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Turkey Ukraine United Kingdom Council of Europe Conference of Ministers responsible for Spatial/Regional Planning (CEMAT) meets in Moscow

Dates: 8 and 9 July 2010

Location: Moscow (Russian Federation)

Organised by the Council of Europe and the Russian Ministry of Regional Development.

Description: At a time when CEMAT is celebrating its 40th anniversary, the Ministers responsible for Spatial/Regional Planning in the 47 member states of the Council of Europe will meet to discuss challenges linked to the sustainable development of the European continent in a changing world from a human rights perspective.

The participants will discuss the following subjects:

- access to essential services;
- role of spatial development policies in environmental sustainability;
- the living environment and landscape enhancement;
- transfrontier interaction and territorial integration of the European continent.

At the end of the conference, the Ministers will examine and adopt a final declaration and resolutions on "The contribution of essential services to the sustainable spatial development of the European Continent" and "The Pan-European Charter of rural heritage: for a sustainable territorial development".

Practical information:

- The conference will be held at the **World Trade Center in Moscow** (Krasnopresnenskaya nab. 12) and will be entirely **open to the press**.
- Media representatives are invited to get accredited with the Russian Ministry of regional development (see contact details below).

More information

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