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MINUTES OF THE SITTING OF 12 SEPTEMBER 2011

IN THE CHAIR: Jerzy BUZEK

President

1. Resumption of the session

The sitting opened at 17.05.

2. Statements by the President

The President made a statement on the recent initiatives taken by the EU to fight the economic crises and a statement on the outcome of the Libyan conflict.

The following spoke: Guy Verhofstadt, on behalf of the ALDE Group, who mentioned a visit to Parliament by the Italian Prime Minister, Silvio Berlusconi, the following day and suggested that he should also meet the ECON Committee, Rebecca Harms, on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group, who supported the suggestion of Guy Verhofstadt, Mario Mauro, on behalf of the PPE Group, and Werner Langen (the President pointed out that this was not an official visit).

The President reminded Parliament of the following day’s visit by Bronislaw Komorowski, President of the Republic of Poland.
The President announced that Parliament would take part in the UN's International Democracy Day on 15 September 2011.

The President condemned the violence to which Sajjad Karim MEP had been subjected on 2 July 2011 and expressed his support.

The following spoke: Niccolò Rinaldi and Mario Mauro on the Italian Prime Minister's visit.

3. Approval of the minutes of the previous sitting

The minutes of the previous sitting were approved.

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Danuta Maria Hübner stated her wish to vote for paragraph 16 (b) (original text) of report A7-0210/2011 in the vote on 6 July 2011.

4. Interpretation of the Rules of Procedure

The President informed Parliament, under Rule 211(3), of the following interpretations of Rules 51 and 192, provided by the Committee on Constitutional Affairs, which had been consulted on the application of these provisions:

Interpretation of Rule 51:

‘This Rule can be applied to the procedure leading to a recommendation to approve or reject the conclusion of an international agreement pursuant to Rules 90(5) and 81(1) provided that the conditions set out in it are fulfilled.’

Interpretation of Rule 192:

‘Non-attached Members do not constitute a political group within the meaning of Rule 30 and they cannot therefore designate coordinators, who are the only Members entitled to attend coordinator meetings.

The function of coordinator meetings is to prepare committee decisions and they may not replace committee meetings without explicit delegation. Hence ex-ante delegation is required for decisions taken at coordinator meetings. In the absence of such delegation, coordinators may only adopt recommendations requiring formal ex-post approval by the committee.

In all cases, non-attached Members must be guaranteed access to information, in accordance with the principle of non-discrimination, through the supply of information and the presence of a member of the non-attached Members' secretariat at coordinator meetings.’

If these interpretations were not objected to by a political group or at least 40 Members (Rule 211(4)) prior to adoption of the minutes of the current sitting, they would be deemed to have been adopted. In the event of objections, they would be put to the vote in Parliament.

5. Composition of Parliament

Eva-Britt Svensson had given notice in writing of her resignation as Member of Parliament, with effect from 1 September 2011.
Monday 12 September 2011

Pursuant to Rule 4(1) and (3), Parliament established the vacancy of her seat starting on this date and would inform the relevant national authorities.

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Dirk Sterckx had given notice in writing of his resignation as Member of Parliament, with effect from 7 September 2011.

Pursuant to Rule 4(1) and (3), Parliament established the vacancy of his seat starting on this date and would inform the relevant national authorities.

The relevant Belgian authorities had announced the election of Philippe De Backer as an MEP to replace Dirk Sterckx.

Parliament noted that this would take effect on 7 September 2011.

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The relevant Italian authorities had announced, on 19 July 2011, the end of the term of office in Parliament of Luigi de Magistris, pursuant to Article 7(3) of the Act concerning the election of the members of the European Parliament by direct universal suffrage, and his replacement by Andrea Zanoni.

Pursuant to Rule 4(1) and (4), Parliament established the vacancy of the seat of Luigi de Magistris with effect from 19 July 2011 and noted the election of Andrea Zanoni with effect from the same date.

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Under Rule 3(2), until such time as their credentials had been verified or a ruling had been given on any dispute, and provided that they had previously made a written declaration stating that they did not hold any office incompatible with that of Member of the European Parliament, Philippe De Backer and Andrea Zanoni would take their seats in Parliament and on its bodies and would enjoy all the rights attaching thereto.

