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MEETING

Wednesday, 5 July 2006

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Strasbourg, 6 July 2006
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The meeting opened at 15.05 with the delegation chairman, Alain LIPIETZ, in the chair.

1. Adoption of draft agenda

The draft agenda was adopted..

2. Approval of draft minutes of meeting of 27 March 2006

The minutes were approved.

3 Chairman's announcements

The chairman informed the meeting of the following:

- The First World Congress of Presidents of Integration Parliaments was held in Guatemala on 26 June 2006. Participants included President BORRELL and the chairman of the Delegation for relations with Central America, Raimon OBIOLS. Copies of the declaration adopted were distributed to those present.
- 3 and 4 November 2006 would see the organisation in Colombia of a seminar on transitional justice. Authorisation had been requested from the Conference of Presidents following a preparatory meeting of the five chairmen of the various delegations for relations with Latin America.
- The EU had sent a delegation, chaired by Monica FRASSONI, to the elections to the constituent assembly in Bolivia.
- He also spoke on the forthcoming creation of the EU/LAC Parliamentary Assembly.

4. Report on the elections in Colombia (28 May 2006)

The chairman summarised the results of the presidential elections in Colombia. He then gave the floor to the chairman of Parliament's observation mission, Fernando FERNÁNDEZ MARTÍN, who provided information on the delegation's programme, its various meetings with candidates and with the Colombian election authorities, and the elections themselves. He stressed that all had gone normally, with few incidents, and that there had been excellent coordination with the observation mission of the OAS.

He stressed that one of the objectives on the new President's agenda was the reform of the electoral law.

Mr MEDINA ORTEGA and Mr MEYER PLEITE spoke, on abstention, the break with two-party politics, and the electoral register.

Mr FERNÁNDEZ MARTÍN spoke on the recent constitutional reform in Colombia and the rapid acceptance of the election results by the opposition candidates.

Mr MEYER PLEITE asked for it to be recorded in the minutes that he had forwarded comments on the report on the election observation mission to Colombia, notably concerning the reliability of the electoral register, the fact of an outgoing president standing for the first time, and the need to adapt the electoral law to the recent constitutional reform.

5. Report on the elections in Peru (4 June 2006)

In the presence of H.E. the Ambassador of Peru to the European Union, Mr Luis CHUQUIHUARA CHIL, and of representatives of the Commission:

The chairman gave the floor to Ambassador CHUQUIHUARA, who provided information on the recent general elections in Peru, stressing the favourable economic conjuncture and the consolidation of the democratic institutions.

He also mentioned the impetus given by the Vienna summit to the idea of launching negotiations for an EU/Andean Community association agreement. This was reflected in the fact that joint evaluation meetings were already being planned.

Mr MEDINA ORTEGA and Mr FERNÁNDEZ MARTÍN spoke on the smooth conduct if the elections, while pointing out that the delegation had not been received by the APRA candidate, Alan GARCÍA.

Finally, Mr LIPIETZ recalled that the activity programme includes the visit of a delegation working group to Peru.

6 Other business

None.

7. Date and place of next meeting

The next meeting of the delegation will be held in the autumn.

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The meeting closed at 16.05.

ANNEXE/ALLEGATO/BIJLAGE/ANEXO/BILAGA

**DELTAGERLISTE/ANWESENHEITSLISTE/ΚΑΤΑΣΤΑΣΗ ΠΑΡΟΝΤΩΝ/LIITE RECORD
OF ATTENDANCE/LISTA DE ASISTENCIA/LISTE DE PRESENCE/ELENCO DEI
PRESENTI/PRESENTIELIJST/LISTA DE PRESENÇAS/LÄSNÄOLOLISTA/DELTAGARLISTA**

