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The EP involvement in foreign policy has been very focused on human rights abuses around the world, illustrated by the annual award of the Sakharov Prize for Freedom of Thought. Parliament has also sought to increase funding for the external actions of the EU. The Middle East, China, Russia and Guantánamo were also the subject of parliamentary debates and resolutions.

This product aims to illustrate the following topics:

EP DELEGATIONS AND VISITS

- Election observation mission to Palestine
- Election observation mission to Kosovo
- Post-Tsunami delegation to Aceh, Indonesia
- Delegation to Darfur, Sudan
- EP President Hans-Gert PÖTTERING visit to South Africa

HUMAN RIGHTS

- Call for closing of Guantanamo
- Moratorium on the death penalty
- EU - China/Tibet
- 20th Anniversary Sakharov Prize
- EU – Burma
- EU – Russia

DEFENCE

- EP President Hans-Gert PÖTTERING visit to UNIFIL forces, Lebanon
- EUFOR Althea mission, Bosnia and Herzegovina Eurocorps

ENLARGEMENT CANDIDATE COUNTRIES

- Turkey
- Croatia
- FYROM (Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia)

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