6. Request for the defence of parliamentary immunity

Former Member Luigi de Magistris had submitted a request for his parliamentary immunity to be defended in connection with legal proceedings in progress before the Civil Court of Lamezia Terme.

Under Rule 6(3), the request had been referred to the committee responsible, the JURI Committee.

7. Verification of credentials

On a proposal from the JURI Committee, Parliament decided to validate the mandates of Tarja Cronberg and Dimitrios Droutsas with effect from 22 June 2011 and of Franck Proust with effect from 23 June 2011.

8. Composition of committees and delegations

The President had received the following requests for appointments from the ALDE, Verts/ALE and GUE/NGL groups:

AFET Committee: Tarja Cronberg

CONT Committee: Giommaria Uggias
IMCO Committee: Cornelis de Jong to replace Kyriacos Triantaphyllides

TRAN Committee: Andrea Zanoni to replace Giommaria Uggias, Philippe De Backer

PECH Committee: Jorgo Chatzimarkakis to replace Britta Reimers

LIBE Committee: Kyriacos Triantaphyllides to replace Cornelis de Jong

Delegation for relations with the Mashreq countries: Andrea Zanoni

Delegation to the EU-Mexico Joint Parliamentary Committee: Philippe De Backer

Delegation to the Euro-Latin American Parliamentary Assembly: Philippe De Backer

The appointments would be deemed ratified if there were no objections before the approval of these minutes.

9. Signature of acts adopted under the ordinary legislative procedure

The President announced that on Wednesday, together with the President of the Council, he would sign the following acts adopted under the ordinary legislative procedure (Rule 74):


10. Corrigenda (Rule 216)

The relevant committees had submitted the following corrigenda to texts adopted by Parliament:

Pursuant to Rule 216(4), these corrigenda would be deemed approved unless, within 48 hours, a request was made by a political group or at least 40 Members that they be put to the vote.

The corrigenda would be available on the Séance en direct site.

11. Documents received

The following documents had been received:

1) from committees, reports

— ***Report on the proposal for a decision of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the subscription by the European Union to additional shares in the capital of the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD) as a result of the decision to increase this capital (COM(2011)0034 - C7-0038/2011 - 2011/0014(COD)) - ECON Committee - Rapporteur: Sharon Bowles (A7-0227/2011)


— ***Recommendation on the draft Council decision on the conclusion of the Agreement between the European Union, the Swiss Confederation and the Principality of Liechtenstein amending the Additional Agreement between the European Community, the Swiss Confederation and the Principality of Liechtenstein extending to the Principality of Liechtenstein the Agreement between the European Community and the Swiss Confederation on trade in agricultural products (16209/2010 - C7-0125/2011 - 2010/0313(NLE)) - INTA Committee - Rapporteur: Béla Glattfelder (A7-0248/2011)


— Report on Europe, the world’s No 1 tourist destination – a new political framework for tourism in Europe (2010/2206(INI)) - TRAN Committee - Rapporteur: Carlo Fidanza (A7-0263/2011)


— Report on the implementation of the directive on mediation in the Member States, its impact on mediation and its take-up by the courts (2011/2026(INI)) - JURI Committee - Rapporteur: Arlene Mccarthy (A7-0275/2011)


2) from Members

2.1) oral questions for Question Time (Rule 116)

— to the Council

Posselt Bernd, Harkin Marian, Klute Jürgen, Koumoutsakos Georgios, Andrikenė Laima Liucija, Țicău Silvia-Adriana

2.2) proposed amendments to the Rules of Procedure (Rule 212)

— Andrew Duff. Proposal for amendment of Parliament’s Rules of Procedure - Amendment of Rule 196 to insert a reference to Rule 166 (Final vote) (B7-0479/2011)

referred to responsible: AFCO
12. Lapsed written declarations

In accordance with Rule 123(5), written declaration 0016/2011 had lapsed as it had not obtained the required number of signatures.

