MEETING OF SECRETARIES GENERAL OF THE EU PARLIAMENTS

20 – 21 February 2017, Bratislava

PROGRAMME

Monday, 20 February 2017

15:00 – 18:00 Arrival of delegations and registration for the meeting at the hotels

Meeting of Secretaries General of the Troika

16:30 Departure from the hotels to the Bratislava Castle

17:00 – 17:45 Meeting of Secretaries General of the Troika
(Luxembourg, Slovakia, Estonia, European Parliament)

Venue:
Bratislava Castle ***(Meeting Room in the Winter Riding School Foyer)***
Námestie Alexandra Dubčeka 1, Bratislava

17:30 Departure from the hotels to the Bratislava Castle

18:00 Welcome drink

Venue:
Bratislava Castle ***(Federation Hall)***
Námestie Alexandra Dubčeka 1, Bratislava

18:20 Guided tour of representative and exhibition premises of the Bratislava Castle

19:00 **Dinner** hosted by Mr. **Daniel GUSPAN**, Secretary General of the Chancellery of the National Council of the Slovak Republic

Venue:
Bratislava Castle ***(Art Gallery)***
Námestie Alexandra Dubčeka 1, Bratislava

21:30 Return to the hotels

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NATIONAL COUNCIL OF THE SLOVAK REPUBLIC

Tuesday, 21 February 2017

08:30 Departure from the hotels to the Bratislava Castle

Registration (for those not yet registered)

09:00 – 9:20 **Opening session of the Meeting**

Welcome address by Deputy Speaker of the National Council of the Slovak Republic

Introductory remarks by Mr. **Daniel GUSPAN**,
Secretary General of the Chancellery of the National Council of the Slovak Republic

Adoption of the agenda of the Meeting

Debate

09:20 – 10:10 **Session 1:**
Presentation of draft programme of the Conference of Speakers of the EU Parliaments

Speaker
Mr. **Daniel GUSPAN**, Secretary General of the Chancellery of the National Council of the Slovak Republic

Debate

10:10 – 10:25 **Presentation of the Parliamentary Dimension of the Maltese EU Council Presidency**

Speaker
Mr. **Raymond SCICLUNA**, Clerk to the House of Representatives of the Republic of Malta

10:25 – 10:40 Family photo

10:40 – 11:00 **Coffee break**

Venue:
*Bratislava Castle **(1st Floor of the North Wing)***
Námestie Alexandra Dubčeka 1, Bratislava

11:00 – 12:00 **Session 2:**
IPEX related issues

- IPEX Annual Report
- Conclusions on IPEX
- Approval of composition of the IPEX Board
- IPEX Digital Strategy
- Various

Speaker
Ms. **Isabelle BARRA**, Deputy Secretary General of the Chamber of Deputies of the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg

Debate

12:00 – 13:00 **Session 3:**
Draft proposal for the modalities of the JPSG on Europol - implications on national parliaments´ administrations

Speaker
Ms. **Vanda ŠIPOŠOVÁ**, Representative of the National Council of the Slovak Republic to the European Parliament

Debate

13:15 – 14:30 **Lunch**

Venue:
*Bratislava Castle **(1st Floor of the North Wing)***
Námestie Alexandra Dubčeka 1, Bratislava

14:30 – 15:30 **Session 4:**
Engagement of parliaments´ administrations in development assistance – lessons learnt, sharing know-how and best practices

Speakers
Mr. **Daniel GUSPAN**, Secretary General of the Chancellery of the National Council of the Slovak Republic
Mr. **Claes MÅRTENSSON**, Deputy Secretary General of the Swedish Riksdag

Debate

15:45 Return to the hotels

Departure of delegates