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You are kindly invited to a conference, held under the auspices of the
Ministries for Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation
and the Hellenic Republic entitled

**“The Politico-Military Dimension of European Security:
Proposals and Perspectives”,**

which will take place on the 17th of May 2011
at the Macedonia Meeting Room of the Divani Caravel Hotel
(Vas. Alexandrou Avenue 2).

The Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Hellenic Republic,
Mr. Dimitris P. Droutsas,
and the Deputy Foreign Minister of the Russian Federation,
Mr. Alexander Grushko
will address the conference.

Other speakers include prominent academics, researchers, diplomats
and military officers from Russia, Greece and other countries.
Representatives of Greek and Russian think tanks, the academic community,
the media and the Athens diplomatic corps will also be attending.

The conference will be open to the public and will be held in english with
simultaneous translation into greek.

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9.30 Registration

9.30-11.00 Session 1. The Dialogue on European Security

- Minister for Foreign Affairs of Greece Mr. D.Droutsas
- Deputy Minister for Foreign Affairs of Russia Mr. A. Grushko

Coordinator: Ambassador E. Lozos, Director General for International Organizations and International Cooperation and Security, MFA of Greece

Speakers:

- Ambassador R. Ekeus, former Chairman of the Board of the Stockholm International Peace Research Institute (SIPRI), Sweden
- Dr. D. Suslov, Deputy Research Director of the Council on Foreign and Defense Policy (SVOP) and Deputy Director of the Center for Comprehensive European and International Studies, Russia
- Dr. Th. Dokos, Director General of the Hellenic Foundation for European and Foreign Policy (ELIAMEP), Greece
- Questions and answers

11.00-11.15 Coffee Break

11.15-13.00 Session 2. Arms Control and Confidence and Security Building Measures

Coordinator: Mr. A. Adamishin President of the Euro-Atlantic Association, from 1992-1994 First Deputy Minister for Foreign Affairs, Russia

Speakers:

- Mr. V. Trubnikov, Director of the Center of Situation Analysis of the Institute of World Economy and International Relations, from 2004-2006 - Director of the External Intelligence Service, General of the Army, Russia
- Ambassador E. Sourani, Deputy Permanent Representative of Greece to the OSCE (Politico-Military Affairs), Austria
- Colonel (ret'd) W. Richter, German Institute for International and Security Affairs (SWP), Germany
- Dr. L. Ivashov, President of the Academy of Geopolitical Problems, Colonel-General, Russia
- Dr. W. Zellner, Director Institute For Peace Research Hamburg, Head of the Center for OSCE Research, Germany
- Questions and answers

13.00-15.00 Break

15.00-16.45 Session 3. International Organizations and Cooperative Security

Coordinator: Dr. P. Dunay, Director of the International Training Course in Security Policy, Geneva Center for Security Policy, Switzerland

Speakers:

- Mr. A. Adamishin, President of the Euro-Atlantic Association, from 1992-1994 First Deputy Minister for Foreign Affairs, Russia
- Mr. A. Andrianopoulos, Director of Institute of Diplomacy and Global Affairs of the American College of Greece (Deree College), from 1991-1993 Minister of Development, Greece
- Mr. A. Gromyko, Deputy Director of the Institute of Europe, Academy of Sciences (IERAS), Russia
- Professor A.K. Orel, Director General Center for International and Comparative Studies, Ukraine
- Ambassador E. Lozos, Director General for International Organizations and International Cooperation and Security, MFA of Greece
- Questions and answers

Concluding Remarks: Assistant Professor E. Karagiannis, Department of Balkan, Slavic and Oriental Studies, University of Macedonia, Greece

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