



**Conference of the Parliamentary Committees for Union Affairs of Parliaments
of the European Union - XLVIII COSAC
“Filoxenia” Conference Centre, Nicosia
14 - 16 October 2012**

DRAFT PROGRAMME

Sunday, 14 October 2012

Arrival of Delegations.

- 15.00 - 19.00** Registration at the hotels.
(Nicosia: Hilton Cyprus Hotel and Hilton Park Nicosia
Larnaka: Golden Bay Beach Hotel and Palm Beach Hotel & Bungalows)

For participants of the meeting of the Presidential Troika of COSAC

Venue: “Filoxenia” Conference Centre.

16.45 Departure by bus from the hotels in Larnaka.

17.00 Departure by bus from the hotels in Nicosia.

17.30 - 19.00 COSAC Presidential Troika Meeting

19.15 Departure by bus from the “Filoxenia” Conference Centre to the
“Chateau Status” Restaurant.

18.45 Departure by bus from the hotels in Larnaka to the “Chateau Status”
Restaurant.

19.15 Departure by bus from the hotels in Nicosia to the “Chateau Status”
Restaurant.

20.00 Cultural event.

20.30 Welcome dinner hosted by
H.E. The President of the House of Representatives,
Mr. Yiannakis L. Omirou, at “Chateau Status” Restaurant, Nicosia.

22.30 Return by bus to the hotels.



Monday, 15 October 2012**For the participants of the meetings of Political Groups****Venue: "Filoxenia" Conference Centre****07.15** Departure by bus from the hotels in Larnaka.**07.30** Departure by bus from the hotels in Nicosia.**08.00-09.00** Meetings of Political Groups.**08.30** Departure by bus from the hotels in Larnaka to the "Filoxenia" Conference Centre.**08.45** Departure by bus from the hotels in Nicosia, to the "Filoxenia" Conference Centre.**09.15 Welcoming addresses and procedural issues**

- Welcoming addresses by
H.E. The President of the Republic,
Mr. Demetris Christofias (tbc) and
H.E. The President of the House of Representatives, Mr. Yiannakis
L. Omirou.
- Adoption of the Agenda of the XLVIII COSAC.
- Presentation of the 18th Bi-annual Report.
- Procedural issues.

10.00 State of Play / Priorities of the Cyprus Presidency of the Council of the European Union.

Presentation by the Deputy Minister for EU Affairs,
Mr. Andreas Mavroyiannis.

*Debate.***11.30** Coffee break.**11.50 State of the European Union**

Address by Mr. Maroš Šefčovič, European Commissioner for
Inter-institutional Relations and Administration.

Address by Mr. Carlo Casini,
Chairman of the Constitutional Affairs Committee of the European
Parliament. (tbc)

Debate.

- 13.15** Family photo.
- 13.30** Lunch hosted by Mr. Averof Neofytou,
Chairman of the House Standing Committee on
Foreign and European Affairs,
at “Halkos Restaurant”,
Filoxenia Conference Centre.
- 15.00** **Energy – Security of Supply**
Address by Mrs Zeta Emilianidou,
Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Commerce Industry and Tourism (tbc).
- Debate.*
- 16.45** End of Session.
Coffee Break.
- 17.00** Departure by bus to the hotels.
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| 17.00 | Chairpersons’ Meeting on the Contribution and Conclusions of the XLVIII COSAC. |
| 18.00 | Chairpersons return to the hotels. |
- 19.00** Departure by bus from the hotels in Nicosia
to the beach at Golden Bay Hotel.
- 19.30** Departure from Palm Beach Hotel & Bungalows to the beach at
Golden Bay Hotel.
- 19.45** Beach party and barbeque, at Golden Bay Hotel.
- 22.00** Return by bus to the hotels.



Tuesday, 16 October 2012

- 08.00** Departure by bus from the hotels in Larnaka to the “Filoxenia” Conference Centre.
- 08.30** Departure by bus from the hotels in Nicosia to the “Filoxenia” Conference Centre.
- 09.00** **Single Market-Governance.**
Address by Mr. Pierre Delsaux, Deputy Director General,
Directorate General, Internal Market and Services, European Commission.
Debate.
- 10.30** Coffee break.
- 10.50** **Europe 2020 Strategy - Recovery from the Economic Crisis.**
Address by Ms Pervenche Berès, Chairwoman of the Committee on
Employment and Social Affairs of the European Parliament. (tbc)
Debate.
- 12.30** **Adoption of the Conclusions and Contribution of the XLVIII COSAC.**
- 13.30** Lunch hosted by Mr. Averof Neofytou,
Chairman of the House Standing Committee on Foreign and European
Affairs,
at “Halkos Restaurant”,
Filoxenia Conference Centre.
- 15.00** Departure by bus to the hotels.