

Lisbon, 14 February 2008

**Questionnaire on women participation in political life  
Conference of Speakers of EU Parliaments – Lisbon, 20-21 June 2008**

Dear Secretary-General, dear Colleague,

Following the decision taken at the *Troika Meeting*, last January 7<sup>th</sup>, and in order to prepare one of the themes to be debated at the 2008 Conference of Speakers of EU Parliaments, the Assembly of the Republic prepared a questionnaire on women participation in political life.

Please find herewith the questionnaire, which although it enquires for quantitative data, it rather focus on a qualitative approach to the role of women in political life.


Therefore, I have the pleasure to send you the above mentioned questionnaire and to invite your Parliament to answer it before 7<sup>th</sup> March.

If you require further information, please do not hesitate to contact the Director of International Relations and Protocol, José Manuel Araújo, by phone + 351 21 391 92 45 or by e-mail: jose-manuel.araujo@ar.parlamento.pt.

I look forward to receive your answers.

Yours sincerely,

The Secretary General of the Assembly of the Republic



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