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MILITARY COMMITTEE MEETING IN CHIEFS OF STAFF SESSION, 9 APRIL 1992

FIRST MILITARY COMMITTEE MEETING IN COOPERATION SESSION, 10 APRIL 1992

Date and Place

The Military Committee in Chiefs of Staff Session, NATO's senior military authority will hold its first meeting in 1992 on Thursday, 9 April 1992.

On Friday, 10 April 1992 the first Military Committee Meeting in Cooperation Session with representatives of the Central and Eastern European states will be held at the Chief of Defence/Chief of General Staff level.

Both meetings will be held at NATO Headquarters in Brussels.

Accreditation

- A. Journalists holding permanent press cards need not to apply for accreditation but are asked to check in at the accreditation desk on arrival.
- B. Correspondents not in possession of a NATO permanent press card will be admitted to the press zone on presentation of numbered individual NATO press passes. Advance application for this accreditation may be made by filling in the enclosed forms. Please return the completed forms as soon as possible to:

Public Information Advisor IMS, NATO, B-1110 Brussels, Belgium.

Further forms may be obtained from the Public Information Advisor, IMS.

NATO Press passes will not be mailed to applicants. They may be collected from the accreditation desk in the press zone from 08.00 on Thursday, 9 April 1992.

Note: NATO reserves the right to withhold press cards in cases where no advance application has been submitted.

Parking

Correspondents are advised that they will not be able to bring vehicles into the NATO compound but that a shuttle bus service will be provided between the carpark outside the NATO main gate and the NATO Press Service entrance.

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Media opportunities
(Not for publication)

1. Military Committee Meeting in Chiefs of Staff Session, 9 April

08:50-09:03	Start of the meeting in the Presentation Room	Pool coverage only
approx.17:30	News Conference by the Chairman Military Committee in Auditorium Brosio	Open Coverage

2. Military Committee Meeting in Cooperation Session, 10 April

08:00-08:30	Arrival of Delegations at NATO main entrance	Open Coverage
08:50	Start of the meeting in Conference Room 16*	Pool Coverage from room inside the conference room
	Introductory statement by the Chairman Military Committee	Open Coverage from the balcony
	Introductory statement by the President Military Committee	
13:15	<u>Group photograph</u> (Official portrait)	
	Good weather: Main Entrance to NATO	Open Coverage
	Bad weather: Hall in the Conference Room area**	Restricted Coverage; Special pass required
13:30	Chairman Military Committee news conference in the Joseph Luns Press Theatre	Open Coverage

Details on additional news conferences will be provided at the press desk. They will also be announced in the Press area.

* Journalists wishing to cover the beginning of the meeting should board the bus leaving the NATO Press Entrance at 08:25.

** If the weather is bad, journalists wishing to cover the group photograph in the hall in the conference room area should board the bus leaving the Press Entrance at 12:30.