogating from Article 11 of the Sixth Council Directive 77/388/EEC on the harmonisation of the laws of the Member States relating to turnover taxes (LA)
6142/06 FISC 24 OC 128
6089/06 FISC 22 OC 125
25. Council Decision implementing Common Position 2004/852/CFSP concerning restrictive measures against Côte d'Ivoire
6437/06 PESC 134 COAFR 24 COARM 10 OC 166
6157/06 PESC 115 COAFR 19 COARM 8 OC 130

26. Council Common Position renewing measures in support of the effective implementation of the mandate of the International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia (ICTY)
6273/06 PESC 127 COWEB 29 OC 138
6146/06 PESC 113 COWEB 27 OC 129
27. Draft Council Decision concerning the extension of the agreement in the form of an Exchange of Letters between the European Union and the Government of Indonesia on the tasks, status, privileges and immunities of the European Union Monitoring Mission in Aceh (Indonesia) (Aceh Monitoring Mission - AMM) and its personnel
6458/06 PESC 137 COSDP 87 RELEX 83 CIVCOM 43
COASI 29 ACEH 6 OC 175
5900/06 ACEH 1 CIVCOM 18 COSDP 46 COASI 24
RELEX 47 PESC 93 COHOM 15
28. Draft Council Joint Action amending Joint Action 2005/643/CFSP on the European Union Monitoring Mission in Aceh (Indonesia) (Aceh Monitoring Mission - AMM)
6459/06 PESC 138 COSDP 88 RELEX 84 CIVCOM 44
COASI 30 ACEH 7 OC 176
5901/06 ACEH 2 CIVCOM 19 COSDP 47 COASI 25
RELEX 48 PESC 94 COHOM 16
29. Draft Council Joint Action 2006/.../CFSP in support of the Biological and Toxin Weapons Convention (BTWC), in the framework of the EU Strategy against Proliferation of Weapons of Mass Destruction
5126/06 PESC 10 CODUN 1 RELEX 2 OC 24
5821/06 PESC 85 CODUN 5 RELEX 40 OC 97
30. Draft EU Action Plan on Biological and Toxin weapons, complementary to the EU Joint Action in support of the BTWC
6506/06 PESC 151 CODUN 10
31. Case before the Court of First Instance - Case T-17/06, (Giant (China) Co. Ltd v. Council)
6389/06 JUR 65 COMER 49
32. Proposal for a Council Decision amending Decision 2000/24/EC in order to include the Maldives in the list of countries covered, following the Indian Ocean tsunamis of December 2004
6303/06 ECOFIN 43 RELEX 74 OC 145
6027/06 ECOFIN 28 RELEX 53 OC 122
33. Recommendation from the Commission to the Council to authorise the Commission to open negotiations with its partners from the Mediterranean region in order to establish a dispute settlement mechanism related to trade provisions
6489/06 MED 4 WTO 37

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34. - Proposal for a Council Decision on the conclusion of an Agreement in the form of an Exchange of Letters between the European Community and the Kingdom of Thailand
 - Proposal for a Council Regulation concerning the implementation of the Agreement concluded by the EC following negotiations in the framework of Article XXIV.6 of GATT 1994, amending Annex I to Regulation (EEC) No 2658/87 on the tariff and statistical nomenclature and on the Common Customs Tariff
 5555/1/06 REV 1 WTO 11 COASI 8 UD 6 OC 74
 5556/06 WTO 12 COASI 9 UD 7 OC 75
 5557/06 WTO 13 COASI 10 UD 8 OC 76
 + COR 1 (dk)
35. Proposal for a Council Decision concerning the conclusion of an Agreement between the European Community and the Swiss Confederation in the Audiovisual field, establishing the terms and conditions for the participation of the Swiss Confederation in the MEDIA Plus and MEDIA Training Community Programmes, and a Final Act
 6470/06 CH 11 AUDIO 6 EDUC 32 SERVICES 5 CULT 8
 BUDGET 8 IND 17 MI 30 OC 170
 14241/05 CH 43 AUDIO 41 EDUC 172 SERVICES 52 CULT 70
 BUDGET 75 IND 74 MI 125 OC 804
36. Proposal for a Council Decision on the conclusion, on behalf of the European Community, of the Agreement between the European Community and the Swiss Confederation concerning the latter's participation in the European Environment Agency and the European Environment Information and Observation Network
 6469/06 CH 10 ENV 100 BUDGET 7 OC 169
 14242/05 CH 44 ENV 519 BUDGET 76 OC 805
37. Proposal for a Council Decision on the conclusion of the Agreement between the European Community and the Swiss Confederation in the field of statistics
 6471/06 CH 12 STATIS 14 BUDGET 9 FIN 61 IND 18
 TRANS 41 TOUR 1 COMER 57 SOC 75 ECO 20
 AGRI 48 PECHE 43 ENER 48 OC 171
 13168/04 CH 49 STATIS 61 BUDGET 47 FIN 433 IND 129
 TRANS 321 TOUR 20 COMER 174 SOC 457 ECO 161
 AGRI 253 PECHE 312 ENER 221
 + COR 1
38. Proposal for a Council Decision on the conclusion, on behalf of the European Community and its Member States, of a Protocol to the Agreement between the European Community and its Member States, of the one part and the Swiss Confederation, of the other, on the Free Movement of Persons, regarding the participation, as contracting parties, of the Czech Republic, the Republic of Estonia, the Republic of Cyprus, the Republic of Latvia, the Republic of Lithuania the Republic of Hungary, the Republic of Malta, the Republic of Poland, the Republic of Slovenia and the Slovak Republic, pursuant to their accession to the European Union
 6482/06 CH 13 SOC 77 MI 31 ETS 5 SERVICES 6 ELARG 10 OC 172
 12585/04 CH 33 SOC 417 MI 255 ETS 51 SERVICES 7 ELARG 151