13. Oral questions and written declarations (submission)

The following documents had been submitted by Members:

1) oral questions (Rule 115)

— (O-000135/2011) by Jo Leinen, Richard Seeber and Theodoros Skylakakis, on behalf of the ENVI Committee, to the Commission: A comprehensive approach to non-CO2 climate-relevant anthropogenic emissions (B7-0418/2011);

— (O-000148/2011) by Monica Luisa Macovei, Mariya Nedelcheva, Simon Busuttil and Manfred Weber, on behalf of the PPE Group, to the Council: Closing the gap between anti-corruption law and reality (B7-0419/2011);

— (O-000149/2011) by Monica Luisa Macovei, Mariya Nedelcheva, Simon Busuttil and Manfred Weber, on behalf of the PPE Group, to the Commission: Closing the gap between anti-corruption law and reality (B7-0420/2011);

— (O-000153/2011) by Pervenche Berès and Karima Delli, on behalf of the EMPL Committee, to the Commission: EU homelessness strategy (B7-0421/2011);

— (O-000154/2011) by Cornelis de Jong, Cornelia Ernst, Nikolaos Chountis, Søren Bo Søndergaard and Alfreds Rubiks, on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group, to the Council: Stepping up anti-corruption measures (B7-0422/2011);

— (O-000155/2011) by Cornelis de Jong, Cornelia Ernst, Nikolaos Chountis, Søren Bo Søndergaard and Alfreds Rubiks, on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group, to the Commission: Stepping up anti-corruption measures (B7-0423/2011);

— (O-000172/2011) by Ana Gomes, Claude Moraes, Rita Borsellino and Rosario Crocetta, on behalf of the S&D Group, to the Council: Implementing the EU’s anti-corruption package (B7-0427/2011);

— (O-000173/2011) by Ana Gomes, Claude Moraes, Rita Borsellino and Rosario Crocetta, on behalf of the S&D Group, to the Commission: Implementing the EU’s anti-corruption package (B7-0428/2011);

— (O-000180/2011) by Herbert Reul, on behalf of the ITRE Committee, to the Commission: European Union’s policy approach to the ITU World Radiocommunication Conference 2012 (WRC-12) (B7-0429/2011);

— (O-000185/2011) by Michael Theurer, Niccolò Rinaldi, Catherine Bearder, Marielle De Sarnez and Jürgen Creutzmann, on behalf of the ALDE Group, Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl, Othmar Karas, Daniel Caspary and Cristiana Muscardini, on behalf of the PPE Group, Robert Sturdy, on behalf of the ECR Group, to the Commission: Internationalisation of European SMEs (B7-0430/2011);
— (O-000190/2011) by Timothy Kirkhope, on behalf of the ECR Group, to the Council: Anti-corruption measures (B7-0431/2011);

— (O-000191/2011) by Timothy Kirkhope, on behalf of the ECR Group, to the Commission: Anti-corruption measures (B7-0432/2011);

— (O-000193/2011) by Sonia Alfano, Renate Weber, Sarah Ludford, Jan Mulder, Louis Michel, Nathalie Griesbeck, Ramon Tremosa i Balcells, Nadja Hirsch, Stanimir Ilchev and Jens Rohde, on behalf of the ALDE Group, to the Council: Closing the gap between anti-corruption law and reality (B7-0433/2011);

— (O-000194/2011) by Sonia Alfano, Renate Weber, Sarah Ludford, Jan Mulder, Louis Michel, Nathalie Griesbeck, Ramon Tremosa i Balcells, Nadja Hirsch, Stanimir Ilchev and Jens Rohde, on behalf of the ALDE Group, to the Commission: Closing the gap between anti-corruption law and reality (B7-0434/2011).

2) written declarations for inclusion in the register (Rule 123)

— Patrick Le Hyaric, Robert Atkins, Margrete Auken, Véronique De Keyser and Niccolò Rinaldi, on the EU's recognition of the Palestinian State (0027/2011);

— Marian-Jean Marinescu, Ádám Kósa, Eva Lichtenberger, Gesine Meissner and Gianni Pittella, on the need for emergency services to be accessible on 112 (0035/2011);

— Valdemar Tomaševski, on strengthening nuclear safety in the European Union and neighbouring countries (0036/2011);

— Spyros Danellis, Maria Da Graça Carvalho, Kyriakos Mavronikolas, Alyn Smith and Giommaria Uggias, on implementing the island pact as an official European initiative (0037/2011);

— Harlem Désir, Cornelis de Jong, Corinne Lepage, Ulrike Lunacek and Mariya Nedelcheva, on recognition of ‘testing’, in the event of positive results, as proof of racial discrimination (0038/2011).

