

**VII. TRAVEL BY THE SECRETARY GENERAL AND  
THE ASSISTANT SECRETARY GENERAL**



## **Travel by the Secretary General**

Meeting of Ministers of Justice or Ministers or Attorneys General of the Americas  
Port-of-Spain, Trinidad and Tobago, March 9 through 12, 2002

Meeting organized by the Interparliamentary Forum of the Americas titled “Security in the New Millennium: The role of legislators in guaranteeing greater hemispheric security”  
Mexico City, Mexico, March 13 through 16, 2002

Symposium on “Challenges to fragile democracies in the Americas”  
Austin, Texas, April 12, 2002

Conference titled “Mexico against Corruption” organized by the Trust for the Americas  
Mexico City, Mexico, April 14 through 16, 2002

Mission to Venezuela, pursuant to Permanent Council resolution CP/RES. 811 (1315/02)  
Caracas, Venezuela, April 15 through 17, 2002

Third Summit of the Americas  
Quebec, Canada, April 18 through 22, 2002

Official visit to Mexico  
Mexico City, Mexico, April 24 through 27, 2002

Inauguration of the President of Costa Rica  
San José, Costa Rica, May 7 through 9, 2002

XXXII Regular Session of the General Assembly of the Organization of American States  
Bridgetown, Barbados, May 31 through June 5, 2002

Official visit to Grenada  
June 30, 2002

XXIII Meeting of Heads of Government of the Caribbean Community  
Georgetown, Guyana, July 2 through 5, 2002

Meeting of the Ministers of Culture of the Americas  
Cartagena, Colombia, July 11 through 13, 2002

Ceremony for the signing of the National Agreement between the President of the Republic of Peru, the Honorable Alejandro Toledo, and leaders of the political parties  
Lima, Peru, July 22 to 23, 2002

II Meeting of Presidents of South America  
Guayaquil, Ecuador, July 25 through 27, 2002

Inauguration of the President of Colombia, the Honorable Alvaro Uribe Vélez  
Bogotá, Colombia, August 3 through 10, 2002

Meeting with the President of Colombia, the Honorable Álvaro Uribe Vélez  
New York, United States, September 11, 2002

The Americas Conference on Corporate Social Responsibility: “Alliances for Development”  
Miami, Florida, September 23, 2002

Official visit to Bolivia  
La Paz and Santa Cruz de la Sierra, Bolivia, September 24-25, 2002

Joint mission to Venezuela by the Organization of American States (OAS), the United Nations  
Development Programme (UNDP) and the Carter Center  
Caracas, Venezuela, October 2 through 4, 2002

I General Assembly of the Madrid Club  
Madrid, Spain, October 23 through 26, 2002

Facilitation Mission by the Secretary General to Venezuela  
Caracas, Venezuela, October 27, 2002 to February 28, 2003

Note: The Secretary General spent a considerable amount of time in Venezuela during this period, with trips to the following meetings interspersed:

VII Business Forum of the Americas  
Quito, Ecuador, October 31 – November 1, 2002

XII Ibero-American Summit of Heads of State and Government  
Bávaro, Dominican Republic, November 15 and 16, 2002

Inauguration of the President of Ecuador, the Honorable Lucio Gutiérrez Borbúa  
Quito, Ecuador, January 13 through 16, 2003

Meeting of the Club de Montevideo  
Barcelona, Spain, February 19 through 23, 2003

Signing of the Framework Cooperation and Technical Assistance Agreement between the Government of  
Colombia and the General Secretariat of the OAS for Assistance to the National Plan for Comprehensive  
Action against Antipersonnel Landmines in Colombia  
Bogotá, Colombia, February 25, 2003

Meeting of the Group of Friends of the Secretary General on his facilitation mission in Venezuela  
Brasília, Brazil, March 5 through 10, 2003

## **Travel of the Assistant Secretary General**

Lecture at the Universidad Católica Madre y Maestra and Call on President Hipólito Mejía  
Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic, February 23-26, 2002

Finalize and sign the Agreement between the Government of Haiti and the General Secretariat of the OAS  
on the Special Mission of the OAS for Strengthening Democracy in Haiti  
Port-au-Prince, Haiti, February 27- March 1, 2002

Meeting with President Jean Bertrand Aristide of Haiti regarding OAS efforts to facilitate a resolution of  
the political crisis in that country  
New York, New York, May 10, 2002

OAS efforts to facilitate the resolution of the political difficulties in Haiti  
Port-au-Prince, Haiti, May 12-15, 2002

Annual Meeting of the Caribbean Studies Association  
Nassau, Bahamas, May 29-31, 2002

Thirty-Second Regular Session of the General Assembly  
Bridgetown, Barbados, June 1-5, 2002

OAS efforts to facilitate the resolution of the political difficulties in Haiti  
Port-au-Prince, Haiti, June 10-18, 2002

OAS efforts to facilitate the resolution of the political difficulties in Haiti  
Port-au-Prince, Haiti, July 5-10, 2002

Inauguration of President Gonzalo Sánchez de Lozada  
La Paz, Bolivia, August 2-8, 2002

To present to the Government the recommendations of the Facilitators in respect of the Belize-Guatemala  
Territorial Referendum  
Belmopan, Belize, September 17-18, 2002

Thirty-First Assembly of Delegates of the Inter-American Commission of Women  
Punta Cana, Dominican Republic, October 28-30, 2002

Second Meeting of the Inter-American Forum on Political Parties  
Vancouver, Canada, December 4-5, 2002

Inauguration of President Luiz Inacio Lula da Silva  
Brasilia, Brazil, December 29, 2002 – January 3, 2003

Second High-Level Meeting on the Special Security Concerns of Small Island States  
Kingstown, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, January 7-11, 2003

Third Regular Session of the Inter-American Committee Against Terrorism (CICTE)  
San Salvador, El Salvador, January 21-25, 2003

To participate in a meeting of reflection on the Situation in Haiti at the invitation of the Canadian Secretary of State for Latin America and Africa and for the Francophonie, The Honourable Denis Paradis  
Ottawa, Canada, January 30-February 1, 2003

Meeting of Experts on Confidence and Security Building Measures  
Miami, Florida, February