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ITEMS DISCUSSED

1. Appointments Appeals Committee

The following alternate member for the Appeals Committee was appointed by the JSB:

- From Denmark: Mr. Jens Harkov Hansens.

2. New legal basis for Europol

The Chairman informed the members of the JSB on the current developments concerning the Council Decision establishing the European Police Office.

3. Europol Inspection

The JSB discussed the final version of the inspection report which also included comments from Europol. The report was formally adopted. It was also decided to send a letter to the Norwegian Data Protection Authority who had cooperated with aspects of the inspection.

4. OASIS Project

Europol presented the JSB with the OASIS project. An exchange of views was held between the JSB and Europol. The JSB decided to forward a letter to Europol asking for more information on several aspects.

5. Check the Web project

Europol presented the JSB with the Check the Web project. An exchange of views was held between the JSB and Europol. The JSB decided to further check the system during the next inspection.

6. Knowledge Management

The secretariat presented a detailed memo concerning knowledge management. An exchange of views was held. The main points of the discussion were: organizing a conference, an induction program for the new members, the organization of information visits to Europol, organization of joint national inspections. The JSB agreed to continue working on these aspects.

7. Awareness program

The JSB decided to complete an electronic brochure concerning the role of the JSB and citizens' rights. This brochure will be published in all languages by the Data Protection Authorities on their websites.