14. Texts of agreements forwarded by the Council

The Council had forwarded certified true copies of the following:


— Agreement between the European Union and the Swiss Confederation on the protection of designations of origin and geographical indications for agricultural products and foodstuffs, amending the Agreement between the European Community and the Swiss Confederation on trade in agricultural products;

— Agreement between the European Union, the Swiss Confederation and the Principality of Liechtenstein amending the Additional Agreement between the European Community, the Swiss Confederation and the Principality of Liechtenstein extending to the Principality of Liechtenstein the Agreement between the European Community and the Swiss Confederation on trade in agricultural products;

— Agreement between the European Union and the Government of the Republic of Indonesia on certain aspects of air services;
15. Action taken on Parliament’s resolutions

The Commission communication on the action it had taken in response to the resolutions adopted by Parliament during the February I 2011 part-session was available on the Séance en direct site.

16. Petitions

The following petitions, which had been entered in the register on the dates shown below, had been forwarded to the committee responsible under Rule 201(6):

26 July 2011

Joachim Ledwoch (No 0707/2011); Wdla Renata Michalska (Stowarzyszenie Przyjazna Rokietnica) (No 0708/2011); (name withheld) (No 0709/2011); Jozef Adamski (No 0710/2011); T S Ostrowski (4 signatures) (No 0711/2011); Helmut Geuking (Partei Soziale Gerechtigkeit) (No 0712/2011); Dieter Schädlich (No 0713/2011); Jadwiga Szczodra (No 0714/2011); Ria Kasumu (11 signatures) (No 0715/2011); Adolf Śmieszek (No 0716/2011); Dietrich Bechstein (Flugtouristik Deitzsch e.V.) (No 0717/2011); Robert Wilk (No 0718/2011); Daniela Theiss (No 0719/2011); Siegfried Schäfer (No 0720/2011); Vincent Grünberg (No 0721/2011); Ingeborg Flandergan (No 0722/2011); Simon Jakob (Jakob & Kollegen) (No 0723/2011); Kazimierz Gała (No 0724/2011); Bernhard Kempen (Universität zu Köln) (No 0725/2011); Enrico Venezia (No 0726/2011); Mihai Dulgheru (No 0727/2011); Kosyo Kosev (KOSKO LTD) (No 0728/2011); Fiona Munro (No 0729/2011); Agostino Furfaro (No 0730/2011); Kevin Forbes (No 0731/2011); Clive Smith (No 0732/2011); Christian Nekvedavicius (Lithuanian association for the protection of human rights) (No 0733/2011); Patrick Pearse Heffernan (No 0734/2011); (name withheld) (No 0735/2011); Mario Marocco (Associazione nazionale operatori elettrici indipendenti) (No 0736/2011); Hugo Wolff (No 0737/2011); Carina Diana Lintia (No 0738/2011); Desislava Rayanovo (No 0739/2011); Antonio Luis García Martínez (No 0740/2011); Francisco Bernal Alfonso (No 0741/2011); (name withheld) (No 0742/2011); Jaime Sanfelix Palau (Laserood 2007, S.L.) (No 0743/2011); María Antonia Busto Ortiz (No 0744/2011); Alberto de la Peña Guillén (No 0745/2011); Cristina Díaz Espinheira (No 0746/2011); Asunción Cremades Campos (No 0747/2011); José Ramón Gil Benito (No 0748/2011).

