

## Information documents

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### **Communication by the Secretary General of the Parliamentary Assembly at the 1407<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Ministers' Deputies<sup>1</sup> (16 June 2021)**

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<sup>1</sup> This document covers past activities of the Assembly since the meeting of the Bureau on 27 May 2021 (videoconference) and the future activities up to the meeting of the Bureau on 18 June 2021 (videoconference).

## **I. Decisions taken by the Bureau on 27 May 2021**

### **A. Third part-session of 2021 (21-24 June 2021)**

The Bureau drew up the draft agenda (Appendix 1) and took note of the proposals by the Committee on Social Affairs, Health and Sustainable Development to invite guest speakers to address the Assembly within the framework of the debates by the Committee.

On 26 May 2021, a request for a current affairs debate on “The need for an effective solidarity mechanism between European countries to relieve migratory pressure on front line countries” submitted by the Committee on Migration, Refugees and Displaced Persons was tabled together with a proposal to invite Mr Panagiotis Mitarachis, Minister of Migration and Asylum of Greece. The Bureau will consider it, along with other possible requests for current affairs and urgent debates, at its meeting of 18 June 2021.

The Assembly has received the lists of candidates for the posts of a judge to the European Court of Human Rights with respect to Croatia and the Russian Federation. The elections will take place on Tuesday, 22 June 2021 (and 23 June, if a second round is needed).

### **B. Observation of elections**

**Bulgaria: parliamentary elections (4 April 2021):** the Bureau approved the report of the ad hoc committee.

**Albania: parliamentary elections (25 April 2021):** the Bureau approved the report of the ad hoc committee.

**Palestine: parliamentary elections (initially foreseen on 22 May 2021):** the Bureau took note of the postponement of these elections *sine die*.

**Armenia: early parliamentary elections (20 June 2021):** the Bureau approved the final list of members of the ad hoc committee to observe these elections and confirmed the appointment of Mr Georgios Katrougkalos (Greece, UEL) as its Chairperson (Appendix 2).

**Republic of Moldova: early parliamentary elections (11 July 2021):** the Bureau confirmed the observation of these elections and set up an ad hoc committee composed of 20 members (SOC-7 ; EPP/CD-6 ; EC/DA-3 ; ALDE-3 ; UEL-1) as well as the two co-rapporteurs of the monitoring committee, and decided to conduct a pre-electoral mission; the Bureau approved the list of members of the ad hoc committee to observe these elections and appointed Mr Stefan Schennach (Austria, SOC) as Chairperson of the ad hoc committee (Appendix 3).

**Bulgaria: early parliamentary elections (11 July 2021):** the Bureau decided to observe these elections and to set up an ad hoc committee composed of 20 members (SOC-7 ; EPP/CD-6 ; EC/DA-3 ; ALDE-3 ; UEL-1) as well as the two co-rapporteurs of the monitoring committee; given the very short timeframe since the last parliamentary elections, the Bureau decided to maintain the same list of members and the Chairperson of the ad hoc committee, Mr Alfred Heer (Switzerland, ALDE), as for the previous elections, while updating the list of substitutes (Appendix 4).

**Russian Federation: parliamentary elections (19 September 2021):** subject to receiving an invitation, the Bureau decided to observe these elections and to set up an ad hoc committee composed of 40 members (SOC-13 ; EPP/CD-12 ; EC/DA-7 ; ALDE-6 ; UEL-2) as well as the two co-rapporteurs of the monitoring committee, and decided to conduct a pre-electoral mission.

**Schedule of the elections:** the Bureau took note of the updated schedule of the elections.

## C. Other decisions

**Assembly General Rapporteurs: stock-taking:** the Bureau took note of the memorandum prepared by the Secretary General of the Assembly and decided to resume its consideration at its forthcoming meeting. In this context, the Bureau decided to postpone the consideration of the draft terms of reference of a General Rapporteur on *Missing refugee and migrant children in Europe* until it has considered the Memorandum on *Assembly General Rapporteurs: stock-taking*.

