



THE 14 WORKING POINTS CHART

Belgrade and Pristina's initial reactions to Troika's "14 working points"

TROIKA (official)

1. Belgrade and Pristina will focus on developing special relationships which will be based on their historical, cultural and human dimensions.

2. Belgrade and Pristina will in the future resolve problems in a peaceful manner and will not enter any actions or intentions which could be characterized as a threat to the other side.

3. Kosovo will be fully integrated into the regional structures, in particular those linked to economic cooperation.

4. There will be no return to the pre-1999 situation.

BELGRADE (official)

1. The focus of the talks is on determining the future status of Kosovo and Metohia on the basis of principles defined by the United Nations Security Council Resolution 1244, which „reaffirms the respect of all member countries for the sovereignty and territorial integrity of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (today, the Republic of Serbia) and other states in the region, as mentioned in the Helsinki Final Act and the Annex 2”, and „reaffirms its request from previous Resolutions for a wide autonomy and substantial self-governance for Kosovo”. Any change of the focus of the talks requests a change of the valid and binding Resolution 1244.

2. All three sides, representing the institutions of Serbia, the provisional institutions of self-government in the province and the mediators of the international community, are required to restrain from any unilateral acts.

3. The province of Kosovo and Metohia will be fully integrated into regional structures, in particular those dealing with economic cooperation.

4. There will be no return to the pre-1999 situation, **but instead the future organization of the province should be determined on the basis of UN Security Council Resolution 1244**

PRISTINA (interpreted)

1. Belgrade and Pristina will focus on developing special relationships **between two independent states, Serbia and Kosovo.**

3. **"Disagrees on this point" with the Serbian delegation.**

3. Kosovo will be fully integrated into regional structures **as an independent state.**

4. There will be no return to the pre-1999 situation, **Kosovo will rule itself with full sovereignty.**



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5. Belgrade will not rule over Kosovo.	5. Serbia will not govern the province of Kosovo and Metohia in those areas of competence which will be assigned to the province on the basis of a future agreement.	5. Belgrade will not rule over Kosovo. Kosovo will be an independent state.
6. Belgrade will not regain physical presence in Kosovo.	6. The institutions of Serbia will not be present in the province in those areas of competences which will not fall under the authority of Belgrade under the future agreement.	6. Belgrade will not regain physical presence in the independent state of Kosovo.
7. Belgrade and Pristina are determined to work on progress which will lead to the association and eventual membership in the European Union, as well as on progressive integration in the Euro-Atlantic structures.	7. In its legislation, as well as in its policy, Serbia and the province of Kosovo and Metohia will progressively implement the norms and principles in accordance with the process of Stabilization and Association with EU membership as their goal.	7. Joint work of two independent states on Euro-Atlantic integration. EU & NATO membership as a final goal.
8. Pristina will carry out wide measures aimed at improving the condition of the Kosovo Serbs and other non-Albanian communities, in particular through the decentralization of local government, constitutional guarantees and respect of cultural and religious heritage.	8. On the basis of a negotiated agreement between Belgrade and the representatives of the provisional institutions of self-government, which will be sanctioned by the UN Security Council, the province of Kosovo and Metohia will implement comprehensive measures aimed at improving the welfare of Serbs from Kosovo and Metohia, as well as other non-Albanian communities, in particular through decentralization of local government and institutional guarantees.	8. Pristina will carry out wide measures aimed at improving the condition of the Kosovo Serbs and other non-Albanian communities, in particular through the decentralization of local government, constitutional guarantees and respect of cultural and religious heritage. Pristina will be the sole guarantor of the entire corpus of minority rights in the independent state of Kosovo.
9. Belgrade and Pristina will cooperate in the fields of key importance, including: a) The fate of the missing persons and the return of the displaced; b) protection of minorities; c) protection of cultural heritage; d) their European perspective and regional initiative; e) economic questions, including fiscal policy and energy, market and harmonization with the standards of the European Union, the development	9. Given their exclusive areas of competence , Belgrade and Pristina will cooperate on the matters of mutual interest, including: - The return of displaced people - The fate of the missing persons - The physical protection of cultural heritage - Economic matters, such as the freedom of movement of peoples, goods, capital and services, work on common economic growth and	9. Belgrade and Pristina will cooperate in the fields of key importance, including: a) The fate of the missing persons and the return of the displaced; b) protection of minorities; c) protection of cultural heritage; d) their European perspective and regional initiative; e) economic questions, including fiscal policy and energy, market and harmonization with the standards of the European Union, the



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<p>of common economic organs and the development of strategy in accordance with regional economic initiatives; f) freedom of movement of people, goods, capital and services; g) banking sector; h) infrastructure, transport and communications; i) protection of the environment; j) public health and social progress; k) fight against organized crime in particular in the fields of terrorism, arms, drugs and human trafficking, as well as in the fields of organized crime; l) cooperation between municipalities and authorities from the two sides; m) education.</p>	<p>development strategy in accordance with regional economic initiatives.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Energy, commerce, infrastructure, transport and telecommunications - Banking sector and fiscal policy - Harmonization with the EU standards - Protection of the environment - Fight against organized crime, in particular in the fields of terrorism, human, arms and drugs trafficking, as well as organized crime. 	<p>development of common economic organs and the development of strategy in accordance with regional economic initiatives; f) freedom of movement of people, goods, capital and services; g) banking sector; h) infrastructure, transport and communications; i) protection of the environment; j) public health and social progress; k) fight against organized crime in particular in the fields of terrorism, arms, drugs and human trafficking, as well as in the fields of organized crime; l) cooperation between municipalities and authorities from the two sides; m) education</p>
<p>10. Belgrade and Pristina will create common bodies which will assure cooperation.</p>	<p>10. In these, and possibly other fields of cooperation, Belgrade and the province of Kosovo and Metohia will create joint bodies in order to implement affairs of common interest.</p>	<p>10. Belgrade and Pristina will create common bodies which will assure cooperation, the so called Permanent Council of Belgrade-Pristina cooperation</p>
<p>11. Belgrade will not interfere in the relations of Pristina with international financial institutions.</p>	<p>11. Except to the measure of its international obligations as a subject of international law, Belgrade will not interfere in the relations between Pristina and the international financial institutions.</p>	<p>11. Belgrade will not interfere in the relations of Pristina with international financial institutions.</p>
<p>12. Pristina will take care of its finances fully independently (taxes, budget revenues, etc).</p>	<p>12. The province of Kosovo and Metohia will have full competence over its finances (taxes, public revenues, etc).</p>	<p>12. Pristina will take care of its finances fully independently (taxes, budget revenues, etc).</p>
<p>13. Kosovo will continue the process of stabilization and association with the EU without any interference from Belgrade.</p>	<p>13. The process of Stabilization and Association of the province of Kosovo and Metohia (Tracking Mechanism) will continue in cooperation with Belgrade.</p>	<p>13. Kosovo will continue the process of stabilization and association with the EU without any interference from Belgrade.</p>
<p>14. The international community will keep its civilian and military presence in Kosovo even after the status is determined.</p>	<p>14. The international community will, after determining the status, continue its civilian and military presence in Kosovo under the UN mandate and in accordance with a Security Council decision.</p>	<p>14. The international community will keep its civilian and military presence in Kosovo even after the status is determined, but this international presence will be temporary and last until the international community accepts the practical reality of full independence.</p>