

# Parliamentary Assembly Assemblée parlementaire



## TO THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF PROCEDURE AND IMMUNITIES

SECRETARIAT OF THE PARLIAMENTARY ASSEMBLY

7 October 2004

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**The Committee on Rules of Procedure and Immunities**, meeting in Strasbourg on 6 October 2004 with Mr Holovaty in the Chair:

as regards

- **Election of a 3<sup>rd</sup> Vice-Chairperson**: elected Mrs Samoilovska-Cvetanova ("The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, EPP/CD) as 3<sup>rd</sup> Vice-Chairperson, replacing Mr Pourgourides (Cyprus, EPP/CD) ;
- **Institutional balance at the Council of Europe** (Rapporteur: Mr Holovaty, Ukraine, LDR): took note of a revised working document, presented by the rapporteur and invited him to present a draft report for the next meeting;
- **Transparency of decisions of the Committee of Ministers** (Rapporteur: Mr Olteanu, Romania, SOC): took note of a revised working document, presented by the rapporteur and invited him to present a draft report for the next meeting;
- **Procedure for elections held by the Parliamentary Assembly other than those of its President and Vice-Presidents** (Rapporteur: Mr Vis, United Kingdom, SOC): asked the rapporteur to present a new draft report for the next meeting;
- **Challenge of still unratified credentials or reconsideration of previously ratified credentials of individual members of a national delegation on substantive grounds - Rules 8 and 9 of the Rules of Procedure of the Parliamentary Assembly** (Rapporteur: Mr Magnusson, Sweden, SOC): postponed the discussion to the next meeting;

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Secretaries of National Delegations to the PACE  
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Secretary of the Committee of Ministers  
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- **Defense of the immunity of Senator Raffaele Iannuzzi (Rule 64.4. of the Rules of Procedure):** appointed Mr Jurgens (Netherlands, SOC) as rapporteur;
- **Terms of reference of Assembly committees:** appointed Mrs Brasseur (Luxembourg, LDR) as rapporteur, subject to reference to the Committee;
- **Hearing on “The role of the opposition in parliament” and next meeting** decided (subject to approval by the Assembly Bureau) to meet in Stockholm on 10 December 2004. Took note of a preliminary draft programme and agreed to invite to the hearing representatives of national parliaments of Council of Europe member States.
- **Date and place of the next meeting: 10 December 2004 in Stockholm (Sweden)**  
(subject to approval by the Assembly Bureau)

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