



EUPOL COPPS supports Judicial Police Training for the PCP

Mr Nicholas ROBSON, Head of the Rule of Law section, participated in the graduation ceremony of a 2-weeks training course on Static Security coordinated by EUPOL COPPS on 22 April. 33 Judicial Police officers participated in this training funded by the Netherlands.



Training the Palestinian Judicial Police on Handling of Detainees

EUPOL COPPS' Deputy Head of Mission, Ari SARJANEN, participated in the graduation ceremony of a training programme on Handling of Detainees delivered to 32 Palestinian Judicial Police Officers on 8th April. The 2 week training is funded by the Netherlands and coordinated by EUPOL COPPS.

A delegation from the Swedish Ministry of Foreign Affairs visited our HQ and was briefed about EUPOL COPPS' activities on 26th April.

The Ministry of Women's Affairs and EUPOL COPPS Discuss Mutual Cooperation

EUPOL COPPS' Police Gender Adviser, Ms Tilly STOOSNIJDER together with the Mission Programme Adviser, Mr Mike ALBERS met with the Palestinian Minister of Women's Affairs, Ms Rabiha THYAB on 15th April. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss means of mutual cooperation to integrate gender issues in the security sector.



Providing Logistics Support to the PCP

EUPOL COPPS provides logistics advice to the Logistics Offices of the PCP at both, District and HQ levels with the aim of helping the PCP to build up a sustainable logistics and financial managerial capabilities. EUPOL COPPS' Financial, Procurement and Logistics Adviser, Mr Tomás FERNÁNDEZ SUÁREZ, visited Bethlehem District Police in order to identify the major logistics/financial gaps needed to be implemented and therefore provide the logistics and financial support.



EUPOL COPPS joins Mousakhan Contest for World Record

EUPOL COPPS' Head of Mission, Henrik MALMQUIST, attended a culinary contest organized by the Palestinian Ministry of Tourism and Antiquities in the village of Arura for cooking the largest Mousakhan ever and joining the Guinness Book of Records on 19th April. Commissioner MALMQUIST joined the Palestinian Prime Minister, Salam FAYYAD, the Minister for Tourism and Antiquities, Khoulood DAIBES and the Governor of Ramallah, Leila GHANEM, as well as other national and local authorities for the occasion.



Visit of the Consul of Australia

EUPOL COPPS field advisers, Mr PEREZ Philippe and Mr ALEMAN Norberto coordinated the visit of the Consul of Australia in Tel Aviv, Ms Sue DENOVAN, to the Ramallah District Police and the Ops Rooms on 29th April. EUPOL COPPS completed the refurbishment of all West Bank Ops Rooms and an advisory team is working in the training of Ops Rooms officers in order to support the capacity of operations of the PCP.



Building the Capacity of Operations of the PCP

EUPOL COPPS' Command and Control experts participated in a workshop on the Operation Control Room (Ops Rooms) organized by the Palestinian Civil Police (PCP) on 7th April in Ramallah. EUPOL COPPS has already completed the first phase of the Ops Room training and all Control Rooms have been refurbished.