3 August 2011

Ritva Suortti (No 0749/2011); (name withheld) (No 0750/2011); Jean-Louis Posté (Président de Mauves Vivantes) (No 0751/2011); (name withheld) (No 0752/2011); Dries Eemmen (O.O.B.T.) (No 0753/2011); Salvador Peiró Gómez (Centro de Acucultura Experimental) (No 0754/2011); Adorjáni István (No 0755/2011); Zacharias Tsirtos (No 0757/2011); Víctor Alexandru Kovacs (No 0758/2011); Elise Michaud (No 0759/2011); Rodolfo Galindo Torres (No 0760/2011); Silvia Beltrán Pallarés (Plataforma Europea de los Consumidores y del Medio Ambiente) (No 0761/2011); André Goretti (Président de la Fédération Autonome des Sapeurs-pompiers professionnels) (No 0762/2011); Judit Szíma (Tettrekész Magyar Rendőrség Szakszervezete) (No 0763/2011).
Ewa Rydzyńska (No 0764/2011); Symanski Botho (No 0765/2011); Heinz Greiner Walter (No 0766/2011); Aartur Hirschmann (No 0767/2011); Józef Suszczewicz (No 0768/2011); Helga Hung (No 0769/2011); Wolfgang Panthel (No 0770/2011); Algimantas Jonas Petraitis (No 0771/2011); Tsvetan Georgiev Rangelov (No 0772/2011); Marek Iwanowski (No 0773/2011); Jerzy Aplej (No 0774/2011); Willfried Gesing (No 0775/2011); Martin Wagner (2 signatures) (No 0776/2011); Agata Szczepniak-Sevastia (No 0777/2011); Krzysztof Tokarz (No 0778/2011); Georg Schömer (No 0779/2011); Igor Herzog (No 0780/2011); Manfred Tröger (No 0781/2011); Krzysztof Tomasz (No 0782/2011); Ehrhardt Bekeschus (No 0783/2011); Stefania Groh (No 0784/2011); Jolanta Smagłowska (No 0785/2011); (name withheld) (No 0786/2011); Edelmire Cuadrado Alba (No 0787/2011); (name withheld) (No 0788/2011); Alejandro Pastor (No 0789/2011); Pepe Montes Guillén (Agrupación de Labradoros del Pozuelo S.A) (No 0790/2011); Mikkel Basabe Kortabaria (Aralar) (No 0791/2011); Sebastiano Liciardello (Studio Legale Prof. Avv. Sebastiano Liciardello) (90 signatures) (No 0792/2011); José Ignacio Francés Sánchez (IFS ABOGADOS) (74 signatures) (No 0793/2011); Joaquim Boadas De Quintana (FECASARM) (No 0794/2011); Antonio Luis García Martínez (No 0795/2011); (name withheld) (No 0796/2011); (name withheld) (No 0797/2011); Giorgio Gurreri (No 0798/2011); Giuseppe Sorrentino (Federconsumatori) (No 0799/2011); Henryk Nowakowski (No 0800/2011); Vladimirs Strauziņš (Austrumu Medicina Co., Ltd.) (No 0801/2011); European Policy Office WWF (WWF European Policy Office) (No 0802/2011); Vladimir Dimitrov (BAR - Association Bulgare de Recyclage) (No 0803/2011); Sergio López (No 0804/2011); Sándor Polgár (No 0805/2011); Diego Zunino (397 signatures) (No 0806/2011); Milcho Georgiev Stanoev (No 0807/2011); Helene Lopes (No 0808/2011); Maria Inés García (Asociación AAPV) (No 0809/2011); (name withheld) (No 0810/2011); Garbis Vincentzi Kehayian (No 0811/2011); Silvia Beltrán Pallarés (Plataforma Europea de los Consumidores y del Medio Ambiente) (No 0812/2011); Catherine Abégüel-Petit (No 0813/2011); Sara Consuegra (No 0814/2011); Anna Poulsen (No 0815/2011); Pavlos Arvanitopoulos (No 0816/2011); Jean-Antoine Enrile (No 0817/2011); Samir Bekenniche (No 0818/2011); (name withheld) (No 0819/2011); Jan a.a. Huijsman (No 0820/2011); Emmanuel Perrakis (No 0821/2011); Juan Carlos Uriarte Amarica (Agaden Association) (No 0822/2011); (name withheld) (No 0823/2011); (name withheld) (No 0824/2011); Andrea Cocco (No 0825/2011); Anna Brandt (ART OPUS GmbH) (2 signatures) (No 0826/2011); Patrick Anzomwu (No 0827/2011); (name withheld) (No 0828/2011); (name withheld) (2 signatures) (No 0829/2011); Markus Knops (No 0830/2011); Ömer Cakmak (No 0831/2011); Peter Spyrka (No 0832/2011); Noelia Ferrer Martínez (Ebare & Associates) (No 0833/2011); Gianfranco Concetti (No 0834/2011); Hans Lennros (Upadeck AB) (No 0835/2011); (name withheld) (No 0836/2011); Basem Kasem (au nom des 156 étudiants syriens) (156 signatures) (No 0850/2011).
17. Transfers of appropriations

