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### **New Polish Permanent Representative to the European Union**

The Council of the European Union has been informed of the appointment by the Polish Government of Mr Marek Władysław PRAWDA as Permanent Representative of Poland to the European Union.

Mr PRAWDA took up his duties on 1 September 2012.

(*Curriculum vitae* attached).

# **P R E S S**

# ANNEX

## Curriculum Vitae



**Marek Władysław Prawda (PhD)**

**Ambassador, Permanent Representative of Poland to the European Union**

Born on 1 October 1956 in Kielce, Poland. Married, two daughters.

### Education

- 1975-79 economic studies, University of Leipzig
- 1979-90 PhD studies, Institute of Philosophy and Sociology, Polish Academy of Science
- 1984 PhD degree in sociology of work
- 1987-89 scholarship, University of Hamburg

### Career

- 1990-92 Department of German Studies, Institute of Political Studies, Polish Academy of Science
- 1992-98 I secretary, Counsellor, Counsellor-Minister, chargé d'affaires, Embassy of Poland in Berlin, Germany
- 1998-99 Deputy Director, Department of Western Europe, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
- 1999-2001 Director, Department of Western Europe, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
- 2001 Director of the Secretariat of the Minister, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
- 2001-2005 Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Poland to Sweden
- 2005-2006 Director of the Secretariat of the Minister, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
- 2006-2012 Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Poland to Germany

**Social activity**

from 1980            Member of „Solidarity”  
1989                    „Solidarity”, Civic Committee for Żoliborz district, Warsaw  
1991-92                Secretary General, Polish- German Society

Various publications in a field of sociology and Polish-German relations.

**Languages**

German, English, French, Russian, Swedish

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