

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE ON MIGRATION, REFUGEES AND POPULATION

SECRETARIAT OF THE PARLIAMENTARY ASSEMBLY

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The Committee on Migration, Refugees and Population, meeting in Strasbourg, on 23, 24 and 26 January 2006, with Mr Bender (Poland, EDG), senior member present, Mrs de Zulueta, Vice-Chairperson (Italy, SOC) and then Mr Çavuşoğlu (Turkey, EDG) in the Chair:

as regards:

- *Composition of the Committee's Bureau:*
 - re-elected Mr Çavuşoğlu (Turkey, EDG) Chairperson by acclamation;
 - re-elected Mrs de Zulueta (Italy, SOC) First Vice-Chairperson by acclamation;
 - re-elected Mr Christodoulides (Cyprus, UEL) Second Vice-Chairperson by acclamation;
 - re-elected Mr Branger (France, EPP/CD) Third Vice-Chairperson by acclamation;
- *Human rights of irregular migrants (Rapporteur: Mr van Thijn, Netherlands, SOC):* considered a preliminary draft report;
- *Establishment of a European remembrance centre for victims of forced population movements (Rapporteur : Mr Einarsson, Sweden, UEL):* held an exchange of views on the basis of a revised preliminary draft report and decided to modify the title to "Establishment of a European remembrance centre for victims of forced population movements and ethnic cleansing";
- *Unexpected large-scale arrival of migrants and potential refugees:* decided to re-constitute the *ad hoc* Sub-Committee (see appendix), with a revised mandate to include cooperation with the Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs of the European Parliament and with the UNHCR (former mandate: see Doc. AS/Mig/Inf (2005) 07 rev.);
- *Demographic challenges for social cohesion (Rapporteur: Mrs Oskina, Russia, EDG):* held an exchange of views with Professor Raimondo Cagiano de Azevedo and considered an introductory memorandum;
- *Mexico and the migration phenomenon:* held an exchange of views with Senator Sadot Sánchez Carreño;
- *"All Different – All Equal" European Youth Campaign for Diversity, Human Rights and Participation:* held an exchange of views with Mr Ralf-René Weingärtner, Director of Youth and Sport in the Council of Europe;
- *Work programme :* held an exchange of views on the priorities of the Committee;

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Directors and all staff of the Secretariat of the Assembly
Secretaries of National Delegations to the Assembly
Secretaries of Political Groups of the Assembly
Directors General
Director of the Private Office of the Secretary General of the Council of Europe
Director of Communication and Research
Secretary of the Committee of Ministers
Permanent Representations to the Council of Europe

- *Representation of the Committee at various events:*
 - Meeting of the Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs of the European Parliament (Brussels, 21-22 February 2006): appointed Mrs de Zulueta (Italy, SOC);
 - Hearing on integration organised by the Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs of the European Parliament (Brussels, 23 March 2006 - *subject to authorisation by the Bureau*): constituted an *ad hoc* Committee with the following members: Mrs Bousakla (Belgium, SOC), Mr Greenway (United Kingdom, EDG), Mr Hancock (United Kingdom, ALDE), Mr Henderson (United Kingdom, SOC), Mr Reymann (France, EPP/CD), Mr van Thijn (Netherlands, SOC) and Mrs de Zulueta (Italy, SOC);
- *Reconstitution of the sub-committees:* reconstituted its three standing sub-committees (Sub-Committee on Migration, Sub-Committee on Refugees, Sub-Committee on Population) (*see appendix*);
- *Next meetings:* decided to hold its next meetings as follows:
 - Brussels, 20-21 March 2006 (*to be confirmed and subject to authorisation by the Bureau*)
 - Strasbourg, during the 2nd part of the Session 2006 (10-13 April 2006)
 - Strasbourg, during the 3rd part of the Session 2006 (26-30 June 2006)
 - Strasbourg, during the 4th part of the Session 2006 (2-6 October 2006)
 - United Kingdom, 13-15 November 2006 (*to be confirmed and subject to authorisation by the Bureau*)
 - Paris, 11 December 2006 (*to be confirmed*)

