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The Secretariat of the Conference of Presidents

Brussels, 1 March 2018

NOTE TO THE MEMBERS OF THE CONFERENCE OF PRESIDENTS

Subject: Written procedure on the sending of an ad hoc delegation to Slovakia

At the deadline set at 18:00 hours on Thursday 1 March 2018, there was no objection to the draft decision.

Consequently, the Conference of Presidents has taken the decision below by written procedure.

This result is communicated to the political groups by the present note, which will also be submitted to the Conference of Presidents for information at its next ordinary meeting.

The Secretariat

Authorisation to send an ad hoc delegation to Slovakia

The Conference of Presidents, by written procedure

- recalled the exchange of views in plenary on 1 March 2018 on the murder of journalist Ján Kuciak and his partner Martina Kušnírová; and recalled that the President had noted that there had been an agreement for the sending of an ad hoc delegation to Slovakia;
- authorised the sending of an eight Member ad hoc delegation to Slovakia, to be composed of one Member from each political group and preferably drawn from the Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs (LIBE) and the Committee on Budgetary Control (CONT), for a fact-finding mission in those committees' respective remit, at the earliest possible date and for up to three days;
- recalled that Article 21(1) of the Implementing provisions governing the work of delegations did not provide for the addition of committee chairs nor for allowing for accompanying Members;
- invited the LIBE and CONT Committees to submit a joint proposal for the programme of the mission.