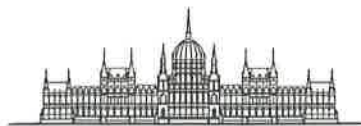


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Budapest, 3 June 2024

Dear Colleague,

From 1 July 2024, Hungary will hold the Presidency of the Council of the European Union for six months. In the framework of the interparliamentary cooperation of the Presidency the 25th Interparliamentary Conference for the Common Foreign and Security Policy (CFSP) and the Common Security and Defence Policy (CSDP) will be held in Budapest on 9-10 September 2024, organised by the Hungarian National Assembly.

Please allow us to cordially invite you and your delegation to this meeting on behalf of the Hungarian National Assembly. When determining the number of your delegates, please consider the provisions of the Rules of Procedure of the Conference.

Due to the areas covered by the Interparliamentary Conference, the Committee on Foreign Affairs and the Committee on Defence and Law Enforcement of the Hungarian National Assembly will co-host the conference.

In light of the current foreign and security policy related changes in the world on global and regional level, we believe that holding this interparliamentary conference every six months is of particular significance. It provides an important platform for discussing current issues in the field of foreign, security and defence policy with the participation of representatives of European national parliaments and the European Parliament, as well as EU experts and decision-makers. In addition, we believe that this forum can contribute to a better understanding and convergence of different points of view.

We have attached a draft programme of the event and a document containing practical information and registration details. The meeting programme allows for an exchange of views on as many topical issues as possible.

For up-to-date information on the events of the parliamentary cooperation organised by the Hungarian Presidency and our conference, please visit the Parliament's EU Presidency website at www.parleu2024.parlament.hu, which will be officially launched on 1 July 2024.

We would be honoured to welcome you to Budapest for the conference on 9-10 September 2024!

Yours sincerely:

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Chair,

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Chair,

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Enforcement