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The Sub-Committee on Migration, meeting in Strasbourg on 26 January 2006:

As regards:

- *Election of the Sub-Committee's Bureau:* re-elected Mr Iwiński (Poland, SOC) Chairperson and elected Mrs Bousakla (Belgium, SOC) Vice-Chairperson by acclamation;
- *Next meetings:* decided to hold its next meetings as follows:
 - Strasbourg, during the 3rd part of the Session 2006 (26-30 June 2006)
 - Krasnoïarsk (Russia), 14-15 September 2006 (*to be confirmed and subject to authorisation by the Bureau*)
 - Strasbourg, 7-8 November 2006 (participation in the Political Platform of the CDMG) (*to be confirmed*)

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The Sub-Committee on Refugees, meeting in Strasbourg on 26 January 2006:

As regards:

- *Election of the Sub-Committee's Bureau:* re-elected Mrs Vermot-Mangold (Switzerland, SOC) Chairperson and elected Mr Hagberg (Sweden, SOC) Vice-Chairperson by acclamation;
- *Next meetings:* decided to hold its next meetings as follows:
 - Strasbourg, during the 2nd part of the Session 2006 (10-13 April 2006)
 - Lisbon, 18-19 May 2006 (*to be confirmed and subject to authorisation by the Bureau*)

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The Sub-Committee on Population, meeting in Strasbourg on 26 January 2006:

As regards:

- *Election of the Sub-Committee's Bureau*: re-elected Mr Agramunt (Spain, EPP/CD) Chairperson by acclamation;
- *Next meetings*: decided to hold its next meetings as follows:
 - Strasbourg, during the 4th part of the Session 2006 (2-6 October 2006)
 - Budapest, 16-17 October or 23-24 October 2006 (*to be confirmed*)

Halvor Lervik, Mark Neville, Dana Karanjac

APPENDIX

RECONSTITUTION OF THE SUB-COMMITTEES of the Committee on Migration, Refugees and Population

1. Sub-Committee on Migration / Sous-commission des migrations 28 seats / sièges

Chairperson / Président:

Mr IWIŃSKI Tadeusz, SOC *Poland / Pologne*

Mr BENDER Ryszard – EDG/GDE

Vice-Chairperson / Vice-Présidente:

