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Committee on Political Affairs and Democracy

Revised draft agenda 2 of the meeting to be held in Paris on

Tuesday, 13 December 2022 from 9:30 to 13:00 and from 14:30 to 18:00

This draft agenda, addressed to the full members of the Committee and their alternates,
is the convocation to the meeting

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1. Agenda

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Adoption of the agenda

2. Draft minutes

[AS/Pol (2022) PV 12]

Approval of the minutes of the meetings held during the October part-session 2022

3. A fourth Summit for a renewed, improved and reinforced Council of Europe

Rapporteur: Ms Fiona O'Loughlin, Ireland, ALDE

[AS/Pol (2022) 34, [CM Decision 7.11.2022](#)]

Consideration of a draft report and adoption of a draft recommendation

4. The situation of political prisoners in Belarus (10:30)

Hearing with the participation of Ms Tatsiana Khomich, human rights activist, sister of Ms Maria Kalesnikava, laureate of the 2021 Václav Havel Human Rights Prize, in the context of the preparation of the report "Call for a national political reform process in Belarus" (Rapporteur: Mr Kimmo Kiljunen, Finland, SOC)

5. Relations between the Council of Europe and the European Union

Exchange of views with the participation of Mr Loránt Vincze (Romania, Group of the European People's Party (Christian Democrats)), Vice-Chairperson of the Committee for Constitutional Affairs of the European Parliament; Rapporteur on Relations between the European Union and the Council of Europe for the Committee on Constitutional Affairs

6. The role of the Council of Europe in preventing human suffering resulting from international armed conflicts: different stages of conflict prevention and best practices to be employed

Rapporteur: Ms Lesia Vasylenko, Ukraine, ALDE
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Consideration of an introductory memorandum

7. The activities of the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD)

Rapporteur: Mr George Katrougalos, Greece, UEL

Statement by the Rapporteur

8. Establishment of a “youth partner” status with the Parliamentary Assembly (14:30)

Rapporteur: Mr Anastasios Chatzivasileiou, Greece, EPP/CD
[AS/Pol (2022) 37, Conference programme]

- Hearing with the participation of:
 - Mr Spyros Papadatos, Chairperson of the Advisory Council on Youth (CCJ) of the Council of Europe
 - Mr Roger Padreny, Deputy for Andorra, Member of the OSCE Parliamentary Assembly network of young parliamentarians
- Reporting back of the rapporteur on his participation in the Conference on “Democracy and human rights in times of crisis – the contribution of young people in Europe”, 30 November – 2 December 2022, in Berlin
- Consideration of an introductory memorandum

9. Work programme

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- Exchange of views and priorities for 2023
- Invitation to hold a meeting in Seville (Spain) on 11-12 May 2023
[Letter]
- Call for candidates for report
 - Interconnections between the Council of Europe and the European Political Community
[\[Doc. 15635\]](#)
 - Political consequences of the Russian Federation's aggression against Ukraine
[Bureau decision]
 - Foreign interference: a threat to democratic security in Europe
[\[Doc. 15605\]](#)
- Appointment of a rapporteur for report
 - The Parliamentary Assembly should support Kazakhstan to continue its democratic reforms
[\[Doc. 15569\]](#)

- Requests for extensions of references
 - Call for a national political reform process in Belarus
Rapporteur: Mr Kimmo Kiljunen, Finland, SOC
 - Relationship between the parliamentary majority and the opposition in a democracy
Rapporteur: Sir Tony Lloyd, United Kingdom, SOC
 - Recent developments in Libya and in the Middle East: what consequences for Europe?
Rapporteur: Mr Piero Fassino, Italy, SOC

10. Authorisations by the Committee

11. Other business

12. Next meetings

- During the January part-session (23-27 January 2023), Strasbourg
- 20 March 2023, Paris
- During the April part-session (24-28 April 2023), Strasbourg
- 11-12 May 2023, Seville, subject to the authorisation of the Bureau
- During the June part-session (19-23 June 2023), Strasbourg
- 13 September 2023, Paris
- During the October part-session (9-13 October 2023), Strasbourg
- 12 December 2023, Paris.