The Bureau the decided to authorise the Rapporteur on *Pushback on land and sea: illegal measures of migration management*, to pay a fact-finding visit to Morocco.

The Bureau took note of the concept paper on the **2021 World Forum for Democracy (Strasbourg, 8-10 November)** and decided to set up an ad hoc committee of the Bureau to participate in the Forum.

## II. Standing Committee – 28 May 2021

On 28 May 2021, meeting by videoconference, the **Standing Committee:**

- held an exchange of views with Mr Levente Magyar, Deputy Minister, Parliamentary State Secretary, Ministry for Foreign Affairs and Trade of Hungary, Hungarian Presidency of the Committee of Ministers of the Council of Europe;
- ratified the credentials of new members of the Assembly submitted by the delegations of Andorra, Denmark, Germany, San Marino and Ukraine;
- approved changes in the composition of Assembly committees;
- held current affairs debates on “The urgent need to relaunch the Middle East peace process and prevent a resurgence of violence” and on “The forced landing by the Belarusian authorities on 23 May of civilian airliner flight FR4978 and the arrest of Roman Protasevich”;
- took note of the draft agenda of the third part-session of the Parliamentary Assembly (21-24 June 2021);
- ratified the references proposed by the Bureau (see Appendix 5);
- adopted the following texts on behalf of the Assembly:

<b>Opinion 298 (2021)</b>	<b>Budget and priorities of the Council of Europe for the period 2022-2025</b>
<b>Resolution 2377 (2021)</b>	<b>Expenditure of the Parliamentary Assembly for the biennium 2022-2023</b>
<b>Resolution 2378 (2021)</b>	<b>Strengthening the role of young people in the prevention and resolution of conflicts</b>
<b>Resolution 2379 (2021)</b>	<b>Role of parliaments in implementing the United Nations global compacts for migrants and refugees</b>
<b>Recommendation 2203 (2021)</b>	<b>Humanitarian action for refugees and migrants in countries in North Africa and the Middle East</b>

## III. Prizes

### ➤ **Council of Europe Museum Prize**

The winner of the 2021 Museum Prize is the Gulag History Museum of Moscow. The award ceremony will take place in the Palais Rohan in Strasbourg on 22 June 2021, at 8.30 p.m, with a limited number of invited guests (50 guests), as required by the sanitary measures in force.

### ➤ **Europe Prize**

On 15 April 2021, the Committee on Social Affairs, Health and Sustainable Development approved the proposals submitted by its Sub-Committee on the Europe Prize, awarding the Europe Prize 2021 to the city of Khmelnytskyi (Ukraine), 5 plaques of honour, 4 flags of honour and 6 European diplomas.

The city of Khmel'nitski will organise the Prize awarding ceremony on Friday, 24 September 2021.

#### **IV. Activities of committees and networks, and election observation missions**

- On 3 June 2021, meeting by videoconference, the **Committee on Migration, Refugees and Displaced Persons**, together with the **Committee on Equality and Non-Discrimination** and the **Parliamentary Network Women Free from Violence**:

. held a joint webinar on *Gender and Migration*, in the context of a report prepared by Ms Petra Stienen (Netherlands, ALDE), and an opinion prepared by Ms Sena Nur Çelik (Turkey, NR), with the participation of Ms Despina Chatzivassiliou-Tsovilis, Secretary General of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe; Ms Hayriye Nurdan Erpulat Altuntaş, Director General, Directorate General for Immigration, Asylum and Visa, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Turkey; Ms Malin Björk, member of the European Parliament; Mr Ljubisa Vrencev, Symbiosis-School of Political Studies, Greece; Ms Cécile Gréboval, Programme Manager, Gender Equality Division, Directorate General of Democracy of the Council of Europe; Ms Sofia Voultepsi, Deputy Minister of Migration and Asylum of Greece; Mr Remha Kiros, Migration Policy Department, Ministry of Justice and Security, the Netherlands; Ms Gemma Pinyol-Jiménez, Director of Migration policies and diversity with the Spanish think tank Instrategies, Associated Professor at GRTIM UPF University, Barcelona.