Mme BOUSAKLA Mimount – *Belgium / Belgique*
SOC

M. Van den BRANDE Luc –
PPE/DC-EPP/CD

COUNTRY / PAYS	MEMBER / MEMBRE	ALTERNATE / REMPLACANT
<i>Austria / Autriche</i>	Mrs STOISITS Terezija - SOC	Mr LINDINGER Ewald - SOC
<i>Azerbaijan / Azerbaïdjan</i>	Mr MIRZAZADE Aydin – EDG/GDE	
<i>Cyprus / Chypre</i>	Mr CHRISTODOULIDES Doros – UEL/GUE	Mrs PERICLEOUS PAPADOPOULOS Antigoni ALDE/ADLE
<i>Czech Republic / République tchèque</i>	Mr KUŽVART Miloš - SOC	
<i>Finland / Finlande</i>	Mr OLIN Kalevi - SOC	Mrs KROHN Irina – SOC
<i>France</i>	M. BRANGER Jean-Guy – PPE/DC-EPP/CD	M. JACQUAT Denis – PPE/DC – EPP/CD
<i>France</i>	M. SALLES Rudy – ADLE/ALDE	M. LE GUEN Jean-Marie - SOC
<i>Germany / Allemagne</i>	Mr STRÄSSER Christoph – SOC	Mrs GRAF Angelika – SOC
<i>Greece / Grèce</i>	Mr DENDIAS Nikolaos – EPP/CD- PPE/DC	Mrs KATSELI Eleonora – SOC
<i>Italy / Italie</i>	M. DANIELI Franco – ADLE/ALDE	
<i>Italy / Italie</i>	Mrs DE ZULUETA Tana - SOC	M. NESSA Pasquale – PPE/DC- EPP/CD
<i>Ireland / Irlande</i>	Mr MCHUGH Paddy – ALDE/ADLE	
<i>Liechtenstein</i>	Mr NEGELE Gebhard – PPE/DC – EPP/CD	
<i>Lithuania / Lituanie</i>	Mr ZINGERIS Emanuelis – EDG/GDE	
<i>Netherlands / Pays-Bas</i>	Mr PLATVOET Leo – UEL/GUE	
<i>Portugal</i>	M. DIAS FERNANDES Abilio – GUE/UEL	
<i>Romania / Roumanie</i>	Mr ILAȘCU Ilie / NI/NR	Mr PREDA Cezar Florin – PPE/DC – EPP/CD
<i>Russia / Russie</i>	Mrs OSKINA Vera – EDG/GDE	Mr FEDOROV Valeriy – EDG/GDE
<i>Slovenia / Slovénie</i>	Mr KOVAČIČ Dimitrij – EPP/CD- PPE/DC	
<i>Spain / Espagne</i>	M. FERNÁNDEZ AGUILAR Adolfo – PPE/DC-EPP/CD	M. PUCHE Gabino – PPE/DC- EPP/CD
<i>Spain / Espagne</i>	M. PUIG CORDÓN Joan – NI/NR	Mme CORTAJARENA Elvira - SOC
<i>Sweden / Suède</i>	Mr LINDBLAD Göran, EPP/CD- PPE/DC	Mr HAGBERG Michael - SOC
<i>Switzerland / Suisse</i>	Mme ZAPFL-HELBLING Rosmarie – PPE/DC-EPP/CD	Mme VERMOT MANGOLD Ruth- Gaby - SOC
<i>Turkey / Turquie</i>	Mr GÜLÇIÇEK Ali Riza - SOC	
<i>United Kingdom / Royaume-Uni</i>	Mr GREENWAY John – EDG/GDE	Mr HANCOCK Michael – ALDE/ADLE
<i>United Kingdom / Royaume-Uni</i>	Mr HENDERSON Doug - SOC	Lord BURLINSON – SOC

Ex-officio: Mr Mevlüt ÇAVUŞOĞLU, Chair of the Committee, Président de la Commission, Turkey /Turquie, EDG/GDE

2. Sub-Committee on Refugees / Sous-commission des réfugiés
28 seats / sièges

Chairperson / Présidente:

Mme VERMOT MANGOLD Switzerland / Suisse
Ruth-Gaby - SOC

Mme ZAPFL-HELBLING Rosmarie
- PPE/DC-EPP/CD

Vice-Chairperson / Vice-Président:

