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***Committee on the Honouring of Obligations and Commitments by
Member States of the Council of Europe (Monitoring Committee)***

Revised draft agenda 2

of the meeting to be held in Paris *in camera* in a hybrid manner on:

- Tuesday, 14 December 2021

from 10.00 am to 12.30 pm and from 2.00 pm to 4.30 pm (room 1)

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1. Draft agenda

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Adoption of the revised draft agenda

2. Draft minutes

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Approval of the draft minutes of the meeting held on 16 November 2021

**This draft agenda, addressed to members of the Committee,
is the convocation to the meeting.**

It also constitutes the invitations foreseen in Resolution 1115 (1997), paragraph 10.¹

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¹ Resolution 1115, paragraph 10: "When a monitoring procedure is initiated, two members of the parliamentary delegation of the member state concerned (to represent the governing majority and the opposition) shall be invited to take part, without the right to vote, in the relevant debates of the committee unless one or both are already represented on the committee. By analogy with Rule 6, paragraph 8, no member of the parliamentary delegation of the member state concerned shall participate in a vote on any question concerning this state."

3. The honouring of obligations and commitments by Armenia

Co-rapporteurs: Mr Kimmo Kiljunen, Finland, SOC and Ms Borianna Åberg, Sweden, EPP/CD
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Consideration of a draft report and adoption of a draft resolution on **The functioning of democratic institutions in Armenia**

4. The progress of the Assembly's monitoring procedure (January-December 2021)

Rapporteur: Mr Michael Aastrup Jensen, Denmark, ALDE
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Consideration of a draft report and adoption of a draft resolution

5. The honouring of obligations and commitments by the Republic of Moldova

Co-rapporteurs: Mr Pierre-Alain Fridez, Switzerland, SOC and Ms Inese Lībiņa-Egnere, Latvia, EPP/CD
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[Opinions and Amicus curiae brief adopted by the Venice Commission on 10 December 2021]

Consideration of an information note by the co-rapporteurs of their fact-finding visit to Chisinau and Tiraspol (12-15 October 2021)

6. The honouring of obligations and commitments by Georgia

Co-rapporteurs: Mr Titus Corlăţean, Romania, SOC and Mr Claude Kern, France, ALDE
[Final programme]
[Statement by the co-rapporteurs]

Oral report by the co-rapporteurs of their fact-finding visit to Tbilisi (8-10 December 2021)

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7. The honouring of obligations and commitments by the Russian Federation

Co-rapporteurs: Mr Axel Schäfer, Germany, SOC and Ms Ria Oomen-Ruijten, Netherlands, EPP/CD
[AS/Bur (2021) 62 Memorandum of the Bureau]
[Letter to the Commissioner for Human Rights of the Russian Federation]
[Press release by the Secretary General of the CoE – 12.11.2021]
[Press release by the Commissioner for Human Rights – 17.11.2021]

Hearing on recent developments with regard to the parliamentary elections (17-19 September 2021) with the participation of:

- ✓ Ms Ella Pamfilova, Chairperson of the Central Election Commission (CEC) of the Russian Federation
- ✓ Mr Stanislav Andreichuk, co-Chairman, Movement for Defence of Voters' Rights (Golos)
- ✓ Mr Denis Volkov, Deputy Head, Levada Centre
- ✓ Mr Nikolai Rybakov, President of Yabloko

Input by the representatives of the parliamentary ruling majority and the opposition of the Russian Federation represented in the Committee

Request for an opinion of the Venice Commission on amendments to the Federal Law "On the Bar and the Legal Profession in the Russian Federation"

8. Post-monitoring dialogue with North Macedonia

Co-rapporteurs: Ms Lise Christoffersen, Norway, SOC and Mr Zsolt Csenger-Zalán, Hungary, EPP/CD
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Exchange of views on recent developments

Consideration of an information note by the co-rapporteurs on recent developments

9. The honouring of obligations and commitments by Azerbaijan

Co-rapporteurs: Mr Stefan Schennach, Austria, SOC and Mr Richard Bacon, United Kingdom, EC/DA
[Statement by the co-rapporteurs – 10.12.2021]

Statement by the co-rapporteurs and exchange of views

10. Periodic review reports

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Oral communication by the Chairperson of the Committee

11. The honouring of obligations and commitments by Albania

Co-rapporteurs: Mr Joseph O'Reilly, Ireland, EPP/CD and...

Appointment of a rapporteur to replace Mr Petter Eide (Norway, UEL)

12. The honouring of membership obligations to the Council of Europe by Hungary

Co-rapporteurs: Mr George Papandreou, Greece, SOC and

Appointment of a rapporteur to replace Mr František Kopřiva (Czech Republic, ALDE)

13. Authorisation of fact-finding visits

14. Other business

Monitoring Committee: Work overview
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15. Next meetings

Strasbourg, 24-28 January 2022 [during the Assembly part-session]
29-30 March 2022 [place and format tbc]
Strasbourg, 25-29 April 2022 [during the Assembly part-session]
24 May 2022 [place and format tbc]
Strasbourg, 20-24 June 2022 [during the Assembly part-session]
15 September 2022 [place and format tbc]
Strasbourg, 10-14 October 2022 [during the Assembly part-session]
16 November 2022 [place and format tbc]
14 December 2022 [place and format tbc]