



PARLIAMENTARIANS FOR GLOBAL ACTION
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Visit of Parliamentarians from Suriname to the ICC
The Hague, The Netherlands
7 & 8 November 2007

Agenda and List of Participants
(Final Version)

I. AGENDA

Wednesday November 7

Departure from Amsterdam towards ICC Headquarters
[*Address: Maanweg, 174, Regulusweg Voorburg*]

10.00-12.30

The International Criminal Court

“Judicial Activities of the ICC and Relations with States”

Meeting and Discussion with H.E. Judge René Blattman, Vice-President of the ICC

“Challenges for the ICC to secure State Cooperation”

Meeting and Discussion with Ms. Beatrice Le Frapper du Hellen, Head of Jurisdiction, Complementarity and Cooperation Division, Office of the Prosecutor of the ICC

“ICC field operations and other issues, including the protection of victims and witnesses”

Briefing with Ms. Martina Fuchs, Special Assistant to the ICC Registrar

Visit to the Courtroom

13.00-15.30

Lunch and Working Meeting at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs

[*Venue: Ministerie van Buitenlandse Zaken, Bezuidenhoutseweg 67, Den Haag*]

Dr. Elizabeth Lijnzaad, Head of the International Legal Affairs Division

Mr. Fabio Rossi, Policy Advisor, ICC Task Force

Mr. Robert van Bokhoven, Legal Counsel, Ministry of Justice

16.00-17.00

**Hearing of the Standing Committee of Foreign Affairs
Parliament of the Netherlands**

[*Venue: Tweede Kamer der Staten-Generaal, Plein 2, Den Haag*]

18.00-19.00

Informal Meeting

Discussion with Mr. Hans Boevers, Legal Advisor, OPT / former legal advisor Dutch Ministry of Justice

[*Venue: Den Haag Centrum*]

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Thursday November 8

- 9.30-10.00** **Visit of new premises of PGA Stichting in The Hague**
[Address: Laan van Meerdervort 70, Den Haag]
- 10.30-12.30** **The International Tribunal for Former Yugoslavia**
Briefing with Mr. Christian Chartier, Director of Public Information, ICTY
Attendance to hearing of *Vidoj Seselj* case
Meeting with H.E. Mr. Patrick Lipton Robinson, Judge of the ICTY
[Address: ICTY, Churchillplein 1, Den Haag]
- 13.00-15.00** **Lunch at Kurzaal, Steigenberger Kurhaus Hotel**
[Address: Gevers Deynootplein 30, Scheveningen]
- 15.30** **Departure to Amsterdam**

II. List of Participants

PARLIAMENTARIANS

SURINAME

Dr. Ruth Wijdenbosch, MP, *Member of the Executive Committee of PGA*

(Government: The New Front for Democracy and Development – National Party of Suriname, NPS)

Speaker of the Standing Committee for Foreign Affairs

Speaker of the Standing Committee for Defense

Standing Committee for Justice and Police

Mrs. Soecila Angoelal, MP

(Government: The New Front for Democracy and Development – Labour Party of Suriname, SPA)

Speaker of the Standing Committee for Labour, Development of Technology and Environment

Standing Committee for Foreign Affairs

Standing Committee for Transport, Telecommunication and Tourism

Mrs. Kailin Lee, MP

(Government: The New Front for Democracy and Development – Pertjajah Luhur, PL)

Standing Committee for Domestic Affairs

Standing Committee for Natural Resources

Mrs. Hariette Ramdien, MP

(Opposition: People's Alliance for Development, VVV – National Democratic Alliance, DNP200)

Standing Committee for Trade and Industry

THE NETHERLANDS

Ms. Kathleen Ferrier

Christian Democratic Appeal (CDA)

Standing Committee for Foreign Affairs

Ms. Chantal Gill'ard

Labour Party (PVdA)

Standing Committee for Foreign Affairs

Ms. Mariko Peters

Green Party (GL)

Standing Committee for Foreign Affairs

Mr. Hans van Baalen

Liberal Party (LP)

Standing Committee for Foreign Affairs

Mr. Harry van Bommel

Socialist Party, (SP)

Standing Committee for Foreign Affairs

Mr. Joël Voordewind

Christian Union, (CU)

Standing Committee for Foreign Affairs

GOVERNMENT

SURINAME

Ms. Susan Derby

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Dr. Elizabeth Lijnzaad

Legal Counsel and Head of the International Legal Affairs Division, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Mr. Fabio Rossi

Policy Advisor, ICC Task Force, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Mr. Robert van Bokhoven

Legal Counsel, Ministry of Justice

EXPERTS

Mr. Hans Boevers

Legal Advisor, Office of the Prosecutor ICC; Former Legal Counsel, Dutch Ministry of Justice

PGA SECRETARIAT

Ms. Deborah Ruiz Verduzco

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