39. Proposal for a Council Decision on the Community position regarding the amendment of the annexes of the Agreement between the European Community and the Swiss Confederation on certain aspects of government procurement in view of the enlargement of the European Union and the introduction of effective competition in the telecommunication sector
11484/05 CH 25 MI 105 SERVICES 33 ETS 17 TELECOM 79
TRANS 153 ENER 125 AVIATION 90 COMPET 161
ELARG 48 OC 568
11485/05 CH 26 MI 106 SERVICES 34 ETS 18 TELECOM 80
TRANS 154 ENER 126 AVIATION 91 COMPET 162
ELARG 49 OC 569
+ COR 1 (nl)
+ REV 1 (lt)
40. Proposal for a Council Decision on a Community Position regarding draft Decision of the Joint Committee established under the Agreement between the European Community and its Member States, of the one part, and the Swiss Confederation, of the other, on the Free Movement of Persons
7478/05 CH 6 SOC 137 MI 44 ETS 7 OC 166
7480/05 CH 7 SOC 138 MI 45 ETS 8 OC 167
+ REV 1 (en)
+ REV 2 (sk)
41. Draft Council Decision authorising the Commission and the Presidency to enter into negotiations with the Swiss Confederation and the Principality of Liechtenstein for the conclusion of a Protocol enabling the Principality of Liechtenstein to accede to the Agreement between the European Union, the European Community and the Swiss Confederation on the Swiss Confederation's association with the implementation, application and development of the Schengen acquis
14411/05 FL 47 CH 47 JAI 420 SCHENGEN 40 **RESTREINT UE**
FRONTEXT 4 COPEN 180 CRIMORG 137 VISA 285
EURODAC 5 ASIM 53 ASILE 35 MIGR 66 OC 830
42. Draft Council Decision authorising the Commission to enter into negotiations with the Swiss Confederation and the Principality of Liechtenstein for the conclusion of a Protocol enabling the Principality of Liechtenstein to accede to the Agreement between the European Community and the Swiss Confederation concerning the criteria and mechanisms for establishing the State responsible for examining a request for asylum lodged in a Member State or in Switzerland
6111/06 ASILE 10 EURODAC 1 CH 7 FL 7 OC 126 **RESTREINT UE**

43. Draft Council Decision authorising the Commission to negotiate with the Swiss Confederation and the Principality of Liechtenstein, on behalf of the European Community, a Protocol under Article 11 of the Agreement between the Swiss Confederation and the European Community concerning the criteria and mechanisms for establishing the State responsible for examining a request for asylum lodged in a Member State or in Switzerland, to which the Principality of Liechtenstein will have acceded
6113/06 ASILE 12 EURODAC 2 CH 8 FL 8 OC 127 **RESTREINT UE**
44. Decision of the Representatives of the Governments of the Member States, meeting within the Council on the provisional application of the Internal Agreement amending the Internal Agreement of 18 September 2000 on measures to be taken and procedures to be followed for the implementation of the ACP-EC Partnership Agreement
6504/06 ACP 25
5733/06 ACP 12 OC 90
15329/05 ACP 167
45. Enlargement
- Accession negotiations with Turkey
 - = Outcome of screening on Chapter 25: Science and Research
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 - Accession negotiations with Croatia
 - = Outcome of screening on Chapter 25: Science and Research
6537/06 ELARG 13
46. Space Systems Requirements as per RC 05
- (*). *Item on which a procedural decision may be adopted by the COREPER pursuant to Article 19(7) of the Council's Rules of Procedure*

II

47. Follow-up to the Council meeting (Justice and Home Affairs) on 21 February 2006
48. Presentation of the agenda for the Council meeting (Economic and Financial Affairs) on 14 March 2006
49. Financial perspective : Inter-institutional agreement
50. Use by the Commission of EUR 7,7 million from the Community budget to finance the African Peace Facility
5514/06 JUR 22 ACP 4 FIN 15 DEVGEN 9 RELEX 21 PESC 55
5726/06 JUR 30 ACP 11 FIN 32 DEVGEN 12 RELEX 31 PESC 74
6122/06 ACP 19 FIN 49 DEVGEN 29 COAFR 17
RELEX 59 PESC 108 JUR 56
51. African Peace Facility
- funding options
6596/06 PESC 161 COSDP 105 ACP 26 RELEX 94
DEVGEN 41 FIN 66 CADREFIN 39
52. Preparation of the Council meeting (General Affairs and External Relations) on 27 February 2006
- A. General Affairs**
- Preparation of the European Council on 23/24 March 2006
 - Annotated Draft Agenda
6491/06 POLGEN 13
 - other items in connection with the Council meeting
- B. External Relations**
- Draft Council conclusion on the Western Balkans
6500/06 PESC 149 COSDP 95 COWEB 32
 - Draft Council conclusions on Iran
 - Draft Council conclusions on DRC
6528/06 COAF 25 COSDP 98 CONUN 5 PESC 152
 - Draft Council conclusions on reactions in the Muslim world to publications in European media
- New item**
- Draft Council conclusions on MEPP
 - other items in connection with the Council meeting

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The following item is withdrawn:

53. (poss.) Recommendation from the Commission to the Council to authorise the Commission to open negotiations for a trade and cooperation agreement with Iraq
6511/06 COMEM 23 WTO 38 **RESTREINT UE**
