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Programme

Thursday, 28 September 2006

7 pm Buffet-Reception hosted by René van der Linden, President of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe.
Blue Restaurant, Palais de l’Europe

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08.30 am Registration of participants

09.00 am Opening Session

Welcome René van der Linden, President of the Parliamentary Assembly
Mathieu Sprengers, Treasurer, UEFA

Keynote Speaker Viatcheslav Fetisov, Chairman of the Federal Sports Agency, Russian Federation

09.30 am Building an Alliance Between Politics and Sport in Europe

Chair André Schneider, Chair, Sub-Committee on Youth and Sport, Parliamentary Assembly

Presentation Lars-Christer Olsson, CEO, UEFA

Panel on sport and politics

Gianni Rivera, Member of the European Parliament*
Paulo Gomes, Deputy Secretary General, Portuguese Ministry of Internal Affairs, Head of the Parliamentary Delegation to the Standing Committee of the Spectator Violence Convention
Klaus Müller, Chair, Monitoring Group of the Anti-Doping Convention

General Discussion

11.00 am Coffee break

Conference organised in cooperation with the State Duma of the Russian Federation
11.30 am  GOOD GOVERNANCE IN SPORT

Chair  Lars-Christo Olsson, CEO, UEFA

Presentation  Tanja Saarela, Minister of Culture, Finland

Panel on good governance in sport

Heinz Keller, Former Director, Federal Office of Sport, Switzerland
André Noël Chaker, author of “Good governance in Sport - A European survey” *
Jens Sejer Andersen, Director of “Play the Game”
Bengt Sevelius, Chair, European Non-Governmental Sports Organisation*

General discussion

1 pm  Lunch hosted by UEFA, Blue Restaurant, Council of Europe

2.30 pm  FUTURE OF EUROPEAN COOPERATION IN THE FIELD OF SPORT

Chair  Vladislav Tretyak, Chair, Committee on Physical Culture, Sport and Youth of the State Duma of the Russian Federation*

Presentation  José Luis Arnaut, Chairman, Independent European Sport Review

Panel on future co-operation in the field of sport

Jean-François Lamour, Minister of Sport, France*
Richard Corbett, Member of the European Parliament
Pierre Mairesse, Director responsible for Sport, Directorate General « Education and Culture », European Commission *
Krisztina Gőnter, Chair, Ad Hoc Committee for the Agreement on Sport

General discussion

4 pm  CLOSING ADDRESSES

René van der Linden, President of the Parliamentary Assembly
Mathieu Sprengers, Treasurer, UEFA

4.30 pm  Press Conference

* Speakers subject to confirmation

Simultaneous interpretation will be provided in English, French, German, Italian and Russian