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COUNCIL OF EUROPE CAMPAIGN TO COMBAT VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN, INCLUDING DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

LAUNCHING CONFERENCE

Senate, Plaza de la Marina Española, No.8
Madrid, Spain, 27 November 2006

Organised by the Council of Europe in co-operation with the Spanish authorities

Programme

20 November 2006

Sunday, 26 November 2006

WELCOMING DINNER

8 pm – 11 pm – Dinner-buffet hosted by Mr Terry DAVIS, Secretary General, Council of Europe, for all participants (Círculo de Bellas Artes -Salón de Baile-, Street: Marqués de Casa Riera 2, Madrid).

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LAUNCHING CONFERENCE

8 am **Registration of participants**

9 am **Words of Welcome** by Mr Juan José LUCAS, Second Vice-President of the Senate, Spain

Opening of the Conference by Mr Terry DAVIS, Secretary General, Council of Europe

9.10 am **Violence against Women: Situation in Council of Europe member states**

Keynote speaker: Ms Carol HAGEMANN-WHITE
Professor, Faculty of General Pedagogy and Gender Studies, University of Osnabrück, Germany

Questions and discussion

9.30 am **Support and protection of victims**

*Chair: Ms Rosemarie ZAPF-HELBLING
Vice-Chairperson of the Committee on Equal Opportunities for Women and Men of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe*

Keynote speaker: Mr Thomas HAMMARBERG
Commissioner for Human Rights, Council of Europe

Panel discussion

- Ms Enriqueta CHICANO, Chair of the Federation of Progressive Women and Vice-Chair of the State Observatory on Violence against Women, Spain
- Ms Nimet ÇUBUKÇU, State Minister for Women and Family Affairs, Turkey
- Ms Darinka STANTCHEVA, Member of the Parliamentary Assembly, Council of Europe
- Ms Sandra BARNES, Member of the Congress of Local and Regional Authorities, Council of Europe

Questions and discussion

10.30 am Innovative legal and policy measures to combat violence against women – data collection as a prerequisite for effective policies

*Chair: Ms Dubravka ŠIMONVIĆ
Chairperson of the Council of Europe Task Force
to Combat Violence against Women, including Domestic Violence*

Keynote speaker: Ms Tuula HAATAINEN
Minister for Social Affairs and Health, Finland

Panel discussion

- Ms Donatella LINGUITI, Secretary of State, Ministry for Rights and Equal Opportunities, Italy
- Ms Eugenia TSOUMANI, Secretary-General for Gender Equality, Ministry of Interior, Public Administration and Decentralisation, Greece
- Ms Soledad MURILLO, Secretary General on Equal Opportunities, Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs, Spain
- Mr Jean-Guy BRANGER, Member of the Parliamentary Assembly, Council of Europe
- Ms Genoveva TISHEVA, Managing Director, Bulgarian Gender Research Foundation, Bulgaria
- Ms Sylvia WALBY, Professor, Sociology Department, Lancaster University, United Kingdom

Questions and discussion

11.40 am Break

12.10 pm

SOLEMN LAUNCHING CEREMONY

Musical Performance by Ms Esperanza Fernández

Welcoming Address by Mr Francisco Javier ROJO GARCÍA, President of the Senate, Spain

Address by Mr René VAN DER LINDEN, President of the Parliamentary Assembly, Council of Europe

Address by Mr Ian MICALLEF, President of the Chamber of Local Authorities of the Congress of Local and Regional Authorities, Council of Europe

Address by Mr Fiorenzo STOLFI, Chair of the Committee of Ministers, Council of Europe

Mr Heliodoro GALLEGO CUESTA, President of the Spanish Federation of Municipalities and Provinces, Spain

Mr Jesús CALDERA SÁNCHEZ-CAPITÁN, Minister of Labour and Social Affairs, Spain

Mr Juan Fernando LÓPEZ AGUILAR, Minister of Justice, Spain

Mr Miguel Angel MORATINOS, Minister of Foreign Affairs, Spain

Mr Manuel MARÍN GONZÁLEZ, President of the Congress of Deputies, Spain

Address by Mr Terry DAVIS, Secretary General, Council of Europe

Address by Mr José Luis RODRIGUEZ ZAPATERO, Prime Minister, Spain

1.15 pm Press conference (Council of Europe)

1.30 pm Lunch-buffet hosted by “Las Cortes Generales” for all participants (Restaurant of the Senate)

3 pm Changing attitudes to combat violence against women

Chair: Mr Peteris ELFERTS

*Ambassador, Permanent Representative of Latvia to the Council of Europe,
Thematic Co-ordinator on Gender Equality of the
Committee of Ministers of the Council of Europe*

Keynote speaker: Ms Yakin ERTÜRK
United Nations Special Rapporteur on violence against women, its causes and consequences

Panel discussion

- Ms Jadranka KOSOR, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Family, Veterans' Affairs and intergenerational Solidarity, Croatia
- Ms Carmen ALBORCH BATALLER, Member of the Congress of Deputies and Chair of the Joint Committee on Women's Rights and Equal Opportunities, Spain
- Ms Susana CAMARERO BENITEZ, Member of the Congress of Deputies, Spain
- Ms Isabel LLINÀS, Director of the Women's Institute of the Balearic Islands, Spain
- Ms Karine HENROTTE-FORSBERG, Representative of the Conference of INGOs enjoying participatory status with the Council of Europe

Questions and discussion

4.30 pm Break

5 pm United in combating domestic violence against women

Chair: Mr Valerio PRIGNACHI

Chair of the Committee on Social Cohesion of the Congress of Local and Regional Authorities of the Council of Europe

Keynote speaker Ms Widney BROWN
Senior Director, International Law, Policy and Campaigns, Amnesty International

Panel discussion

- Ms Catherine VAUTRIN, Minister Delegate for Social Cohesion and Parity, France
- Ms Maria Antonia MARTÍNEZ GARCÍA, Member of the Senate, Co-Rapporteur of the Inter-Parliamentary Union on "How parliaments can and must promote effective ways of combating violence against women in all fields", Spain
- Ms Anna ZÁBORSKÁ, Chairperson of the Committee on Women's Rights and Gender Equality of the European Parliament
- Mr Ramón ROPERO MANCERA, Member of the Congress of Local and Regional Authorities, Council of Europe
- Ms Hijran HUSEYNOVA, Chairperson of the State Committee for Family, Women and Children's Issues, Azerbaijan

Questions and discussion

6 pm Closing Session

- Mr Philippe BOILLAT, Director General of Human Rights, Council of Europe
- Ms Minodora CLIVETI, Chairperson of the Committee on Equal Opportunities for Women and Men of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe
- Mr Jesús CALDERA SÁNCHEZ-CAPITÁN, Minister of Labour and Social Affairs, Spain

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6.30 pm End of conference