The Committee on Budgets had authorised the Commission's proposal for transfer of appropriations DEC 09/2011 (N7-0053/2011 - C7-0158/2011 - 2011/2121(GBD)) in accordance with Article 24(4) of the Financial Regulation as interpreted in point 20 of the joint declaration on transitional measures applicable to the budgetary procedure after the entry into force of the Lisbon Treaty.

The Committee on Budgets had authorised the Commission's proposal for transfer of appropriations DEC 12/2011 (N7-0054/2011 - C7-0165/2011 - 2011/2127(GBD)) in accordance with Article 24(4) of the Financial Regulation as interpreted in point 20 of the joint declaration on transitional measures applicable to the budgetary procedure after the entry into force of the Lisbon Treaty.

The Committee on Budgets had authorised the Commission's proposal for transfer of appropriations DEC 13/2011 (N7-0057/2011 - C7-0177/2011 - 2011/2141(GBD)) in accordance with Article 24(4) of the Financial Regulation as interpreted in point 20 of the joint declaration on transitional measures applicable to the budgetary procedure after the entry into force of the Lisbon Treaty.

The Committee on Budgets had authorised the Commission's proposal for transfer of appropriations DEC 14/2011 (N7-0058/2011 - C7-0178/2011 - 2011/2142(GBD)) in accordance with Article 24(4) of the Financial Regulation as interpreted in point 20 of the joint declaration on transitional measures applicable to the budgetary procedure after the entry into force of the Lisbon Treaty.

The Committee on Budgets had authorised the Commission's proposal for transfer of appropriations DEC 15/2011 (N7-0059/2011 - C7-0179/2011 - 2011/2143(GBD)) in accordance with Article 24(4) of the Financial Regulation as interpreted in point 20 of the joint declaration on transitional measures applicable to the budgetary procedure after the entry into force of the Lisbon Treaty.

The Committee on Budgets had authorised the Commission's proposal for transfer of appropriations DEC 16/2011 (N7-0060/2011 - C7-0180/2011 - 2011/2144(GBD)) in accordance with Article 24(4) of the Financial Regulation as interpreted in point 20 of the joint declaration on transitional measures applicable to the budgetary procedure after the entry into force of the Lisbon Treaty.

The Committee on Budgets had authorised the Commission's proposal for transfer of appropriations DEC 17/2011 (N7-0055/2011 - C7-0171/2011 - 2011/2134(GBD)) in accordance with Article 24(4) of the Financial Regulation as interpreted in point 20 of the joint declaration on transitional measures applicable to the budgetary procedure after the entry into force of the Lisbon Treaty.

The Committee on Budgets had authorised the Commission's proposal for transfer of appropriations DEC 20/2011 (N7-0056/2011 - C7-0176/2011 - 2011/2140(GBD)) in accordance with Article 24(4) of the Financial Regulation as interpreted in point 20 of the joint declaration on transitional measures applicable to the budgetary procedure after the entry into force of the Lisbon Treaty.

The Committee on Budgets had authorised the Commission's proposal for transfer of appropriations DEC 24/2011 (N7-0063/2011 - C7-0188/2011 - 2011/2153(GBD)) in accordance with Article 24(4) of the Financial Regulation as interpreted in point 20 of the joint declaration on transitional measures applicable to the budgetary procedure after the entry into force of the Lisbon Treaty.
The Committee on Budgets had authorised the Commission’s proposal for transfer of appropriations DEC 31/2011 (N7-0066/2011 - C7-0214/2011 - 2011/2164(GBD)) in accordance with Article 24(4) of the Financial Regulation as interpreted in point 20 of the joint declaration on transitional measures applicable to the budgetary procedure after the entry into force of the Lisbon Treaty.