- On 3 June 2021, meeting by videoconference, the **Committee on Rules of Procedure, Immunities and Institutional Affairs** and the **Committee on Equality and Non-Discrimination**:

. held a joint hearing on *Gender representation in the Parliamentary Assembly* in the context of the preparation of a report by Ms Nicole Trisse (France, ALDE) and an opinion by Ms Petra Bayr (Austria, SOC), with the participation of Mr Dimitrios Papadimoulis, Vice-President of the European Parliament, Chair of the High-level Group on Gender Equality and Diversity; Ms Caroline Ressay, Project Manager, High Council for Gender Equality (France); Ms Mariana Duarte Mutzenberg, Programme Officer, Gender Partnership Programme, Inter-Parliamentary Union; Mr Pierre Garrone, Head of Division II, European Commission for Democracy through Law (Venice Commission).

- **Election observation activities:**

From 9 to 11 June 2021, an Assembly election observation delegation conducted a pre-electoral mission to the Republic of Moldova, Chisinau, in view of the early parliamentary elections of 11 July 2021. [A press release](#) was issued on 9 June 2021.

#### **V. Online meetings in the framework of the preparation of reports**

- **Football governance: business and values**

**Lord Foulkes** (United Kingdom, SOC), rapporteur of the *Committee on Culture, Science, Education and Media* on “Football governance: business and values”, met remotely Mr Alasdair Bell, Deputy Secretary General of FIFA, and Ms Joyce Cook, Chief Social Responsibility and Education Officer, FIFA, **on 7 June 2021**.

- **Strengthening the role of young people in the prevention and resolution of conflicts**

**Ms Inka Hopsu** (Finland, SOC), rapporteur of the *Committee on Culture, Science, Education and Media* on “Strengthening the role of young people in the prevention and resolution of conflicts”, is invited to participate in a thematic debate on “Youth, peace and security today: successes and challenges”, organised by the Joint Council on Youth (CMJ), **on 8 June 2021**.

- **Eradicating extreme child poverty in Europe: an international obligation and a moral duty**

**Mr Pier-Alain Fridez** (Switzerland, SOC), rapporteur of the *Committee on Social Affairs, Health and Sustainable Development*, will present a preliminary draft report during an online meeting **on 17 June 2021**. The meeting will include a public hearing with the participation of Mr Bjorn Berge, Deputy Secretary General of the Council of Europe; Mr Jacques Vandenschrik, President of the European Food Banks Federation (FEBA); Ms Lucia Ďuriš Nicholsonová, Chairperson of the Committee on Employment and Social Affairs of the European Parliament; and Mr Sherrod Campbell Brown, United States Senator from Ohio, Chair of the United States Senate Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs (tbc).

## **VI. Fact-finding visits in the framework of the preparation of reports**

### **➤ *The honouring of obligations and commitments by Georgia***

**Mr Titus Corlăţean (Romania, SOC) and Mr Claude Kern (France, ALDE)**, rapporteurs of the *Committee on the Honouring of Obligations and Commitments by Member States of the Council of Europe (Monitoring Committee)*, carried out a fact-finding visit to Tbilisi on **1-3 June 2021**. [A press release](#) is available on the Assembly website.

### **➤ *Involuntary addiction to prescription medicines***

**Mr Joseph O'Reilly** (Ireland, EPP/CD), rapporteur of the *Committee on Social Affairs, Health and Sustainable Development*, aims to carry out a fact-finding visit to Denmark in **summer 2021**.

## **VII. Relations with the Committee of Ministers**

On 28 May 2021, the Standing Committee of the Assembly held an exchange of views with Mr Levente Magyar, Deputy Minister, Parliamentary State Secretary, Ministry for Foreign Affairs and Trade of Hungary, Hungarian Presidency of the Committee of Ministers of the Council of Europe.

## **VIII. Co-operation with the European Parliament and other European Union institutions**

On 8 June 2021, the President of the Parliamentary Assembly and the Secretary General of the Parliamentary Assembly held a bilateral meeting with Mr David Sassoli, President of the European Parliament, to discuss how to further increase the existing good cooperation between the two institutions.

