### A week's activities for the Commission

**Caption:** An example of a week's activities carried out by the Commission in accordance with its duties.

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Activities carried out by the	Travel and visits
Institutions	
Monday 13	
Ecofin Council	Mario Monti receives the Prime Minister of the state of Lower-Saxony,
	Sigmar Gabriel
Social Affairs Council	Christopher Patten receives the Special Coordinator of the Stability Pact for
	South-Eastern Europe, Bodo Hombach
Standing Committee on	Michel Barnier receives the French Minister with responsibility for Urban
Employment	Policy, Claude Bartolone
Plenary session EP (13-17,	Michel Barnier receives the Coordinating Minister for the Structural Funds
Strasbourg)	of the Netherlands, Jerrit Ybema
Speech by Romano Prodi on the	Michel Barnier receives a delegation from the WWF (World Wide Fund for
Extraordinary European Counci	lnature) led by Tony LONG, Director of WWF
in Lisbon - Statement from the	
Council and the Commission to	
the EP	
Michaele Schreyer before the	Franz Fischler in Switzerland (13-14). Meetings with the Director-General
COCOBU meeting (Strasbourg)	of the WTO (World Trade Organisation) (Geneva) (13), Mike Moore,
	Minister for Agriculture (Bundesrat des Volkswirtschafts-Departement),
	Pascal Couchepin (Berne) (13). Meetings with other members of the
	Government, members of Parliament and representatives of agricultural
	organisations (14)
	Antonio Vitorino in Stockholm as part of his 'Tour of capitals' - bilateral
	discussions on the scoreboard. Meetings with the Swedish Ministers Mme
	Laila FREIVALDS, for Justice, and Mme Maj-Inger KLINGVALL, for
	International Development Co-operation, Migration and Immigration



### **Tuesday 14**

Activities carried out by the	Travel and visits
Institutions	
Tuesday 14	
Romano Prodi introduces the	Romano Prodi and Pedro Solbes meet the vice-Prime Minister of Poland,
'Annual legislative programme	M. Leszek Balcerowicz
for 2000' (EP)	
Meeting of the Commission	Participation de Mme REDING au Groupe de travail inter-institutionnel
(Strasbourg): 15:00	"information" (Strasbourg)
Participation of Christopher	Discours de MM. LAMY et BARNIER à l'ENA (Ecole nationale
Patten in the 15th Quadripartite	d'administration) (Strasbourg)
meeting (EU - Council of	
Europe) (Strasbourg)	
Frits Bolkestein before the EP	
Committee on Legal Affairs and	
the Internal Market	



### Wednesday 15

Activities carried out by the	Travel and visits
Institutions	
Wednesday 15	
	Romano Prodi in Paris. Meetings with the President of the French Republic,
	Jacques Chirac, and the Prime Minister, Lionel Jospin
	Pascal Lamy in Berlin (15-16). Meetings with the minister in charge of
	Economic and Monetary affairs at the Chancellor's Office, Klaus
	Gretschmann (15), the Minister for Foreign Affairs, Joschka Fischer (16),
	the Minister for Economics and Technology, Werner MULLER (16)
	Philippe Busquin in Karlsruhe. Meeting with the Director of the Institute
	for Transuranium Elements, Roland Schenkel



# **Thursday 16**

Activities carried out by the	Travel and visits
Institutions	
Thursday 16	
Internal Market Council	Participation by Romano Prodi in the meeting of the European Central
	Bank Board of Governors (Frankfurt)
	Romano Prodi meets the British Prime Minister, Tony Blair (London)
	Neil Kinnock in Rome. Meetings with the Minister for the Treasury,
	Giuliano Amato, the Minister for the Civil Service, Franco Bassanini
	Antonio Vitorino in Vienna as part of his 'Tour of capitals' - bilateral
	discussions on the scoreboard. Meetings with the Austrian Ministers Ernst
	Strasser, for Justice, and Dieter BOHMDORFER, for Home Affairs
	Speech by Philippe Busquin at the Conference of Presidents of French
	Universities (Bordeaux)



# Friday 17

Activities carried out by the	Travel and visits
Institutions	
Friday 17	
Pascal Lamy at the informal	Loyola de Palacio visiting Portugal: meetings with Prime Minister Antonio
meeting of Trade Ministers	Guterres and the Minister for Social Infrastructure, Jorge COELHO
(Oporto 17-18)	
	Participation by Viviane Reding in the Ministerial Conference launching
	the Socrates II, Leonardo da Vinci II and Youth programmes (17/18)
	(Lisbon)
	Antonio Vitorino in Rome as part of his 'Tour of capitals' - bilateral
	discussions on the scoreboard. Meetings with the Italian Ministers Oliviero
	Dilberto, for Justice, and Enzo Bianco, for Home Affairs
	Michel Barnier opens the International Fair of Lyon
	Speech by Frits Bolkestein to the Europese Beweging Nederland Beraad on
	Taxation and competition: the realisation of the Internal Market'
	(Hoevelaken - Netherlands)



### Saturday 18

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Institutions	
Saturday 18	
	Michel Barnier takes part in the Euromontana symposium (Trento)

