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The 3009th session of the Council of the European Union - **FOREIGN AFFAIRS** - will take place on 26 April 2010 (10.00), in the Conference Centre - FIL, 5, rue Carlo Hemmer, in Luxembourg, under the Presidency of **Ms Catherine Ashton**, High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy.

The following items will be discussed at this session:

Monday 26 April 2010

Non-legislative activities

Meeting of Ministers of Defence

- Capabilities:
 - = EDA Activities
 - = Maritime security
 - = Update on the ongoing work regarding EU response to natural disasters, incl. by military assets

Joint meeting of Foreign Ministers and Ministers of Defence

- Afghanistan
- CSDP
Council conclusions

Meeting of Foreign Ministers

- Sudan
- Kyrgyzstan

- Burma/Myanmar
- Strategic debate on EU resource allocation/relations with strategic partners

In the margins of the Council

Monday 26 April 2010

- EDA Steering Board
- EU- African Union Political Dialogue meeting

Tuesday 27 April 2010

- Meeting of the EU-Egypt Association Council

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Sunday 25 April 2010

Dinner Ministers of Defence

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