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## Press Tour of Journalists from MD & ICI Countries 02 December 2009

### Wednesday 02 December 2009 - Conference Room Brosio

- 08:30 Arrival at NATO Headquarters and security procedures
- 09:00 Briefing and discussion on *NATO's Transformation and the Outreach to the Mediterranean and the Middle East* with **Mr. Nicola de Santis**, Head, Mediterranean Dialogue and Istanbul Cooperation Initiative Countries Section, Public Diplomacy Division
- 10:00 Press conference by **H.E. Mr. Anders Fogh Rasmussen**, Secretary General of NATO, in Joseph LUNS Press Theatre
- 10:45 Coffee Break
- 11:00 Briefing and discussion on *NATO's Operations* with **H.E. Amb. Maurits Jochems**, Deputy Assistant Secretary General, Planning Directorate, Operations Division
- 12:00 Briefing and discussion on *NATO's Relations with Russia* with **Dr. Petr Lunák**, Information Officer, Outreach Countries Section, Public Diplomacy Division
- 13:00 Working lunch in the *Salon des Ambassadeurs* with **Mr. Jean-François Bureau**, NATO Assistant Secretary General for Public Diplomacy
- 15:30 On-the-record Meeting with **Ms. Carmen Romero**, Deputy Spokesperson and Head, Press & Media, Public Diplomacy Division
- 16:00 Coffee break
- 16:15 Briefing and discussion on *NATO's Military Cooperation Programme under the Mediterranean Dialogue* with **Maj. Gen. Georges Lebel**, Assistant Director, Cooperation & Regional Security Division, International Military Staff
- 17:00 Departure from NATO