**IX. List of meetings of the committees, the Bureau and the Presidential Committee**

- . **27 May 2021:** *Presidential Committee*
- . **27 May 2021:** *Bureau of the Assembly*
- . **28 May 2021:** *Standing Committee*
- . **2 June 2021:** *Committee on Committee on Rules of Procedure, Immunities and Institutional Affairs*
- . **3 June 2021:** *Committee on Legal Affairs and Human Rights, Sub-Committee on Human Rights*
- . **3 June 2021:** *Joint hearing by the Committee on Committee on Rules of Procedure, Immunities and Institutional Affairs and the Committee on Equality and Non-Discrimination*
- . **11 June 2021:** *Committee on the Election of Judges to the European Court of Human Rights*
- . **17 June 2021:** *Committee on Equality and Non-Discrimination*
- . **17 June 2021:** *Committee on Social Affairs, Health and Sustainable Development*
- . **17 June 2021:** *Presidential Committee*
- . **17 June 2021:** *Bureau of the Assembly*

**Doc. 15298 prov1**  
07 June 2021

## **Third part of the 2021 Ordinary Session (21-24 June 2021)**

### **Draft agenda<sup>1</sup>**

Part-session to be held in a hybrid manner.

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1. Drawn up by the Bureau of the Assembly on 27 May 2021.



## Abbreviations

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Bur: Bureau of the Assembly

Per: Standing Committee

Pol: Committee on Political Affairs and Democracy

Jur: Committee on Legal Affairs and Human Rights

Soc: Committee on Social Affairs, Health and Sustainable Development

Mig: Committee on Migration, Refugees and Displaced Persons

Cult: Committee on Culture, Science, Education and Media

Ega: Committee on Equality and Non-Discrimination

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

Pro: Committee on Rules of Procedure, Immunities and Institutional Affairs

Cdh: Committee on the Election of Judges to the European Court of Human Rights

SOC: Socialists, Democrats and Greens Group

EPP/CD: Group of the European People's Party

ALDE: Alliance of Liberals and Democrats for Europe





EC/DA: European Conservatives Group and Democratic Alliance

UEL: Group of the Unified European Left

NR: Members not belonging to a political group

## Symbols

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-  Presentation, statement
-  Deadline for tabling documents
-  Lists (speakers, questions)
-  Votes

## Meetings outside the Chamber

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### Bureau

Friday 18 June: 09:30-13:00

Thursday 24 June: 14:00-15:30

### Committees

Monday: 14:00-15:30

Tuesday: 08:00-09:00

Tuesday: 14:00-15:30

Wednesday: 14:00-15:30

Thursday: 08:30-09:00

### Political groups

Monday: 09:00-11:00

Wednesday: 08:30-10:00



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# Monday 21 June 2021

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## Sitting No. 15 (11:30-13:00)

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### 1. Opening of the part-session

- 1.1. Statement by the President
- 1.2. Examination of credentials
- 1.3. Changes in the membership of committees
- 1.4. Request(s) for current affairs debate or debate under urgent procedure
  - 1.4.1. Current affairs debate: "The need for an effective solidarity mechanism between European countries to relieve migratory pressure on front line countries"
- 1.5. Adoption of the agenda
- 1.6. Approval of the minutes of the Standing Committee (28 May 2021)

### 2. Debate

- 2.1. Progress report of the Bureau and the Standing Committee
    - Presentation by:
      - o Ms Petra BAYR (Austria, SOC), Rapporteur AS/Bur (Doc. ...)
  - 2.2. Observation of the parliamentary elections in Bulgaria (4 April 2021)
    - Presentation by:
      - o Mr Alfred HEER (Switzerland, ALDE), Rapporteur (Doc. 15292)
  - 2.3. Observation of the parliamentary elections in Albania (25 April 2021)
    - Presentation by:
      - o Mr Aleksander POCIEJ (Poland, EPP/CD), Rapporteur (Doc. 15293)
- List of speakers (deadline for registration: Sunday 20 June, 11:30)

