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DRAFT PROGRAMM
EXTRAORDINARY PES-GROUP MEETING

THE PES-GROUP MANIFESTO CONTRIBUTIONS ON
SAVE OUR PLANET / EUROPEAN DEMOCRACY AND DIVERSITY
15-16TH MAY 2008, TORINO

DAY I: Thursday, May 15th 2008

15.00 Opening of the Session:
Mercedes BRESSO, President of COR/PES Group and President of the Region Piedmont
Sergio CHIAMPARINO, Mayor of Turin
Poul Nyrup RASMUSSEN, President of the Party of European Socialists
Walter VELTRONI, Leader of the Italian *Partito Democratico*

15.30-18.30

Save Our Planet

Chair and moderator : Claudio MARTINI, COR PES Group Coordinator
Nicholas STERN, author of the UN Climate Change report
Rajendra PACHAURI, Chairman of the intergovernmental panel on climate change established by World Meteorological organisation and United Nations Environment Programme
Ségolène ROYAL, President of the Poitou-Charentes region
Carlo PETRINI, President of Slow Food and *Terra Madre Association*
Luke RAVENSTAHL, Mayor of Pittsburgh
Piero MARRAZZO, President of Lazio region, CoR rapporteur on Emission Trading System

[**Ilmar REEPALU**, Councillor of Malmö, first contributor to the "Green Cities" series on the Manifesto]

18.30 – 19.00 **Conclusions**

DAY II: Friday, May 16th 2008

9.00-12.30

European Democracy and Diversity

Chair and moderator: Karl-Heinz KLÄR, COR/PES Group Coordinator

Jacques DELORS, President of the Foundation of European Progressive Societies
Piero FASSINO, PES coordinator on the manifesto theme Democracy & Diversity
Kostas SIMITIS, former PM of Greece, member of the Amato PES high level group on the future of Europe
Ulrich BECK, sociologist and author of *"Cosmopolitan Vision"*
Ken LOACH, film director
Anna TERRON I CUSI, CoR rapporteur on the migration package
Jiri DIENSTBIER, former Czech Foreign Minister, initiator of the charter 77, former UN special rapporteur on human rights in former Yugoslavia

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