

EURO-MEDITERRANEAN PARLIAMENTARY ASSEMBLY

**6th Plenary Session
12-14 March 2010
Amman, Jordan
Grand Hyatt Hotel**

REVISED DRAFT AGENDA

Friday, 12 March 2010

- 10:00- 13.30 * Meeting of the Committee on Improving Quality of Life, Exchanges between Civil Societies and Culture
- * Meeting of the Committee on Women's Rights
- 13:00-15:00 * Meeting of the Ad Hoc Committee on Energy, Environment and Water
- 15.00 - 18.30 * Meeting of the Committee on Political Affairs, Security and Human Rights.
- * Meeting of the Committee on Economic and Financial Affairs, Social Affairs and Education
- 18.00 - 19.00 * Meeting of the Bureau
- 19.00 - 20.00 * Meeting of the Enlarged Bureau
- 20.30 * Dinner hosted by H.E. Mr. Abudlhadi Majali, President of the EMPA, for the **members of the Bureau and Enlarged Bureau**

Saturday, 13 March 2010

10:00 - 14:00

09.45 Arrival of participants

- 10:00 – 10:05** * Opening Statement by H.E. Mr. Abdulhadi Majali, President of the EMPA.
- Adoption of the agenda
- Adoption of the Minutes of the 5th Plenary Session of EMPA

First Session: Middle East Peace Process.

10:05 - 10:55 *Speakers:*

- * H.E. Amre Moussa, Secretary-General of the League of Arab States. (TBC)
- * H.E. Mr. Mohamad Kamal, Assistant to Egyptian Foreign Minister for Parliamentary Affairs, Deputizing for H.E. Mr. Ahmed Aboul-Gheit, Egyptian Minister of Foreign Affairs.
- * H.E. Mr. George John Mitchell, United States Special Envoy for the Middle East.(TBC)
- * H.E. Mr. Bernard Kouchner, French Minister of Foreign and European Affairs.(TBC)
- * H.E. Dr. Ahmad Mas'adeh, Secretary General of the UfM.

10:55 - 12:00 * **Interventions and Plenary debate**

Second Session: Climate and Environmental Change and Renewable Energy in the Mediterranean.

12:00 - 12:20 *Speakers:*

- * H.E. Mr. Khaled Irani , Minister of Energy and Mineral Recourses , Jordan.
- * H.E. Ms. Sylvie Lemmet, Director of the Division of Technology, Industry and Economics, United Nations Environment Program.(TBC).

12:20 - 13:20 * **Interventions and Plenary debate**

Third Session: The Transformation of the Facility for the Euro Mediterranean Investment and Partnership (FEMIP) into a Euro Mediterranean Bank.

13:20 - 13:30 Speakers:

- * H.E. Mr. Einars Repse, Minister of Finance, Latvia, Chairman of the Board of Governors of the EIB. (European Investment Bank). (TBC)
- * Mr. Charles Henri Malecot, Union for the Mediterranean Mission(TBC)

13:30 - 14:00 * Interventions and Plenary debate

20:00 * Dinner hosted by H.E. Mr. Taher Masri, President of the Senate.

Sunday, 14 March 2010

10:00 - 14:00

10:00 - 11:40 * Presentation of the Recommendations of the EMPA Committees:

- Committee on Political Affairs, Security and Human Rights
- Committee on Economic and Financial Affairs, Social Affairs and Education
- Committee on Improving Quality of Life, Exchanges between Civil Societies and Culture
- Committee on Women's Rights
- Ad Hoc Committee on Energy, Environment and Water

11:40 - 12:45 * Plenary Debate and approval of the committees' recommendations.

**12:45 - 13:30 * Debate and approval of the proposals for establishing the EMPA Secretariat and its budget.
Debate and approval of the proposal for the composition of the EMPA permanent committees.**

**13:30 – 13:45 * Endorsement by the Plenary of the membership requests of Montenegro and Croatia.
Consideration of requests for observer status.**

**13:45 – 14:00 * Handover of EMPA Presidency to H.E. Mr. J. FINI, Speaker of the Italian House of Representatives.
Statement by H.E. Mr. J. FINI , President of EMPA**

14:00 – 14:30 Press conference