



Vilnius, 24 February,  
2005 Version 5

**Baltic Sea Parliamentary Conference (BSPC)**  
**28-30 August, 2005, Vilnius, Lithuania**  
*Le Meridien Villon Resort & Convention Centre*

**DRAFT PROGRAMME**

**Sunday            28 August**

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	Arrival of participants in Vilnius
12.00-18.30	Registration
13.00-15.30	BSPC Standing Committee meeting (t.b.c.)
16.00-18.00	Sightseeing
19.00	Departure from the hotel to the reception
20.00	Reception
~22.00	Return to the hotel

**Monday, 29 August**

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08.00            Registration

**09.00-09.30    OPENING OF THE CONFERENCE**

*/Cultural programme/*

**Address by the Chairman of the Seimas of the Republic of Lithuania Mr. Arturas Paulauskas**  
**Address by Mayor of Vilnius Mr. Arturas Zuokas**

Greetings by the guests

**09.30-11.00 FIRST SESSION -**

Relations with the EU neighbouring countries (Russia, Belarus, Ukraine). Expanding stability and democracy Space in Europe

**Topic:**.....

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Questions-answers  
Discussion

11.00-11.30 Coffee break

**11.30-13.00 Continuation of the first session**

**Topic:**.....

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**Topic:**.....

Questions-answers  
Discussion

13.00-14.30 Lunch

13.30-14.30 Drafting Committee meeting

**14.30-16.00 SECOND SESSION -**

Forms of closer cooperation in the enlarged Europe, including development of infrastructure. Retaining and developing new regional cooperation frameworks, uniting Northern, Western and Eastern Europe

**Topic:**.....

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Questions-answers  
Discussion

16.00-16.30 Coffee break

**16.30-18.00 Continuation of the second Session**

**Topic:**.....

**Topic:**.....

**Topic:**.....

Questions-answers  
Discussion

18.00-19.00 Drafting Committee meeting

19.30 Departure from the hotel to the reception

20.00 Reception hosted by Mr. Arturas Paulauskas, Chairman of the Seimas of the Republic of Lithuania

~22.00 Return to the hotel

**Tuesday, 30 August**

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09.00-09.50 Drafting Committee meeting

10.00-11.30 **THIRD SESSION -  
Cooperation in the Baltic Sea Region and Parliamentary  
Dimension**

**Topic:**.....  
**Report on behalf of the Standing Committee of the Baltic Sea  
Parliamentary Conference (BSPC) (t.b.c.)**

**Topic:**.....  
**Report on behalf of the Council of the Baltic Sea States (CBSS)  
(t.b.c.)**

**Topic:**.....  
**Report on behalf of HELCOM (t.b.c.)**

Questions-answers  
Discussion

**11.30-12.00 Adoption of the Resolution**

Closing of the Conference by the actual and the coming host of the BSPC

12.00-13.00 Press Conference  
(all members of the BSPC Standing Committee)

12.00-14.30 Lunch  
Excursion (if needed)  
Departure of participants