

**Programme for Delegation of the Committee of Foreign Affairs of the European
Parliament
Visit to Ankara
16 – 18 March 2015
(Draft Program – standing 16 March 2015, 21h00)**

Composition of the AFET Delegation:

MEPs: (1 chair + 7 Members)

1. **Elmar Brok** (EPP) – Chair of the Committee on Foreign Affairs ,
2. **Renate Sommer** (EPP) – Member of Committee on Foreign Affairs - Shadow Rapporteur for Turkey
3. **Cristian Dan Preda** (EPP) – EPP Political Coordinator in the Committee on Foreign Affairs
4. **Kati Piri** (S&D) – European Parliament Rapporteur for Turkey
5. **Juan Fernando López Aguilar** (S&D) – Member of the Committee on Civil Liberties and substitute Member of the Committee on Foreign Affairs
6. **Manolis Kefalogiannis** (EPP) – Chair of the European Parliament Delegation to the EU-Turkey Joint Parliamentary Committee and Member of the Committee on Foreign Affairs
7. **Amjad Bashir** (ECR) – Member of the Committee on Foreign Affairs
8. **Nedzhmi Ali** (ALDE) – Member of the Committee on Foreign Affairs

Political Group Advisors and Policy Advisors from the AFET Secretariat: (5)

9. **Jan Willem Vlasman** – EPP Political Group Advisor
10. **Eldar Mamedov** – S&D Political Group Advisor
11. **Rune Glasberg** – ALDE Political Group Advisor

12. **Luca Di Preso** – Policy Advisor Secretariat Committee Foreign Affairs
13. **Oliver Krentz** – Policy Advisor Secretariat Committee Foreign Affairs

17 March, Tuesday

- 08:15-09:15 Breakfast meeting and briefing by the acting Head of EU Delegation to Turkey, Ambassador Béla Szombati
Venue: Çankaya Meeting Room 3, Hotel Hilton
- 09:45 – 10:45 Meeting with the Minister of Economy Nihat Zeybekci
Venue: Ministry of Economy
- 11:00 – 12:15 H.E. Cemil Çiçek, Speaker of the Turkish Grand National Assembly
Venue: TGNA
- 12:30 – 13:00 Meeting between the Minister for EU Affairs and Chief Negotiator Volkan Bozkır and AFET Chair Elmar Brok
Venue: Ministry of EU Affairs
- 13:00 – 14:00 Lunch hosted by Minister EU Affairs and Chief Negotiator Volkan Bozkır
Venue: Ministry of EU Affairs
- 14:30 – 15:30 Meeting with the Prime Minister, Ahmet Davutoğlu
Venue: Justice and Development Party Headquarter
- 16:15 – 17:30 Chief Ombudsman, Mr. Nihat Ömeroğlu (*meeting requested*)
- 18:00 – 18:45 Meeting with the Deputy Prime Minister Ali Babacan
Venue: Prime Ministry
- 19:00 ***Departure for hotel***
- 19:45 ***Departure for working dinner from hotel***
- 20:00 – 22:30 Working Dinner hosted by the acting Head of EU Delegation on Turkish politics
Venue: Göksu Restaurant (SM +IF + AA)
1. Mr Bilal Macit (MP), AKP vice-chair for foreign relations
 2. Mr Murat Özçelik, CHP vice-chair for foreign relations
 3. Mr Tuğrul Türkeş (MP), MHP vice-chair for foreign relations
 4. Mr Nazmi Gür (MP), HDP member of PACE (***tbc***)
 5. Mr Sinan Ülgen, Centre for Economic and Foreign Policy Studies (EDAM), Chair
 6. Mr (Prof.) Çağrı Erhan, Ankara University Centre for European Studies (ATAUM), Chair
 7. Ms Nilgün Arısan Eralp, Economic Policy Research Foundation of Turkey (TEPAV –EPRI), Director of EU Institute
 8. Mr Serkan Demirtaş, Hürriyet Daily News Ankara Representative
 9. Mr İlnur Çevik, Sabah Daily foreign policy chief
 10. Mr Abdullah Bozkurt, Today's Zaman Ankara Representative
 11. Mr Burhanettin Duran, Foundation for Political, Economic and Social Research (SETA), Director
 12. Mr (Prof.) Birol Akgün, Institute Of Strategic Thinking (SDE), Director (***tbc***)

18 March, Wednesday

- 08:30-09:30 Mr. Martin Raiser, WB Turkey Representative (*confirmation pending*)
Venue: MNG Building, GOP
- 10:00-11:00 Meeting with Deputy Chair of the MHP Group Oktay Vural
Venue: TGNA
- 11:00-12:00 Meeting with Deputy Co-Chairs of the HDP Group Nazmi Gür and Ertuğrul Kürkçü
Venue: TGNA
- 12:00-13:00 Meeting with Deputy Chair of the CHP Engin Altay
Venue: TGNA
- 13:00-14:15 Meeting with Deputy Chair of the AKP Naci Bostancı
Venue: TGNA
- 15:00-16:00 Meeting with HE President Recep Tayyip Erdoğan
Venue: Presidential Palace
- 17:00 – 18:00 Meeting with the Acting Minister of Justice Kenan İpek
Venue: Ministry of Justice
- 18:30 – 19:30 Meeting with EU MS Ambassadors of DE, RO, NL, ES, EL, BG, UK
Venue: EU Delegation

Useful numbers: Omit 00 90 and add 0 when dialled locally

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