18. **Order of business**

The next item was the order of business.

The final draft agenda for the September and I 2011 sittings (PE 470.595(PDOJ) had been distributed and a number of changes had been proposed (Rule 140):

- Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday

  No changes.

- Thursday

  Request from the PPE group for the vote on the motions for resolutions tabled at the end of the debate on the situation in Libya to be brought forward to the current part-session (Point 180 of the FDA).

  The following spoke: Cristian Dan Preda, on behalf of the PPE Group, making the request, Niccolò Rinaldi, on behalf of the ALDE Group, supporting the request, and Rebecca Harms, on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group, opposing the request.

  Parliament agreed to the request by electronic vote (131 in favour, 95 against, 7 abstentions).

  The following deadlines were set:

  motions for resolution: Tuesday, 13 September, 10.00

  amendments and joint motions for resolutions: Wednesday, 14 September, 10.00

  amendments to joint motions for resolutions: Wednesday, 14 September, 11.00

  The vote would be held on Thursday.

  

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  The order of business was thus established.

19. **Commemoration of the 10th anniversary of 11 September 2001** (statement by the Presidency)

The President made a statement to mark the 10th anniversary of 11 September 2011.

Parliament observed a minute’s silence.
20. **Ongoing Doha negotiations** (debate)

Commission statement: Ongoing Doha negotiations

Karel De Gucht (Member of the Commission) made the statement.

The following spoke: Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl, on behalf of the PPE Group, Vital Moreira, on behalf of the S&D Group, Niccolò Rinaldi, on behalf of the ALDE Group, Keith Taylor, on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group, and Helmut Scholz, on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group.

**IN THE CHAIR: Anni PODIMATA**

Vice-President

The following spoke: William (The Earl of) Dartmouth, on behalf of the EFD Group, Nicole Sinclair, Non-attached Member, Daniel Caspary, George Sabin Cutaş, who also replied to a blue-card question by Hans-Peter Martin, Yannick Jadot, João Ferreira, Bastiaan Belder, Hans-Peter Martin, Georgios Papastamkos, Corina Creţu, Judith Sargentini, Christofer Fjellner, Béla Glattfelder and Elisabeth Köstinger.

The following spoke: Antonio Tajani (Vice-President of the Commission).

**IN THE CHAIR: Libor ROUČEK**

Vice-President

Motion for a resolution to wind up the debate tabled under Rule 110(2):

— Vital Moreira, on behalf of the INTA Committee, on the state of play of the negotiations on the Doha Development Agenda (B7-0478/2011).

The debate closed.

Vote: minutes of 14.9.2011, item 5.12.

21. **An effective raw materials strategy for Europe** (debate)


Reinhard Bütikofer introduced the report.

The following spoke: Antonio Tajani (Vice-President of the Commission).

The following spoke: Birgit Schniefer-Jastram (rapporteur for the opinion of the DEVE Committee), Bernd Lange (rapporteur for the opinion of the INTA Committee), Judith A. Merkies (rapporteur for the opinion of the ENVI Committee), Daciana Octavia Sârbu (rapporteur for the opinion of the AGRI Committee), Pilar del Castillo Vera, on behalf of the PPE Group, Marita Ulvskog, on behalf of the S&D Group, Lena Ek, on behalf of the ALDE Group, Bas Eickhout, on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group, Julie Girling, on behalf of the ECR Group, Marisa Matias, on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group, Jaroslav Paška, on behalf of the EFD Group, Ioannis A. Tsoukalas, Adam Gierek, Michael Theurer, Ilda Figueiredo, Bastiaan Belder, Jolanta Emilia Hibner, Riikka Manner, Esther de Lange, Silvia-Adriana Ticău, Karl-Heinz Florenz, Csaba Sándor Tabajdi, Theodor Dumitru Stolojan, Herbert Reul and Marian-Jean Marinescu.
The following spoke under the ‘catch-the-eye’ procedure: Mairead McGuinness, Monika Smolková, Andreas Mölzer, Seán Kelly, Vasileica Viorica Dăncilă, Oreste Rossi, Elena Băsescu and Judith A. Merkies.

