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Contact:	Martina Bosiakova
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Subject:	Accreditations
	– Appointment of H.E. Ms Elena BARLETTA DE NOTTEBOHM as the Head of Mission of Republic of Panama to the European Union to replace H.E. Mr Carlos Constantino Arosemena Ramos

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With reference to the procedure agreed by exchange of letters on 3 and 9 November 1966, you are hereby informed that the Government of Republic of Panama intends to appoint H.E. Elena BARLETTA DE NOTTEBOHM as Head of Mission to the European Union to replace H.E. Mr Carlos Constantino Arosemena Ramos.

- Your tacit agreement will be assumed on 4 February 2013 unless you make specific objections by that date.

Please find attached a copy of the note verbale sent to the Commission by the Mission of Republic of Panama to the European Union and the curriculum vitae of H.E. Elena BARLETTA DE NOTTEBOHM.

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Secretary-General

- note verbale
- curriculum vitae

### **NOTE VERBALE**

The Mission of Panama to the European Union presents its compliments to Protocol Service of the European Commission and has the honour to attach herewith the note D.G.P.C.E./D.G. № 3190 from Ministry of Foreign Relations-General Directorate of Protocol and State Ceremonies of the Republic of Panama requesting "*Agrément*" of the appointment of Mrs Elena Barletta de Nottebohm as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary, Head of Mission of the Republic of Panama to the European Union and to the European Atomic Energy Community (EU, EAEC).

The Mission of Panama to the European Union avails itself of the opportunity to renew to the Protocol Service of the European Commission the assurances of its highest consideration.

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## CURRICULUM VITAE

**Elena BARLETTA DE NOTTEBOHM**

### Education

#### Licentiate

Institute for High International Studies. University of Geneva, Switzerland

Licentiate in Political Science, concentration in High International Studies

#### Language Studies

Free University of Brussels. (Dutch)

Bell School, Cambridge. (English)

La Chasotte, Fribourg, Switzerland (French History and Literature)

#### Diplomatic assignments

- o Chargée d'affaires, a. i. before the Kingdom of Belgium,  
Kingdom of the Netherlands, Grand Duchy of Luxembourg  
and the European Community. **2010 - 2011**
- o Alternate Ambassador before the United Nations in New York. **2007 - 2008**
- o Minister-counselor, Embassy of Panama before  
the Kingdom of Belgium, Kingdom of the Netherlands, Grand Duchy of  
Luxembourg and the European Community. **2000 - 2007**
- o Chargée d'affaires, a. i. upon absence of Ambassador and/or  
Chief of Mission before the Kingdom of Belgium, Kingdom of the Netherlands,  
Grand Duchy of Luxembourg and the European Community. **1991 - 2000**
- o In charge of the Consulate General of Panama in the United Kingdom.  
Minister-counselor, Chargée d'affaires, a. i, Embassy of  
the Republic of Panama to the United Kingdom. **1990**
- o Chargée d'affaires, a. i. Embassy of the Republic of Panama,  
Kingdom of Belgium and Mission to the European Commu  
Consul General in Bruselas, Belgium. **1969 - 1986**
- o Promotions to Minister-counselor in accordance to Law on Career Diplomacy **1967 -**
- o Third Secretary, Career Diplomat, Permanent Mission of the  
Republic of Panama to the U. N. Office in Geneva, Switzerland. **1967 - 1969**

## **Technical Diplomatic Experience**

- o Counselor - expert. Ministerial Dialogue, The Rio Group. **1991 - 2007**
- o Counselor-expert, Brussels Latin American Group (GRULA). **1991-2007**
- o Counsellor, responsible for relations with the General Directorate, Sanitation and Protection of Consumers (SANCO), Directorate for Food E-Security, Phytosanitary Issues, Health and Animal Welfare. International Issues of the European Commission. Modifications to the List of Fishing and Aquaculture produces. Rapid Alert System for Food and Fodder (RASFF). Modifications to monitoring plans for residues from third countries. Negotiations for exporting Panamanian bovine beef to the European Union. **1991-1997**
- o Counselor-Specialist in Relations with CEFIR, the European Parliament and the Central American Group in Brussels (GRUCA). **1969-1986**
- o Coordinator, Relations of the Embassy of the Republic of Panama with different institutions in Panama related to International Trade. **1969-2011**
- o Member, Technical Secretariat for the Organization of the XX Summit of Heads of States and Government of The Rio Group. **1995**

## **Participation in Ministerial Conferences**

- o Member, Delegation of the Republic of Panama **May 2010**  
Madrid Summit. Signature of "Acuerdo de Asociación EU- América Central.
- o Member, Delegation of the Republic of Panama to the XVIII Ministerial Conference San Jose Dialogue, held in Madrid, Spain. **May, 2002**
- o Member, Delegation of the Republic of Panama to the II Summit of Heads of State and Governments of Latin America and the Member States of the European Union, held in Madrid, España.
- o Participant, Belgium-Latin America and the Caribbean Dialogue organized by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Belgium, held in Brussels. **April, 2002**
- o Participant to a Seminar on Social Cohesion in Latin America and the Caribbean, organized jointly by the European Commission and the Interamerican Development Bank, held in Brussels. **June, 2003**
- o Participant, Louvain Workshop; The Bologna Process and the Construction of a European Union, Latin America and the Caribbean Common Area for Higher Education, held in Louvain the New. **March 2004**

- o Member, Delegation of the Republic of Panama to the IX Institutionalized Meeting of Ministers of Foreign Affairs of The Rio Group, held in Portugal. **February 2000**
- o Member, Delegation of the Republic of Panama to the XV Ministerial Conference of the San José Dialogue, held in Bonn, Germany. **May, 1999**
- o Participant, Seminar; Principles and Perspectives of the Cooperation between the European Union and Latin America, organized by GRUPA. **December, 1998**
- o Member, Delegation of the Republic of Panama to the V Economic and Commercial Meeting between the European Union and member countries of The Rio Group, held in Brussels. **May, 1998**
- o Member, Delegation of the Republic of Panama to the VIII Institutionalized Meeting of Ministers of Foreign Affairs of The Rio Group, held in Panama. **February, 1998**
- o Member, Delegation of the Republic of Panama to the VII Institutionalized Meeting of Ministers of Foreign Affairs of The Rio Group, held in Noodwijk, Netherlands **April, 1997**
- o Member, Delegation of the Republic of Panama to the XII Summit of Heads of State and Governments of The Rio Group **1995**
- o Member, Preparatory Work for the First Ministerial Meeting of the San Jose Dialogue.
- o Member, Delegation of the Republic of Panama to the I Ministerial Conference of the San Jose Dialogue, held in San Jose, Costa Rica. **1984**

### **Signatory of Agreements**

- o Signatory on behalf of the Republic of Panama, Agreement on the transfer of Condemned Persons, **1995**
- o Signatory on behalf of the Republic of Panama, Agreement of May 29, 1993 relative to the protection of children and cooperation in matters of international adoptions. **1993**