## Sitting No. 16 (16:00-19:30)

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### 3. Debate

- 3.1. Progress report of the Bureau and the Standing Committee (continued)
  - List of speakers
  - [possibly] Vote

### 4. Address (16:30-17:30)

- 4.1. Communication from the Committee of Ministers
    - Presentation by:
      - o Mr Péter SZIJJÁRTÓ, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Trade of Hungary, Chair of the Committee of Ministers of the Council of Europe
- Questions (deadline for registration: Sunday 20 June, 16:00)  
 Written questions (deadline for tabling: Monday 14 June, 11:30)

## 5. Debate

### 5.1. Should politicians be prosecuted for statements made in the exercise of their mandate?

- Presentation by:
  - o Mr Boriss CĪLEVIČS (Latvia, SOC), Rapporteur AS/Jur ([Doc. 15307](#))
  - o Mr Pere LÓPEZ (Andorra, SOC), Rapporteur for opinion AS/Ega ([Doc. ...](#))
- 📅 List of speakers (deadline for registration: Sunday 20 June, 16:00)
- ⌚ Amendments (deadline for tabling: Thursday 17 June, 16:00)
- 🗳️ Vote on a draft resolution ([Doc. 15307](#))

**Sitting No. 17** (09:00-13:00)

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**6. [Possibly] Elections** (09:00-14:00)

**6.1. Judges to the European Court of Human Rights**

- List of candidates in respect of:
  - o Croatia (Doc. 15295)
  - o the Russian Federation (Doc. 15304)

**7. Debate**

**7.1. Media freedom, public trust and the people's right to know**

- Presentation by:
  - o Mr Roberto RAMPI (Italy, SOC), Rapporteur AS/Cult (Doc. 15308)
- List of speakers (deadline for registration: Monday 21 June, 09:00)
- Amendments (deadline for tabling: Friday 18 June, 09:00)
- Votes on a draft resolution and a draft recommendation (Doc. 15308)

**8. Debate**

**8.1. Covid passes or certificates: protection of fundamental rights and legal implications**

- Presentation by:
  - o Mr Damien COTTIER (Switzerland, ALDE), Rapporteur AS/Jur (Doc. 15309)
  - o Ms Carmen LEYTE (Spain, EPP/CD), Rapporteur for opinion AS/Soc (Doc. ...)
- List of speakers (deadline for registration: Monday 21 June, 09:00)
- Amendments (deadline for tabling: Friday 18 June, 09:00)
- Vote on a draft resolution (Doc. 15309)

**Sitting No. 18** (16:00-19:30)

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**9. Question time** (16:00-16:30)

**9.1. Ms Marija PEJČINOVIĆ BURIĆ, Secretary General of the Council of Europe**

- Questions (deadline for registration: Monday 21 June, 16:00)

**10. Debate**

**10.1. Overcoming the socio-economic crisis sparked by the Covid-19 pandemic**

- Presentation by:
  - o Mr Andrej HUNKO (Germany, UEL), Rapporteur AS/Soc (Doc. 15310)
  - o Ms Elvira KOVÁCS (Serbia, EPP/CD), Rapporteur for opinion AS/Ega (Doc. ...)
- List of speakers (deadline for registration: Monday 21 June, 16:00)
- Amendments (deadline for tabling: Friday 18 June, 16:00)
- Votes on a draft resolution and a draft recommendation (Doc. 15310)

## 11. Debate

### 11.1. Impact of the Covid-19 pandemic on children's rights

- Presentation by:
  - Baroness Doreen MASSEY (United Kingdom, SOC), Rapporteur AS/Soc ([Doc. 15311](#))
- Statement by:
  - Ms Henrietta H. FORE, UNICEF Executive Director (to be confirmed)
- 📄 List of speakers (deadline for registration: Monday 21 June, 16:00)
- ⌚ Amendments (deadline for tabling: Friday 18 June, 16:00)
- 🗳️ Votes on a draft resolution and a draft recommendation ([Doc. 15311](#))