The following spoke: Antonio Tajani and Reinhard Bütikofer.

IN THE CHAIR: Rainer WIELAND
Vice-President

The debate closed.

Vote: minutes of 13.9.2011, item 5.22.

22. One-minute speeches on matters of political importance

In accordance with Rule 150, the following Members who wished to draw the attention of Parliament to matters of political importance spoke for one minute:


23. EU counter-terrorism policy: main achievements and future challenges (short presentation)


Sophia in ’t Veld made the presentation.

The following spoke under the ‘catch-the-eye’ procedure: Agustín Díaz de Mera García Consuegra, Juan Fernando López Aguilar, Iñácono Bilbao Barandica, Jan Philipp Albrecht, Jaroslav Paška, Martin Ehrenhauser, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Anna Hedh, Elena Băsescu and Monika Flašíková Beňová.

The following spoke: Antonio Tajani (Vice-President of the Commission).

IN THE CHAIR: Roberta ANGELILLI
Vice-President

The item closed.

Vote: minutes of 13.9.2011, item 5.23.

24. Audit policy - lessons from the crisis (short presentation)

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Antonio Masip Hidalgo made the presentation.

The following spoke under the ‘catch-the-eye’ procedure: Monika Flašíková Beňová, Evelyn Regner, Rui Tavares, Kay Swinburne and Jaroslav Paška.

The following spoke: Michel Barnier (Member of the Commission).

The item closed.

Vote: minutes of 13.9.2011, item 5.17.

25. Black Sea fisheries (short presentation)


Iliana Malinova Iotova made the presentation.

The following spoke under the ‘catch-the-eye’ procedure: Guido Milana, Vasilica Viorica Dăncilă, Josefa Andrés Barea, Silvia-Adriana Țicău, Evgeni Kirilov and João Ferreira.

The following spoke: Antonio Tajani (Vice-President of the Commission).

The item closed.

Vote: minutes of 13.9.2011, item 5.24.

26. Safety of offshore oil and gas activities (short presentation)


Vicky Ford made the presentation.

The following spoke under the ‘catch-the-eye’ procedure: Alajos Mészáros, Monika Flašíková Beňová, Silvia-Adriana Țicău, Ilda Figueiredo and Michèle Rivasi.

The following spoke: Antonio Tajani (Vice-President of the Commission).

The item closed.

Vote: minutes of 13.9.2011, item 5.25.

27. Women entrepreneurship in small and medium-sized enterprises (short presentation)


Marina Yannakoudakis made the presentation.
The following spoke under the ‘catch-the-eye’ procedure: Regina Bastos, Miroslav Míkolášík, Vasilica Viorica Dâncilă, Monika Flašíková Beňová, Silvia-Adriana Țicău, Ilda Figueiredo, Elena Băsescu, Jaroslav Paška, Alajos Mészáros, Katarína Nevedalová, Antigoni Papadopoulou and Angelika Werthmann.

The following spoke: Antonio Tajani (Vice-President of the Commission).

The item closed.


28. **Situation of women approaching retirement age** (short presentation)


Edit Bauer made the presentation.

The following spoke under the ‘catch-the-eye’ procedure: Christa Klaß, Miroslav Míkolášík, Vasilica Viorica Dâncilă, Ilda Figueiredo, Monika Flašíková Beňová, Katarína Nevedalová and Antigoni Papadopoulou.

The following spoke: Antonio Tajani (Vice-President of the Commission).

The item closed.

Vote: minutes of 13.9.2011, item 5.18.

29. **Agenda of the next sitting**

The agenda of the next day’s sitting had been established (‘Agenda’ PE 470.595/OJMA).

30. **Closure of the sitting**

The sitting closed at 22.50.

Klaus Welle  
Secretary-General

Miguel Angel Martínez Martínez  
President

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The following signed: