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**Dear Colleagues,**

Please find attached the invitation letter of the OSCE Chairperson-in-Office, Secretary of State – Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Kazakhstan Kanat Saudabayev and Minister of Foreign Affairs of Denmark Lene Espersen to the Copenhagen Anniversary Conference on the topic “20 years of the OSCE Copenhagen Document: Status and future perspectives” to be held in Copenhagen on 10-11 June 2010.

I kindly ask you to forward this invitation letter to your respective capitals, as well as facilitate us to identify your government’s officials who will participate in this conference.

We look forward to your most valued participation in this conference.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Kairat Abdрахманов'.

**Kairat ABDRAKHMANOV**  
**Ambassador, Permanent Representative**  
**Chairperson of the Permanent Council**

**To: All Participating States**  
**Partners for Co-operation**  
**All OSCE Institutions**  
**OSCE Parliamentary Assembly**  
**OSCE Secretariat**



## Copenhagen Anniversary Conference

*20 years of the OSCE Copenhagen  
Document: Status and future perspectives*

Copenhagen, 10-11 June 2010



April 2010

Dear Madam / Sir,

On behalf of the Chairmanship of the Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe (OSCE) and the Government of Denmark, we have the pleasure of inviting you to the Copenhagen Anniversary Conference on the topic "*20 years of the OSCE Copenhagen Document: Status and future perspectives*" to be held in Copenhagen on 10 and 11 June 2010.

Twenty years ago, representatives of the participating States of the then CSCE met to agree on what went into the annals as the Copenhagen Document – a true milestone in the OSCE human dimension. The Copenhagen Document remains one of the most important sources of OSCE commitments concerning fundamental freedoms and human rights and is a principal foundation for democratic government in the OSCE area.

The aim of the Conference is to consider the general compliance in the OSCE area with commitments in the Copenhagen Document and to look into possibilities of how to further improve the implementation of OSCE's commitments enshrined in the document.

We hope for fruitful discussions and contributions from high level representatives from OSCE participating States, the Partners for Co-operation, OSCE institutions, the OSCE Parliamentary Assembly, International Organizations, experts and civil society representatives. We would appreciate your assistance in distributing this invitation to relevant participants.

For your information, we enclose the agenda of the conference. Technical information as well as a more detailed agenda will follow.

Looking forward to your favorable reply, we avail ourselves of this opportunity to assure you of our highest consideration, and remain,

Yours sincerely,

Kanat SAUDABAYEV  
OSCE Chairperson-in-Office  
Secretary of State -  
Minister of Foreign Affairs of Kazakhstan

Lene ESPERSEN  
Minister for Foreign Affairs of Denmark



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### *Agenda*

#### **10 June**

09.00-10.00 **Opening Session**

- Deputy Prime Minister-Minister for Foreign Affairs of Denmark Mrs. Lene Espersen
- Chairperson-in-Office, Secretary of State - Minister of Foreign Affairs of Kazakhstan Mr. Kanat Saudabayev

10.00-12.00 **Session 1: Democratic processes – elections and human rights**

12.00-13.30 Lunch

13.30-15.30 **Session 2: Rule of law**

15.30-16.00 Coffee break

16.00-18.00 **Session 3: National minorities**

18.00 Reception hosted by Denmark

#### **11 June**

10.00-12.00 **Session 4: Freedom of movement**

12.00-13.30 Lunch

13.30-15.30 **Session 5: Measures to improve implementation of the human dimension commitments**

15.30-16.00 **Closing session**

*Venue: Eigtveds Pakhus, Danish Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Asiatisk Plads 2 G, 1448 Copenhagen K.*

*Working languages: English, Russian (simultaneous interpretation).*