GENERAL ASSEMBLY
THIRTY FIRST PLENARY SESSION
Tuesday, 10 - Wednesday, 11 June 2008
ATHENS
AGENDA

1. Opening Ceremony
   Statements by Personalities

2. Matters of Procedure
   a) Adoption of the Agenda (Doc.GA31/AG/08)
   b) Examination of New Credentials (Doc. GA31/CRED/08)
   c) Approval of the Minutes of the Thirtieth Plenary Session of the General Assembly in Tbilisi on 10-12 December 2007 (Doc. GA30/MIN/08)
   d) Progress Report of the Parliamentary Assembly (Doc. GA31/PROG/08)

   • Statements by the Heads of national PABSEC delegations, observers and guests.

4. Organisation of the Black Sea Economic Cooperation
   a) Information on the activities of the Organization of the Black Sea Economic Cooperation.
   b) The Eighteenth Meeting of the Council of Ministers of Foreign Affairs of the BSEC Member States, 17 April 2008, Kyiv (Doc.GA31/REP/BSEC-18CMFA/08)
      • The Kyiv Declaration of the MFA of the Member States of the Organisation of the Black Sea Economic Cooperation (Kyiv, 17 April 2008)
      • Declaration of the Ministers of Foreign Affairs of the Member States of the Organisation of the Black Sea Economic Cooperation on a BSEC-EU Enhanced Relationship (Kyiv, 14 February 2008)
      • Joint Statement of the Ministers of Foreign Affairs of the Countries of the European Union and of the wider Black Sea area (Kyiv, 14 February 2008)
      • Declaration on BSEC- EU Cooperation in Energy (Kyiv, 9 April 2008)
      • Joint Declaration on Cooperation in the sphere of Transport in the BSEC Region (Odessa, 10 April 2008)
5. **Economic, Commercial, Technological and Environmental Affairs**
   a) Report on “Foreign Investments and Economic Growth of the BSEC Member States”  
      *(Doc. GA31/EC30/REP/08)*
   b) Recommendation 101/2008 on “Foreign Investments and Economic Growth of the BSEC Member States”  
      *(Doc. GA31/EC30/REC101/08)*

6. **Election of the PABSEC Secretary General**

7. **Legal and Political Affairs**
   a) Report on “Role of the Parliaments of the BSEC Member States in Fighting International Terrorism”  
      *(Doc. GA31/LC31/REP/08)*
   b) Recommendation 102/2008 on “Role of the Parliaments of the BSEC Member States in Fighting International Terrorism”  
      *(Doc. GA31/LC31/REC102/08)*

8. **Cultural, Educational and Social Affairs**
   a) Report on “Social Cohesion within the BSEC Member States: contribution to political stability”  
      *(Doc. GA31/CC30/REP/08)*
   b) Recommendation 103/2008 on “Social Cohesion within the BSEC Member States: contribution to political stability”  
      *(Doc. GA31/CC30/REC103/08)*

9. **Financial Matters**
   a) Auditing Report for the Financial Year 2007  
      *(Doc. GA31/AUDIT07/08)*

10. **The 2008 Autumn Session of the General Assembly**
    Date, venue and agenda

11. **Rotation of the Presidency**
    ♦ Speech by H.E. Mr. Marian LUPU, Chairman of the Parliament of the Republic of Moldova

12. **Closing of the General Assembly**
    ♦ Speech by H.E. Mr. Dimitrios G. SIOUFAS, President of the Hellenic Parliament