



I THEMATIC MEETING THE IX CONFERENCE OF DEFENSE MINISTERS OF THE AMERICAS BUILDING A THEMATIC AGENDA

La Paz, Bolivia May 10-11, 2010

Organized by: Pro Tempore Secretariat IX CMDA and RESDAL

Program

May 10

- 15:00 - 15:30 **Opening**
Loreta Telleria (Pro Tempore Secretariat IX CMDA)
Marcela Donadio (RESDAL)
- 15:30 - 17:00 **A critical view of the process of the Ministers of Defense Conferences Defense (1995-2008)**
Presentation: Hal Klepak
- 17:00 - 17:30 Coffee Break
- 17:30 - 19:00 **Proposals for a thematic agenda**
Participants' interventions on agenda topics

May 11

- 09:00 - 10:30 **Peace and Conflict in the Americas**
Presentation: Luis Tibiletti
- 10:30 - 11:00 Coffee Break
- 11:00 - 12:30 **Democracy, Armed Forces and Society**
Presentation: Marcela Donadio
- 12:30 - 14:00 Lunch



14.00 - 15.30 **National Defense and Natural Disasters**

Debate

15.30 - 16.00 Coffee

16.00 - 18.00 **Conclusions.**

Towards the Next Conference: How to work in a hemispheric conference in a difficult setting?

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