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2023 (dates to be confirmed):						
BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA	2 December 2021	10 May 2021	
BULGARIA	12 April 2024	21 August 2023		...	...	...
LITHUANIA	31 October 2022	05 May 2022		...	...	...
LUXEMBOURG	1 May 2024	1 December 2023				
ROMANIA	17 December 2022	05 May 2022		...	...	...
SERBIA	12 April 2024	21 August 2023		...	...	...
DENMARK	30 November 2022	25 August 2022		22 December 2022	18 January 2023	24 January 2023
				29 September 2022	12 October 2022 – list rejected by the Parliamentary Assembly on 14 October 2022	
ICELAND	31 October 2022	05 May 2022		22 December 2022	18 January 2023	24 January 2023
				12 May 2022	15 June 2022 – two candidates decided to withdraw from the list	
POLAND	31 October 2022	25 August 2022		22 December 2022	25 January 2023	...

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		3 December 2021		16 December 2021	19 January 2022 – list rejected by the Parliamentary Assembly on 24 January 2022	
		8 March 2021		8 March 2021	14 April 2021 – list rejected by the Parliamentary Assembly on 19 April 2021	
APRIL 2022:						
UKRAINE	14 June 2019	6 December 2018		21 March 2022 3 September 2021	20 April 2022 22 September 2021 – list rejected by the Parliamentary Assembly on 27 September 2021	26 April 2022
SEPTEMBER 2021:						
CZECH REPUBLIC	31 October 2021	8 March 2021		3 September 2021	22 September 2021	28 September 2021
REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA	2 December 2021	10 May 2021		23 August 2021	22 September 2021	28 September 2021
JUNE 2021:						

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CROATIA	1 January 2022	10 May 2021		8 April 2021	16 June 2021	22 June 2021
APRIL 2021:						
BELGIUM	12 September 2021	8 March 2021		2 March 2021	14 April 2021	20 April 2021
JANUARY 2021:						
GREECE	17 May 2020	6 December 2019		31 July 2020	20 January 2021	26 January 2021
SWITZERLAND	3 October 2020	20 May 2020		20 April 2020	20 January 2021	26 January 2021
JANUARY 2020:						
FRANCE	21 June 2020	6 December 2019		19 September 2019	22 January 2020	28 January 2020
OCTOBER 2019:						
PORTUGAL	31 March 2020	28 August 2019		24 June 2019	25 September 2019	2 October 2019
JUNE 2019:						
ESTONIA	3 January 2020	22 May 2019		7 March 2019	19 June 2019	26 June 2019
GERMANY	31 December 2019	22 May 2019		14 March 2019	19 June 2019	27 June 2019 [2 nd round of voting] 26 June 2019 [1 st round of voting]
APRIL 2019:						
MALTA	19 September 2019	6 March 2019		7 March 2019	3 April 2019	9 April 2019
TÜRKIYE	30 April 2017	6 March 2019 1 September 2018		18 February 2019 3 September 2018	3 April 2019 3 October 2018 – one candidate decided to withdraw from the list	9 April 2019

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		4 May 2018		13 March 2018	[20 April 2018 – one candidate decided to withdraw from the list]	
		12 December 2016		30 August 2017	[4 October 2017 – list rejected by the Parliamentary Assembly on 9 October 2017]	
JANUARY 2019:						
SWEDEN	26 September 2021 – early resignation	6 December 2018		2 October 2018	16 January 2019	22 January 2019
ITALY	4 May 2019	6 December 2018		14 November 2018	16 January 2019	22 January 2019
OCTOBER 2018:						
NORWAY	31 August 2020 – early resignation	1 September 2018		20 June 2018	3 October 2018	9 October 2018
ALBANIA	31 January 2017	31 August 2017		23 July 2018	3 October 2018	9 October 2018
		20 March 2017		14 March 2017	[13 April 2017 – list rejected by the Parliamentary Assembly on 25 April 2017]	