Mr HAGBERG Michael - SOC Sweden / Suède

COUNTRY / PAYS	MEMBER / MEMBRE	ALTERNATE / REMPLACANT
Armenia / Arménie	Mr TOROSYAN Tigran - EDG/GDE	Mr MARGARYAN Grigor - ALDE/ADLE
Austria / Autriche	Mrs STOISITS Terezija - SOC	Mr LINDINGER Ewald - SOC
Azerbaijan / Azerbaïdjan	Mr SEYIDOV Samad - EDG/GDE	Mrs GULIYEVA Aynur - ALDE/ADLE
Belgium / Belgique	M. WILLE Paul - ALDE/ADLE	Mme BOUSAKLA Mimount - SOC
Bulgaria / Bulgarie	Mrs YOTOVA Iliana - SOC	Mr CHUKOLOV Dessislav - NR/NI
Czech Republic / République tchèque	Mr JIRSA Tomáš - EDG/GDE	
Denmark / Danemark	Mr ØSTERGAARD Morten - ALDE/ADLE	Mr MESSERSCHMIDT Morten - EDG/GDE
France	M. JACQUAT Denis - PPE/DC - EPP/CD	
France	M. LE GUEN Jean-Marie - SOC	M. REYMANN Marc - PPE/DC- EPP/CD
Georgia / Géorgie	Mrs TEVDORADZE Elene - ALDE / ADLE	
Germany / Allemagne	Mrs GRAF Angelika - SOC	Mr HEIBACH Holger - EPP/CD- PPE/CD
Greece / Grèce	Mrs KATSELI Eleonora - SOC	Mr DENDIAS Nikolaos - EPP/CD- PPE/DC
Ireland / Irlande	Mr MOONEY Paschal - ALDE/ADLE	
Italy / Italie	Mr NESSA Pasquale - PPE/DC- EPP/CD	
Latvia / Lettonie	Mr CILEVIČS Boriss - SOC	
Luxembourg	Mme ERR Lydie - SOC	
Malta / Malte	Mrs D'AMATO Helen - EPP/CD - PPE/DC	
Netherlands / Pays-Bas	Mrs JONKER Corien WA - EPP/CD-PPE/DC	Mr VAN THIJN Ed - SOC
Norway / Norvège	Mrs GJUL Gunn Karin - SOC	
Poland / Pologne	Mr GADZINOWSKI Piotr - SOC	Mr IWIŃSKI Tadeusz, SOC
Romania / Roumanie	M. ILAȘCU Ilie / NI/NR	Mme CLIVETI Minodora - SOC
Russia / Russie	Mr FEDOROV Valeriy - EDG/GDE	Mrs OSKINA Vera, Russia / Russie, EDG/GDE
Serbia and Montenegro / Serbie-Monténégro	Mr RUŽIĆ Branko - SOC	
Spain / Espagne	Mme CORTAJARENA Elvira - SOC	M. PUCHE Gabino - PPE/DC- EPP/CD
United Kingdom / Royaume-Uni	Mr CHOPE Christopher - EDG/GDE	Lord BURLINSON - SOC
United Kingdom / Royaume-Uni	Mr HANCOCK Michael - ALDE/ADLE	Mr ETHERINGTON Bill - SOC

Ex-officio: Mr Mevlüt ÇAVUŞOĞLU, Chair of the Committee, Président de la Commission, Turkey /Turquie, EDG/GDE

3. Sub-Committee on Population / Sous-commission de la population

28 seats / sièges

Chairperson / Président:

M. AGRAMUNT Pedro - Spain / Espagne
PPE/DC-EPP/CD

M. FERNÁNDEZ AGUILAR Adolfo -
PPE/DC-EPP/CD

Vice-Chairperson / Vice-Président(e):