Til stede	Formandskabet/Vorstand/Προεδρείο/Bureau/Ufficio di Presidenza/Mesa/Puhemiehistö/J.L. Presidium: (*) LIPIETZ (P), VAN DEN BERG (1VP), FERNANDEZ MARTIN (2VP)
Anwesend	Medlemmer/Mitglieder/Μέλη/Members/Diputados/Députés/Deputati/Leden/Deputados/Jäsenet/Ledamöter: MEDINA ORTEGA, VAN NISTELROOIJ, VLASAK
Παρόντες	Stedfortrædere/Stellvertreter/Αναπληρωτές/Substitutes/Suplentes/Suppléants/ Membri supplenti/Plaatsvervangers/Membros suplentes/Varajäsenet/Suppleanter: BEAUPUY, BREPOELS, HANDZLIK, YAÑEZ-BARNUEVO GARCIA
Present	
Presentes	
Présents	
Presenti	
Aanwezig	
Lasna	
Närvarande	
Art. 178,2	
Art. 183,3	ATTARD-MONTALTO, MEYER PLEITE
Endv. Deltog/Weitere Teilein./ Συμμετείχαν επίσης/Also present Participaron igualmente/ Participaient également/ Hanno partecipato altresi/ Andere deelnemers/ Outros participantes/ Muut osallistujat/ Dessutom deltog	
(Dagsordnen/Tagesordnung Pkt/Ημερήσια Διάταξη Σημεί/Point OJ/Punto OG/Agenda Punt/Ordem do dia Punto/punto orden del dia/Esityslist Kohta/ Föredragningslista punkt):	

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 Vice-Pres./Vicepres/Vice ordförande.

Til stede den/Anwesend am/Παρόν στις/Present on/Présent le/Presente il/Aanwezig op/Presente em/Presenteel/Läsnä/Närvarande den.

Efter indbydelse fra formanden/Auf Einladung d. Vorsitzenden/Με πρόσκληση του Προέδρου/At the invitation of the Chairman/Por invitación del presidente/Sur l'invitation du président/Su invito del presidente/Op uitnodiging van de voorzitter/A convite do presidente/Puhemiesien kutsusta/
På ordförandens inbjudan:

Embajador de Perú ante la UE S.H. CHUQUIHUARA
Rådet/Rat/Συμβούλιο/Council/Conseil/Consiglio/Raad/Conselho/Neuvosto/Rådet: (*)
FELLETE

Kommissionen/Kommission/Επιτροπή/Commission/Comisión/Commissione/Commissie/Comissão/Komissio/Kommissionen: (*)

SOMMERSCHIELD

Cour des comptes:

C.E.S.:

Andre deltagere/Andere Teilnehmer Επίσης Παρόντες/Also present Otros participantes/Autres participants/Altri partecipanti Andere aanwezigen/Outros participantes Muut osallistujat/Övriga deltagare		Colombia: JOHNSON Perú: BRAVO CEFIC: LAHAUT
Gruppernes sekretariat Sekretariat der Fraktionen Γραμματεία των Πολ. Ομάδων Secretariat political groups Secr. De los grupos políticos Secr. Groupes politiques Segr. Dei gruppi politici Secr. Van de fracties Secr. Dos grupos políticos Puolueryhmien sihteeristö Gruppernas sekretariat	PPE-DE PSE ALDE Verts/ALE GUE/NGL IND/DEM UEN NI	SALAFRANCA, CONTRERAS GIL DE MURO, DORODNOVA KAMITSI FERNANDEZ
Cab. Du Président		
Cab. Du Secrétaire Général		
Generaldirektorat Generaldirektion Γενική Διεύθυνση Directorate-General Dirección general Direction générale Direzione generale Directoraat-generaal Direcção general Contrôle financier Service juridique Pääosasto Generaldirektorat	I II III IV V VI VII	FERNANDEZ FERNANDEZ, GUILLOT
Údvalgssekretariat Ausschubsekretariat Γραμματεία επιτροπής Committee secretariat Secretaría de la comisión Secrétaire de la commission Segretariato della commissione Commissiesecretariaat Secretaria de comissão Valiokunnan sihteeristö Utskottssekretariatet Assist./Bonifácio		MARTINEZ GUILLEN HERDIES, AZPIRI LEJARDI

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