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OUTCOME OF PROCEEDINGS

Of :	Committee for Civilian Aspects of Crisis Management
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I. OPERATIONAL CONCLUSIONS

None

II. OTHER POINTS

1. Operations:

- *EUPM: state of play*
- *EUPOL "Proxima": state of play*
- *EUJUST "Themis": state of play*

The Secretariat informed the Committee about the current situation in the field for the different missions. On Proxima, the Secretariat referred to the initial field assessment and on the mid-term review due for mid-July. On Themis, the Committee was informed about the process for the nomination of the HoM, the preparation for planning mission to Tblisi and the financial aspects of the mission.

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2. *Civilian Administration:*

- *Briefing by Austria*

Mr. Frischenschlager (former Minister of Defence and MEP) informed delegations on specific aspects of civilian administration based on his experience as director of the department for democratisation in OMIK. He stressed the importance of a stronger role of the EU in Kosovo. Frischenschlager pointed out that some preconditions are needed for a successful CMO (political, cultural, ethnic, common political will etc) and he regretted that in Kosovo the ethnic division is overshadowing all other interests.

He concluded inviting the EU to be more active in Pristina and Belgrade thanks to its political weight and to have a more structured presence on the ground also in the local communities.

3. *Training:*

- *Update on the EGT*

The Commission informed CivCom about the third project's phase of the European Group on Training. In this third phase, two new topics became a priority of the project: the support for a co-ordinated EU training policy in the field of ESDP and the implementation of a specific common EU-UN initiative in the field of training. The Folke Bernadotte Academy and Scuola Sant'Anna presented their respective courses (an ESDP Civil-Military Training Course and a Joint EU-UN training Course on DDR) which will start in autumn 2004.

In the discussion, many delegation expressed their concern for the possible end of the project as the Commission has not taken a decision on how to continue to finance it.

4. *Incoming Presidency Programme:*

- *Presentation by the Netherlands*

The incoming Presidency indicated that operations and the implementation of the Action Plan will be the main priorities. On operations, the incoming Presidency recalled the preparatory work needed for Themis and the possible operation in Kinshasa. The issues of monitoring, capabilities at 25 and the preparation of the Civilian Capabilities Conference will also be on the top of the agenda.

The Presidency expressed the intention to have weekly Civcom meetings.

5. *A.O.B.*

The Commission gave a short update on the project in Kinshasa.

The Secretariat informed the Committee on the Police Planning Cell to be created in the context of the SFOR take-over and about the conference on preliminary indications to the held on 22 July.

Before his departure, Col. Coppola (Head of Police Unit) thanked delegations for the co-operation and the good results achieved in the last three years.

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