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1st Session of the Committee on Administration and Finance (CAF)

4th Session of the Compliance Committee (COC)

Athens, Greece, 12-17 April 2010

General Information¹

Date and Venue

Monday, 12 April to Saturday, 17 April 2010. (Registration starts at 17 pm on Sunday 11 April). Meeting hours will be approximately from 09:00 to 18:00 with exception for the first day (see agenda and timetable).

The meeting will be held at: **TITANIA Hotel**

Titania Hotel****

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Language

Arabic, English, French and Spanish will be used as official languages for the simultaneous translations. The working documents will be available in the three working languages (Arabic, English and French).

Transportation from Athens Airport "El. Benizelos" to meeting hotel

1. You can take a taxi from the Airport (cost approximately 30 euro) or a bus, which will drive you downtown. AMINA" (Line 3).
2. You can take the metro (Line 3) from the airport to "SYNTAGMA" station. Then you take the metro line to Omonia and in the first stop (Panepistimio) you disembark. The hotel is 5 minutes walk from PANEPISTIMIO metro station.
3. From the Airport you can take the E95 bus (24 hours service), which goes to "SYNTAGMA" square. From there you can take the metro to "PANEPISTIMIO" station. The hotel is 5 blocks from SYNTAGMA 15 minutes walk; you can also take a taxi.
4. From the Airport you can take the E94 bus (24 hours service) which goes to the nearest metro station "ETHNIKI. From there you will take the metro to PANEPISTIMIO station. The meeting is two blocks from there.

Visa information for participants

Excluding citizens from EU all other citizens need to obtain visas in the nearest Diplomatic Consular Departments of Greece.

All details about visa regime are available in the website of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Greece <http://www.mfa.gr>. Please make your visa application in person and one month before you travel to Greek Consular Department of your convenience.

Recommended Accommodation in Athens

The event will be held in Titania Hotel, Athens. The promotional price has been achieved for the participants of the GFCM session. Participants are kindly request to make their own reservations.

Titania Hotel** (meeting venue)**

Special accommodation fees have been secured for accommodation in Titania Hotel, i.e., 80€ for single rooms and 90€ for double rooms (tax and breakfast included)

The **TITANIA hotel** is located in the center of the city within walking distance of the most important historical and cultural buildings; the Archaeological Museum, the University of Athens, The National Library, the Parliament and is also close to the Acropolis. From the Titania hotel, you will be able to explore the city, due to its easy access to all forms of public transport. Located between two underground stations, the Hotel has a wide variety of public services to offer its guests to visit the commercial city centre, the many stores, etc.

Alternatively, accommodation could be suggested in the following hotels. All hotels are situated nearby the meeting place (see included map)

Electra Hotel Athens ****

5 Ermou Str

10563 Athens

tel : +30 210 33 78 0003238001

fax: + 30 210 32 20310

saleselath@electrahotels.gr

<http://www.electrahotels.gr/electra-hotel-athens/index.html>

Prices (TAX and breakfast included)

single room 130 €

double room 150 €

Esperia Palace Hotel Athens, ****

22, Stadiou Str.,

105 64 Athens

tel.: +30 210 3238001

fax: +30 210 3238100

email: info@esperiahotel.com.gr

<http://www.esperiahotel.com.gr/indexEN.htm>

Prices (TAX and breakfast included)

single room 110 €

double room 125 €

Astor hotel Athens ****

16, Karagiorgi Servias,

10562 Athens

tel. :+30 210 3351000

fax:+30 210 3239742

email: astor@astorhotel.gr

<http://www.astorhotel.gr>

Prices (TAX and breakfast included)

single room 68 €

double room 86 €

Pan Hotel ***

11, Mitropoleos Str.

105 57 Athens,

tel. +30 210 3237 816

fax: +30 210 3237 819

email: info@panhotel.gr

<http://www.panhotel.gr>

Prices (TAX and breakfast included)

single room 75 €

double room 90 €

Arethusa Hotel ***

6-8, Mitropoleos & 12, Nikis Strs,
105 63 Athens,

tel. +30 210 3229431

fax:+30 210 3229439

email:: arethusa@arethusahotel.gr

<http://www.arethusahotel.gr>

Prices (TAX and breakfast included)

single room 50 €

double room 70 €

Participants are kindly requested to make their own reservations



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Electra

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