Czech Presidency Newsletter

20 April 2009

This week's events:

Informal Meeting of Ministers for Regional Development

http://www.eu2009.cz/event/1/521/

Agriculture and Fisheries Council

http://www.eu2009.cz/event/1/1542/

EU - Turkey meeting at ministerial level

On 21 April 2009 Prague will host the EU-Turkey meeting at ministerial level.

http://www.eu2009.cz/en/news-and-documents/news/eu---turkey-meeting-at-ministerial-level--17344/

Ministerial conference Safer Internet for Children

On 20 April 2009 the Prague Congress Centre will host a ministerial conference Safer Internet for Children, which is organised by the Ministry of the Interior in cooperation with the European Commission.

http://www.eu2009.cz/en/news-and-documents/news/ministerial-conference-safer-internet-for-children-16718/

Last week's events:

Minister Schwarzenberg invited Belarus to the Eastern Partnership Summit

Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Czech Republic Karel Schwarzenberg invited Belarus to the Eastern Partnership Summit, to be held in Prague on 7 May.

http://www.eu2009.cz/en/news-and-documents/press-releases/minister-schwarzenberg-invited-belarus-to-the-eastern-partnership-summit-17599/

Czech Environment Minister Martin Bursík answered your questions

The main conclusions of the Informal meeting of Environment Ministers and the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions were among the topics which you discussed with Czech Minister of the Environment Bursík during European Chat.

http://www.eu2009.cz/en/news-and-documents/news/czech-environment-minister-martin-bursik-answered-your-questions--17575/

Prague will host EU-Canada Summit on May 6, 2009

The EU-Canada Summit will take place in Prague on May 6, 2009.

http://www.eu2009.cz/en/news-and-documents/news/prague-will-host-eu-canada-summit-on-may-6--2009-17569/

EU Council and EP reach preliminary agreement on energy projects

The Czech EU Presidency and the MEPs reached a preliminary agreement on energy projects in the context of the European Economic Recovery Plan, which will receive a contribution from the EU budget to the tune of 5 billion euros.

http://www.eu2009.cz/en/news-and-documents/news/eu-council-and-ep-reach-preliminary-agreement-on-energy-projects-17537/

Environment Ministers discuss the way to Copenhagen

Negotiation of the future Copenhagen climate change agreement as well as financing climate change mitigation and adaptation were the issues being discussed during the second day of the informal meeting of the EU Environment Ministers.

http://www.eu2009.cz/en/news-and-documents/news/eu-environment-ministers-discussed-the-way-to-copenhagen-in-prague-17176/

Czech Presidency to hold three important summits in Prague in early May

On 7 May the Employment Summit and the Eastern Partnership Summit will take place. The summit "Southern Corridor – New Silk Road" will be held on 8 April.

http://www.eu2009.cz/en/news-and-documents/news/czech-presidency-to-hold-several-important-summits-in-prague-in-early-may-16667/