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## Aurelio Peccei Lectures

### INVITATION

The Brussels-EU Chapter has the pleasure to invite you at its twenty first Aurelio Peccei lecture, which will deal with:

### *Deconstructing Democracy.* *The Limits to Privatization.*

by

**Prof. Dr. Dr. h.c. Ernst Ulrich von Weizsäcker**

Member of the German Parliament, chairman of the Parliamentary Committee on Environment,  
Nature Conservation and Nuclear Safety.  
Member of the Club of Rome

The subject – a topical issue in all democratic societies – will be dealt with, starting from an analysis of the dominant worldwide trend towards privatization.

Professor von Weizsäcker is co-author of the new book *Limits to Privatization*, the first thorough audit of privatizations from around the world. It outlines the historical emergence of globalization and liberalization. From analyses of over 50 case studies of best- and worst-case experiences of privatization, it provides guidance for policy and action that will restore and maintain the right balance between the powers and responsibilities of the state, the private sector and the increasingly important role of civil society.

**Date :** Wednesday March 2, 2005 from 6:00 till 8:00 pm.

The lecture will be followed by a refreshment. After the event all participants are invited to a dinner. Participation is at own costs.

**Venue:** Royal Academy of Belgium

Hertogstraat, 1/ 1, rue Ducale. B-1000 Brussels

For planning and logistical reasons, please send a message of **participation at the lecture as well as at the dinner** to [Brussels\\_eu\\_cor@scarlet.be](mailto:Brussels_eu_cor@scarlet.be)