

Slovensko predsedstvo EU 2008 Slovenian Presidency of the EU 2008 La Présidence slovène de l'UE 2008

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INVITATION TO THE PRESS CONFERENCE

The themes of the first European Council under the Slovenian EU Council Presidency will be set out at a special press conference by the Minister of Finance Mr. **Andrej Bajuk** (financial stability), the Minister for Development and Growth Mr. **Žiga Turk** (Lisbon Strategy), the Minister of the Economy, Mr. **Andrej Vizjak** and the Minister of the Environment and Spatial Planning Mr. **Janez Podobnik** (Energy-climate package).

Other details about the European Council meeting will be presented by the Spokesperson of the Slovenian EU Council Presidency, Mr. **Anže Logar**.

The press conference will be held on Tuesday, **March 11**, 2008 **at 11.00 a.m.** in the Splendens Hall in the Brdo Congress Centre, Brdo pri Kranju.

Access to the venue will be granted only <u>to duly accredited media representatives</u>. The media representatives are kindly invited to register by Monday, March 10, at 12:00 p.m. at the latest, providing personal information (name, surname, media and position) to the e-mail address <u>peter.bajec@gov.si</u> and therefore confirm the attendance at the press conference. The accreditation badges may be collected from the accreditation desk in Brdo pri Kranju as from 10.00 a.m. on Tuesday, March 11.

Live stream of the press conference will be available at the Presidency website <u>www.eu2008.si</u> and on the mobile portal mobi.eu2008.si.

Kind regards,

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