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DRAFT MINUTES

of the meeting held on 18 September 2008 from 9.00 to 10.00

BRUSSELS

The meeting was opened at 9.12 by the chair, Ms Gabriela CREȚU, Vice-Chairwoman of the Delegation, who welcomed members of the delegation and representatives from the diplomatic corps.

1. Adoption of the draft agenda

The agenda was adopted without any changes.

2. Approval of the draft minutes of the meeting of 03/09/2008.

The minutes of the meeting held on 03/09/2008 were approved without any changes.

3. Announcements by the Chair

The EP's High-Level Group on Gender Equality and Diversity, chaired by Ms Kratsa, was trying to set up a network to monitor integration of the gender dimension into the work of the committees and delegations. Mr Obiols had asked, on the Group's behalf, each delegation to appoint one of its members as a contact person.

The following nominations had been received after the previous meeting:

- PSE group: Ms Gabriela Crețu
- EPP-ED group: Mr Marcello Vernola

The delegation appointed Ms Gabriela Crețu as their contact person.

4. Preparation for working party's visit to Bolivia (29 September to 3 October 2008)

Mr GARCÉS RAMÓN spoke about the private visit he made to Bolivia for the referendum on 10 August. In a similar spirit, he supported the principle of going ahead with the visit, which he felt was necessary to demonstrate the EP's support for the democratic institutions in the country.

Mr FRANÇA said that the UNASUR Extraordinary Summit on 15 September and the clear support given to Bolivia's legitimate government were both significant, but that he was concerned about the risk of a civil war. He confirmed that he endorsed the visit and the planned programme.

Mr MARTINEZ said that he was concerned about security conditions.

The Chair reminded all present that according to the information available, which had been passed to members yesterday by email and could be found in the file,

- security conditions in La Paz were such that our delegation could visit;
- the situation in Santa Cruz was such that a visit there was not possible at present, but the ongoing process gave room for hope that the situation might return to normal in the next few days;
- other visits to the provinces, which would require road travel, were not recommended, due to the risk of meeting roadblocks.

The Chargé d'Affaires at the Embassy of Bolivia was adamant that the delegation should go to Bolivia on the dates planned; however she did recommend that the visit should be concentrated around La Paz and Santa Cruz.

The Chair was of the same opinion and briefly reviewed the main points of the current political situation.

The Chargé d'Affaires at the Embassy of Bolivia stated that the delegation's safety and travel in La Paz and Santa Cruz could be guaranteed without any difficulty. Conversely, the trip to Sucre could be difficult.

Ms MURRAY, representing the Commission, reported on the ongoing talks, to which the EU would provide direct support. She advised the delegation to uphold the principle of the visit, which would send a very important political signal, particularly in the current circumstances; at the same time she stressed the possible logistical difficulties.

Mr GARCÉS RAMÓN warned against any meetings that might be viewed as recognising the legitimacy of those favouring subversive action in the name of regional autonomy.

5. Any other business

None.

6. Date and place of the next meeting

The date of the next meeting would be notified by email, in accordance with the need to prepare for the visit.

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The meeting closed at 10.00

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Robert EVANS

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