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WORKING GROUP
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6.00 p.m. - 7.30 p.m.

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Draft Agenda

1. Communications of Chairman
2. Challenges in Eastern Europe and South Caucasus

Introduction by Mr. **Marian MARINESCU**, Vice President of the EPP-ED Group in the European Parliament

▪ The political situation in Georgia

Discussion opened by Mr. **Othmar KARAS**, Vice President of the EPP-ED Group in the European Parliament

Mr **Jacek SARYUSZ-WOLSKI**, Chairman of the AFET Committee

Mr **Elmar BROK**, EPP-ED Coordinator of the AFET Committee

▪ Overview on the political situation in Belarus

Mr **Jacek PROTASIEWICZ**, Chairmen of the EP Belarus Delegation

▪ Political situation in Ukraine

Report by Mr. **Charles TANNOCK**, Vice-Chairman of EP Delegation for Ukraine.

Discussion

3. Challenges in South-Eastern Europe

Introduction by **Mr. Vito BONSIGNORE**, EPP-ED Vice President.

- Overview on the political situation in the region
- EPP Party fact-finding missions to Montenegro and Kosovo

Followed by a discussion

4. Follow up the XI Dialog between the Orthodox Church and the EPP-ED Group on 16-17 October 2008, Iasi, Romania

Report by Mr. **Marian MARINESCU** Vice President of the EPP-ED Group in the European Parliament

5. Report on the preparation of the EPP-ED future initiatives

- EPP-ED Group International Conference on South Eastern Europe students' mobility in the framework of the Bologna Process on 21 November 2008, Zagreb, Croatia

6. Any other business

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