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		26 August 2016		26 August 2016	[6 October 2016 – list rejected by the Parliamentary Assembly on 11 October 2016]	
JUNE 2018:						
SAN MARINO	20 September 2018	7 May 2018		25 April 2018	20 June 2018	26 June 2018
APRIL 2018:						
MONTENEGRO	26 August 2017	27 January 2017		13 February 2018	18 April 2018	24 April 2018
JANUARY 2018:						
SPAIN	31 January 2017	26 August 2016		4 December 2017	17 January 2018	23 January 2018
OCTOBER 2017:						
GEORGIA	31 January 2017	31 August 2017		6 September 2017	4 October 2017	10 October 2017
		26 August 2016			[25 January 2017 – list rejected by the Parliamentary Assembly on 27 January 2017]	
				26 August 2016	[6 October 2016 – postponement of the recommendation until a later date]	
JANUARY 2017:						

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HUNGARY	31 January 2017	20 March 2017 26 August 2016		15 December 2016 26 August 2016	18 January 2017 [6 October 2016 – the three candidates decided to withdraw from the list]	24 January 2017
NETHERLANDS	31 October 2021 – early resignation	27 February 2017		21 November 2016	18 January 2017	24 January 2017
OCTOBER 2016:						
"THE FORMER YUGOSLAV REPUBLIC OF MACEDONIA"	31 January 2017	26 August 2016		9 September 2016	6 October 2016	11 October 2016
AZERBAIJAN	31 October 2015	26 August 2016 15 January 2016		25 August 2016 16 January 2016	6 October 2016 [27 January 2016 – list rejected by the Parliamentary Assembly on 29 January 2016; new list requested]	11 October 2016
		15 March 2016		18 March 2015	[15 June 2015 – list rejected by the Parliamentary Assembly on 22 June	

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					2015; new list requested]	
JUNE 2016:						
UNITED KINGDOM	6 September 2016	29 January 2016		5 April 2016	19 June 2016	21 June 2016
APRIL 2016:						
SLOVENIA	31 October 2015	15 March 2015		27 January 2016	17 April 2016	19 April 2016
JANUARY 2016:						
CYPRUS	16 September 2015	15 January 2015		10 December 2015	12 January 2016	26 January 2016
SEPT. – OCT. 2015:						
SLOVAK REPUBLIC	31 October 2013 – resignation	5 January 2015		13 August 2015	17 September 2015	29 September 2015
		15 November 2013		22 September 2014	[1 October 2014 – list rejected by the Parliamentary Assembly on 3 October 2014; new list requested]	
		15 April 2013		6 June 2013	[12 June 2013 – list rejected by the Parliamentary Assembly on 24 June 2013; new list requested]	

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JUNE 2015:						
ARMENIA	31 October 2015 – early resignation	15 December 2014		12 May 2015	15 June 2015	23 June 2015
LATVIA	31 October 2015 – early resignation	15 March 2015		30 April 2015	15 June 2015	23 June 2015
LUXEMBOURG	31 October 2015	15 March 2015		19 February 2015	15 June 2015	23 June 2015
MONACO	10 September 2015 – early resignation	4 December 2015		18 May 2015	15 June 2015	23 June 2015
		15 January 2015		27 February 2015	10 April 2015 – two candidates decided to withdraw from the list	
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LIECHTENSTEIN	31 August 2015	15 January 2015		15 January 2015	10 April 2015	21 April 2015
IRELAND	2 March 2017 – early resignation	13 February 2015		13 February 2015	10 April 2015	21 April 2015
ANDORRA	31 October 2015	15 March 2015		6 February 2015	10 April 2015	21 April 2015
AUSTRIA	31 October 2015	15 March 2015		16 February 2015	10 April 2015	21 April 2015
FINLAND	31 December 2015	15 March 2015		6 February 2015	10 April 2015	21 April 2015