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09:00 Registration of Participants

09:30 Welcome

- Mr. Theodossis GEORGIOU, President, Greek Association for Atlantic and European Cooperation, President, EuroDefense Greece
- Ms. Despina- Ino AFENTOULI, Information Officer for Greece, NATO PDD
- Mr. Ioannis PANAGIOTOPOULOS, Secretary General of Mass Media

10:00 Opening Addresses

- Mr. Konstantinos TSIARAS, President, National Defence and Foreign Affairs Committee, Hellenic Parliament
- Mrs. Marietta GIANNAKOU, Head, Greek Parliamentary Delegation in E.P.P.(European Peoples Party) in the European Parliament, Former Minister of Health and for National Education and Religious Affairs

11:00 US – EUROPEAN ALLIANCE: Future challenges

• H.E. Mr. David D. PEARCE, Ambassador of the Unites States to Greece Questions and Answers session

NATO – EU: A Strategic Partnership?

Chair: Mr. Andreas LYKOURENTZOS, *Member of the Parliament, Former Minister of Health and Former Vice Minister of Education, Member of the Board of G.A.A.E.C.*

The EU Perspective:

• Mr. Werner FASSLABEND, Former Minister of Defence, President, Institute for European Security Policy, Austria

The Hellenic Perspective:

• Mr. Alexios Marios LYBEROPOULOS, Director, Directorate for Common Foreign and Security Policy, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Greece *Questions and Answers session*

13:00 Smart Defense Initiative, Pooling and Sharing: The European Defence in the Age of Austerity

Chair and Introduction: Mr. Konstantinos MAZARAKIS - AINIAN HN, Vice Admiral (ret), Hon. Commander in Chief of the Hellenic Fleet

• Mr. George KAMPAS, Mayor General, Director of D'Branch of the Hellenic Army General Staff

- Mr. Jean-Paul PERRUCHE, Lieutenant General (Ret), former Director General EU Military Staff, President, EuroDefense France
- Mr. Willy HERTELEER, Admiral Ret, Chief of General Staff, President, EuroDefense Belgium Ouestions and Answers session

14:00 Lunch Break

14:45 Security and Stability of Energy Resources and Pipeline Transport

Chair and Introduction: Mr. Dimitris KOUTSOGIORGAS, Economist, Former MP, Board Member, EuroDefense Greece

- Mr. Konstantinos MOUSSOUROULIS, Member of the Parliament Chios, Former Minister of Merchant Marine
- Mr. Konstantinos KARAYANNAKOS, Dr.-Ing., Division Head, International Activities, Division Head, Gas Supply, DEPA S.A. Greece
- Mr. Liviu MURESAN, Executive President, The European Institute for Risk, Security and Communication Management (EURISC), President, EuroDefense Romania

16:00 Security of the Mediterranean

Chair and Introduction: Mr. Fabrizio LUCIOLLI, Vice President, Atlantic Treaty Association, Italy

• Mr. Federico Yaniz VELASCO, General of Aviation (ret), Vice President, Eurodefense Spain Questions and Answers session

17:00 Public Opinion and Concept of Security

Chair and Introduction: Mr. Dieter OSE, Vice President, EuroDefense Germany, former Civil Servant, Ministry of Defense, Germany

- Mr. Robin ASHBY, Director General, UK Defence Forum, Secretary General, EuroDefense UK
- Ms. Maria KARAKLIOUMI, Quantitative Researcher, Vice Governor, Attica Region, Board Member, EuroDefense Greece
- Mrs. Aliki MITSAKOS, Dean, The International Center for Leading Studies (The Educational Platform of G.A.A.E.C.)
 Questions and Answers session

18:00 End of the program

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