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Presidente da A.R.,

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Exm^a Senhora Dr^a. Noémia Pizarro Chefe do Gabinete de S. Ex^a a Presidente da Assembleia da República

Assunto: Carta-convite à participação portuguesa no Simpósio sobre terrorismo (16-17 fevereiro de 2013) no âmbito do "Projeto de Intercâmbio e Diálogo Parlamentar" da Grande Assembleia Nacional Turca.

Care Noewic,

Tenho a honra de remeter a V. Exa., em anexo, uma cópia de uma comunicação da Delegação da União Europeia em Ankara sobre o assunto em epígrafe, muito se agradecendo informação sobre eventual participação nacional no Seminário em epígrafe.

Com os melhores cumprimentos,

A Chefe de Gabinete

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DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO TURKEY



The Head of Delegation

Ankara, 10/01/2013 Ref: ARES (2013) -....

Subject:

EU-Turkey Parliamentary Exchange and Dialogue Project: Symposium on Terrorism in Antalya 16-17 February 2013

Dear Colleague,

We are pleased to announce that within the framework of the EU Turkey-Parliamentary Exchange and Dialogue Project a Terrorism Symposium will be held 16-17 February in Antaiva.

Parliamentary Exchange and Dialogue is an EU funded project implemented by the Grand National Assembly of Turkey (GNAT). The project started in January 2012, was formally launched during the visit of EP President Schulz on 28 May 2012, and runs until January 2014. The promotion of Civil Society Dialogue through parliaments is new, run by the Turkish Parliament in this framework for the first time. We made constant efforts in the last year to ensure this is a success and, following our recent discussion at DHoMs, we made some concrete suggestions to Professor Tekelioglu, Chair of the Committee on EU Harmonisation and Project Leader.

The project focuses on political dialogue and targets political groups and organisations, interested and influential in the process of Turkey's integration in the EU and including political parties represented in GNAT, youth and women branches as well as related CSOs/NGOs. Networking under this project can also help provide a better understanding of Turkey's accession process in both Turkish and European societies.

To make that happen we wish to secure the participation of MEPs and also MPs from national parliaments. Should you have participants to suggest for the event in Antalya focusing on terrorism, we would be happy to present your ideas along with ours to the GNAT Committee on EU Harmonisation who will send out the invitations. You can also propose CSO/NGO people or journalists following this topic in your country. However, priority should be given to MEPs and MPs who are the main target group. We would be grateful to receive any suggestions you wish to make by 23rd January.

Please find attached the draft programme for Antalya as well as the calendar for the project to allow you to propose names for future events. It should be noted that if an MEP or MP expresses interest to attend one of the events, a technical assistant of the project will handle the logistical arrangements (flight, accommodation, meals, etc.), to be covered from the project budget.

I wish to take this opportunity to convey my best wishes for the New Year.

Kind regards,

Béla Szombati Deputy Head of Delegation

Annex 1: Draft Agenda Antalya Symposium on Terrorism

Friday, 15th Feb	ruary 2013		
	Arrival in Antalya		
Saturday, 16th F	ebruary 2013		
08:30-09:00	Registration		
09:00-09:30	Opening Speeches		
	- Prof. Dr. Mehmet TEKELIOĞLU, Chair of the Committee on EU Harmonisation		
	and Project Leader		
	- Egemen BAĞIŞ, Minister for EU Affairs (tbc)		
	- Beşir ATALAY, Deputy Prime Minister and President of the High Commission		
	on Counter Terrorism		
09:30-09:45	Coffee Break		
09:45-11:00	Terrorism: Perspectives from EU and Turkey		
	Moderator:		
	MP from GNAT		
	Speakers:		
	- Muammer TÜRKER, Secretary General of the National Security Council (tbc) - Prof. Gilles de KERCHOVE, EU Counter-Terrorism Coordinator (tbc)		
11:00-12:00	Discussions		
12:00-13:00	Lunch		
13:00-14:00	Security versus Freedom		
	MP from GNAT		
	Speakers:		
	- Nathalie GOULÉT, Senator of Orne, French Senate		
	- Prof. Dr. Ana SALINAS DE FRIAS Maiaga University (tbc)		
	- Valerio DE DIVITIIS, Expert, EU Fundamental Rights Agency		
	- NGO Representative		
14:00-15:00	Discussions		
15:00-18:00	Visit to EU Projects in Antalya Region		
19:30	Dinner		
Sunday, 17th Fe	bruary 2013		
09:00-09:30	Registration		
09:30-11:00	Trans- border Cooperation Countering Terrorism		
	Moderator:		
	MP from EU Countries		
	Speakers:		
	- MP from GNAT		
	- MP from EU Countries		
	- NGO Representative - TR		
	- NGO Representative – EU		
	- Dr. Bilal SEVINÇ, Head of the Department on Counter Terrorism, Turkish		
	National Police Department		
11:00-12:00	Discussions		
12:00-13:00	Lunch		
13:00-14:00	Media and Terrorism -The Right to Security and the Right to Information		
	Moderator:		
	MP from EU Countries		
	Speakers:		
	- Media Representative		
	- NGO Representative - MP from EU Countries		
14:00 46:00	Discussions		
14:00-15:00			
20:00	Dinner		

There will be simultaneous translation available in Turkish and English during the symposium.

Annex 2: Calendar of Events

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28 May 2012	Kick-off Conference	Opening Ceremony	Ankara
5-7 June2012	1 st Symposium	Migration	Hatay
10-12 July 2012	1 st Summer Camp	Youth and Politics	Istanbul- Edirne
; 25-26 September 2012	1 st Dialogue Forum	Inter-Cultural Dialogue	Şanlıurfa- Mardin
26-27 November 2012	2 nd Symposium	Tolerance	Austria
14-15 February 2013	3 rd Symposium	Terrorism	Antalya
29-30 April 2013	4 th Symposium	Good Governance	Germany
27-28 May 2013	5 th Symposium	EU-Turkey Relations: Future Prospects	Van
3-5 July 2013	2 nd Summer Camp	tbd	Izmir
10-11 September 2013	2 nd Dialogue Forum	tbd	Nevşehir
28-29 October2013	6 th Symposium	Gender Equality	France
19-20 December 2013	3 rd Dialogue Forum	tbd	Trabzon
January- 2014	Closing Conference	tbd	Ankara