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## Wednesday 23 June 2021

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### Sitting No. 19 (10:00-13:00)

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#### 12. [Possibly] Elections (2nd round) (10:00-15:00)


12.1. Judges to the European Court of Human Rights

#### 13. [Possibly] Current affairs debate<sup>2</sup> (10:00-11:00)

#### 14. Council of Europe Convention on preventing and combating violence against women and domestic violence (Istanbul Convention): 10 years on<sup>3</sup> (11:00-13:00)

14.1. High Level Panel

14.2. Free debate

 List of speakers (deadline for registration: Tuesday 22 June, 10:00)

### Sitting No. 20 (16:00-19:30)

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#### 15. Debate


##### 15.1. Enhancing participation of women from under-represented groups in political and public decision-making


Presentation by:


o Ms Eglantina GJERMENI (Albania, SOC), Rapporteur AS/Ega (Doc. 15301)

Statement by:

o Ms Elisabeth MORENO, Minister Delegate for Gender Equality, Diversity and Equal Opportunities at the Prime Minister's Office, France

 List of speakers (deadline for registration: Tuesday 22 June, 16:00)

 Amendments (deadline for tabling: Monday 21 June, 16:00)


 Vote on a draft resolution (Doc. 15301)


#### 16. Debate


##### 16.1. The situation of Crimean Tatars

Presentation by:

o Ms Thorhildur Sunna ÆVARSDÓTTIR (Iceland, SOC), Rapporteur AS/Ega (Doc. 15305)

 List of speakers (deadline for registration: Tuesday 22 June, 16:00)

 Amendments (deadline for tabling: Monday 21 June, 16:00)

 Vote on a draft resolution (Doc. 15305)

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2. Subject to a decision by the Assembly.

3. See separate programme.

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## Thursday 24 June 2021

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### Sitting No. 21 (09:00-13:00)

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#### 17. Debate

##### 17.1. For a European policy on diasporas

- Presentation by:
  - o Mr Paulo PISCO (Portugal, SOC), Rapporteur AS/Mig (Doc. 15250)
- Statement by:
  - o Mr António VITORINO, Director General, International Organization for Migration
- List of speakers (deadline for registration: Wednesday 23 June, 09:00)
- Amendments (deadline for tabling: Tuesday 22 June, 09:00)
- Votes on a draft resolution and a draft recommendation (Doc. 15250)

#### 18. [Possibly] Debate under urgent procedure and/or current affairs debate<sup>4</sup>

### Sitting No. 22 (16:00-19:30)

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#### 19. Progress report

##### 19.1. Progress report of the Bureau and the Standing Committee (continued)

- [possibly] Vote

#### 20. Debate

##### 20.1. Combating Afrophobia in Europe

- Presentation by:
  - o Mr Momodou Malcolm JALLOW (Sweden, UEL), Rapporteur AS/Ega (Doc. 15306)
- Statement by:
  - o Ms E. Tendayi ACHIUME, Special Rapporteur on contemporary forms of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance (to be confirmed)
- List of speakers (deadline for registration: Wednesday 23 June, 16:00)
- Amendments (deadline for tabling: Tuesday 22 June, 16:00)
- Vote on a draft resolution (Doc. 15306)

#### 21. Debate

##### 21.1. Transparency and regulation of donations to political parties and electoral campaigns from foreign donors

- Presentation by:
  - o Mr Konstantin KUHLE (Germany, ALDE), Rapporteur AS/Pol (Doc. 15302)
- List of speakers (deadline for registration: Wednesday 23 June, 16:00)
- Amendments (deadline for tabling: Tuesday 22 June, 16:00)
- Votes on a draft resolution and a draft recommendation (Doc. 15302)

#### 22. Closure of the part-session

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4. Subject to a decision by the Assembly.