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COUNTRY / PAYS	MEMBER / MEMBRE	ALTERNATE / REMPLACANT
Armenia / Arménie	Mr TOROSYAN Tigran - EDG/GDE	Mr MARGARYAN Grigor ALDE/ADLE
Azerbaijan / Azerbaïdjan	Mrs HAJIYEVA Gultakin- EPP/CD-PPE/DC	
Belgium / Belgique	M. Van den BRANDE Luc - PPE/DC-EPP/CD	M. WILLE Paul - ALDE/ADLE
Bulgaria / Bulgarie	Mr CHUKOLOV Dessislav - NR/NI	
Bulgaria / Bulgarie	Mr LOUTFI Younal - ADLE/ALDE	
Cyprus / Chypre	Mr CHRISTODOULIDES Doros - UEL/GUE	Mrs PERICLEOUS PAPADOPOULOS Antigoni ALDE/ADLE
Czech Republic / République tchèque	Mme FILIPIOVÁ Daniela- GDE/EDG	
Estonia / Estonie	Mr ARJAKAS Küllö - ALDE/ADLE	
Finland / Finlande	Mrs KROHN Irina - SOC	
France	M. BRANGER Jean-Guy - PPE/DC-EPP/CD	M. SALLES Rudy - ADLE/ALDE
Germany / Allemagne	Mr HEIBACH Holger - EPP/CD- PPE/DC	Mrs BELLMANN Veronika - EPP/CD-PPE/DC
Greece / Grèce	Mrs KANELLI Liana - UEL/GUE	Mr MEIMARAKIS Evagelos - EPP/CD-PPE/DC
Ireland / Irlande	Mr MOONEY Paschal - ALDE/ADLE	Mr McHUGH Paddy - ALDE/ADLE
Norway / Norvège	Mrs GJUL Gunn Karin - SOC	
Poland / Pologne	Mr BENDER Ryszard - EDG/GDE	Mr GADZINOWSKI Piotr - SOC
Portugal	Mme MENDONÇA Ana Catarina - SOC	
Romania / Roumanie	Mr PREDĂ Cezar Florin - PPE/DC - EPP/CD	Mme CLIVETI Minodora - SOC
Russia / Russie	Mr OSTROVSKY Alexey - NR/NI	
Serbia and Montenegro / Serbie-Monténégro	Mr RUŽIĆ Branko - SOC	
Slovenia / Slovénie	Mr KOVAČIČ Dimitrij - EPP/CD- PPE/DC	
Spain / Espagne	M. MENDOZA José - ADLE/ALDE	
Switzerland / Suisse	M. KAUFMANN Hans - ADLE/ALDE	M. STAMM Luzi - ADLE/ALDE
Turkey / Turquie	Mr ÖZAL Ibrahim - SOC	
United Kingdom / Royaume- Uni	Mr ETHERINGTON Bill - SOC	Mr CHOPE Christopher - EDG/GDE
United Kingdom / Royaume- Uni	Mr GREENWAY John - EDG/GDE	
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Ex-officio: Mr Mevlüt ÇAVUŞOĞLU, Chair of the Committee, Président de la Commission, Turkey /Turquie, EDG/GDE

4. **Ad Hoc Sub-Committee on unexpected large-scale arrival of migrants and potential refugees**
Sous-commission ad hoc sur l'arrivée massive et imprévue de migrants et de réfugiés potentiels

MEMBERS / MEMBRES

<i>Belgium / Belgique</i>	Mme Mimount BOUSAKLA (SOC)
<i>Czech Republic / République tchèque</i>	Mr Miloš KUŽVART (SOC)
<i>Denmark / Danemark</i>	Mr Morten MESSERSCHMIDT (EDG/GDE)
<i>France</i>	M. Jean-Guy BRANGER (PPE/DC/EPP/CD)
<i>France</i>	M. Rudy SALLES (ADLE/ALDE)
<i>France</i>	M. Denis JACQUAT (PPE/DC-EPP/CD)
<i>Greece / Grèce</i>	Mr Nikolaos DENDIAS (EPP/CD-PPE/DC)
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<i>Italy / Italie</i>	M. Pasquale NESSA (PPE/DC-EPP/CD)
<i>Netherlands / Pays-Bas</i>	Mrs Corien W.A. JONKER (EPP/CD- PPE/DC)
<i>Poland / Pologne</i>	Mr Tadeusz IWIŃSKI (SOC)
<i>Spain / Espagne</i>	M. Pedro AGRAMUNT (PPE/DC- EPP/CD)
<i>Sweden / Suède</i>	Mr Göran LINDBLAD (EPP/CD- EPP/CD)
<i>Switzerland / Suisse</i>	Mme Ruth-Gaby VERMOT-MANGOLD (SOC)
<i>Turkey / Turquie</i>	Mr Ali Riza GÜLÇIÇEK (SOC)
<i>United Kingdom / Royaume-Uni</i>	Mr Michael HANCOCK (ALDE/ALDE)

Ex-officio

Mr Melvt ÇAVUŞOĞLU Chairman of the Committee on Migration, Refugees and Population /
Président de la Commission des migrations, des réfugiés et de la
population, Turkey / Turquie, EDG/GDE