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INDIA-RUSSIA-CHINA TRILATERAL ON AFGHANISTAN

Moscow, June 29-30, 2015

Agenda

June 29, 2015

9.30-9.40 am **Opening Remarks** Professor Vyacheslav Belokrenitsky, Institute of Oriental Studies and Dr. Radha Kumar, Delhi Policy Group 9.40-11 am **Prognosis for the National Unity Government** Russian, Indian and Chinese Views All participants, beginning with Dr. Omar Nesssar 11-11.15 am Tea Prospects for Afghanistan-Pakistan Rapprochement and the Taliban 11.15 am-1 pm Chinese Update and Analysis Professor Zhang Li, Professor Vladimir Sotnikov Chair for Morning Sessions: Dr. Radha Kumar 1-2 pm Lunch 2-3:30 pm The Security Situation in Afghanistan Round Table led by Professor Vitaly Naumkin, Colonel Oleg Kulakov, Professor Vyacheslav Belokrenitsky, Dr. Tatyana Shaumian 3:30-3.45 pm Tea 3.45-5.15 pm Cooperating on Deradicalization, Counter-Extremism and Counter-Terrorism Lieutenant-General Ata Hasnain, Professor Vladimir Boyko

Chair for Afternoon Sessions: Ambassador Mikhail Konarovsky



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June 30, 2015

9.00-10:30am The Role of the SCO and possible SCO-BRICS Cooperation

Ambassador Ajai Malhotra, Professor Zhang Li

10:30-10:45am Tea

10.45-12pm Regional Connectivity: The EAEU, SREB, and the North-South Corridor

Ambassador Mikhail Konarovsky

Presentation on the Iranian Role for the North-South Corridor by Dr. Hamid Zanganeh,

Embassy of Islamic Republic of Iran, Moscow

12-12.15pm Closing Remarks

Chair for Sessions: Professor Vyacheslav Belokrenitsky

PLEASE NOTE

This is a small closed-door and off the record meeting, with the emphasis on round the table discussion. Speakers are expected to take no more than 7-10 minutes each, and chairpersons no more than 5 minutes each. Chairpersons are asked to assert their authority to ensure that these time limits are adhered to.



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