## Appendix 2

### AD HOC COMMITTEE FOR THE OBSERVATION OF THE EARLY PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS IN ARMENIA

20 June / juin 2021

### COMMISSION AD HOC POUR L'OBSERVATION DES ELECTIONS LEGISLATIVES ANTICIPEES EN ARMENIE

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**AD HOC COMMITTEE FOR THE OBSERVATION OF THE  
EARLY PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS IN MOLDOVA**

*11 July / juillet 2021*

**COMMISSION AD HOC POUR L'OBSERVATION DES  
ELECTIONS LEGISLATIVES ANTICIPEES AU MOLDOVA**

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REFERENCES AND TRANSMISSIONS TO COMMITTEES

A. REFERENCES TO COMMITTEES

1. **Public health emergency: the need for a holistic approach to multilateralism and health care**  
**Motion for a resolution tabled by the Committee on Social Affairs, Health and Sustainable Development**  
[Doc. 15245](#)

Reference to the Committee on Social Affairs, Health and Sustainable Development *for report*

2. **For a fairer future: building on the lessons of the Covid-19 pandemic to promote equality in Europe**  
**Motion for a resolution tabled by the Committee on Equality and Non-Discrimination**  
[Doc. 15246](#)

Reference to the Committee on Social Affairs, Health and Sustainable Development *to be taken into account in the framework of the report on “Overcoming the socio-economic crisis sparked by the Covid-19 pandemic”* and to the Committee on Equality and Non-Discrimination *for opinion*

3. **The need to address discrimination on the basis of political opinion**  
**Motion for a resolution tabled by the Committee on Equality and Non-Discrimination**  
[Doc. 15247](#)

No further action

4. **Sexual and reproductive health and rights**  
**Motion for a resolution tabled by the Committee on Equality and Non-Discrimination**  
[Doc. 15248](#)

Reference to the Committee on Equality and Non-Discrimination *for report*

5. **Forced migration due to political repressions**  
**Motion for a resolution tabled by the Committee on Migration, Refugees and Displaced Persons**  
[Doc. 15249](#)

Reference to the Committee on Political Affairs and Democracy *to be taken into account in the framework of the report on “Call for an inclusive national political process in Belarus”*

6. **Covid-19 impact on global tourism and aviation industries and their safe revival**  
**Motion for a recommendation tabled by Ms Mariam Kvrivishvili and other members of the Assembly**  
[Doc. 15254](#)

Reference to the Committee on Social Affairs, Health and Sustainable Development *to be taken into account in the framework of the report on “Overcoming the socio-economic crisis sparked by the Covid-19 pandemic”*

7. **Establishment of a “youth partner” status with the Parliamentary Assembly**  
**Motion for a resolution tabled by the Committee on Culture, Science, Education and Media**  
[Doc. 15262](#)

Reference to the Committee on Political Affairs and Democracy *for report* and to the Committee on Culture, Science, Education and Media *for opinion*

8. **Preventing addictive behaviours in children**  
**Motion for a recommendation tabled by the Committee on Social Affairs, Health and Sustainable Development**  
[Doc. 15269](#)

Reference to the Committee on Social Affairs, Health and Sustainable Development *for report*

9. **The deployment of mercenaries in the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict**  
**Motion for a resolution tabled by Mr Birgir Thórarinnsson and other members of the Assembly**  
[Doc. 15271](#)

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

10. **The impact of the Covid-19 restrictions for civil society space and activities**  
**Motion for a resolution tabled by the Committee on Legal Affairs and Human Rights**  
[Doc. 15273](#)

Reference to the Committee on Legal Affairs and Human Rights *for report*

11. **Precarious status of cross-border and seasonal workers in Europe**  
**Motion for a resolution tabled by Mr Viorel-Riceard Badea and other members of the Assembly**  
[Doc. 15274](#)

Reference to the Committee on Migration, Refugees and Displaced Persons *for report* and to the Committee on Social Affairs, Health and Sustainable Development *for opinion*

**B. REQUEST BY A COMMITTEE (Rule 26.4 of the Assembly's Rules of Procedure)**

1. **Strengthening parliamentary dialogue with Algeria**  
**Motion for a resolution tabled by Mr Jacques Maire and other members of the Assembly**  
[Doc. 14476](#)  
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Lapse of the reference