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The Federal Public Service Foreign Affairs, Foreign Trade and Development Cooperation presents its compliments to Embassies of the ASEM partners and of the Russian Federation, Australia and New Zealand and has the honour to invite the ASEM partners and the Russian Federation, Australia and New Zealand as guests of the chair to the ASEM Senior Officials' Meeting, taking place in Brussels from 13 to 15 July 2010.

In this regard, the Embassies of the ASEM partners and of the Russian Federation, Australia and New Zealand are kindly requested to forward the attached Invitation Letter, the Provisional Agenda, the Program, the Program details, and the Administrative Circular to their high destinations.

The Federal Public Service Foreign Affairs, Foreign Trade and Development Cooperation has further the honor to inform you that the texts for the Chair Statement will be circulated at the beginning of July and that delegations can register through the ASEM 8 website: <http://www.asem8.be/registration-preparatory-events>. In the registration form, please check the 'Senior Officials' Meeting' option and specify the date of 14 July 2010. Please note that the expected format of delegations is Head of Delegation+2.

The Federal Public Service Foreign Affairs, Foreign Trade and Development Cooperation avails itself of this opportunity to renew to ASEM partners and the Russian Federation, Australia and New Zealand the assurances of its highest consideration.

Brussels, 8 June 2010

To the ASEM partners and the Russian Federation, Australia and New Zealand

Attachments : Invitation Letter, Provisional Agenda, Program, Program Details & Administrative Circular