

**PROTOCOL ON COOPERATION BETWEEN THE  
MINISTRIES OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF  
ESTONIA, LATVIA AND LITHUANIA**

In the spirit of further developing the process of Baltic cooperation that started with the Treaty on Unity and Cooperation between Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania concluded on 12 September, 1934, and that was reaffirmed by the Declaration on Unity and Cooperation signed on 12 May, 1990 by the heads of those states, the Ministers of Foreign Affairs of Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania agreed on the following:

1. The Ministers of Foreign Affairs of Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania shall meet regularly two times per calendar year. The chairmanship of the meetings shall rotate following each two regular meetings, which shall be held once annually between 01 March and 30 April and once annually between 01 October and 30 November.

The location of each meeting shall be at the discretion of the Chairman-in-Office.

2. Extraordinary meetings of the Ministers of Foreign Affairs may take place at the demand of one Minister and with the consent of the other Ministers.

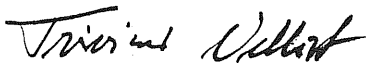
3. Each Minister of Foreign Affairs shall appoint one official who shall be responsible for coordination between the Ministries of Foreign Affairs to implement decisions and agreements reached at the meetings of the Ministers and for cooperation between the Ministries.

Tallinn, 9 March, 1993.

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the Republic of Estonia

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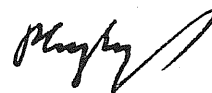
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