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To the members of the Committee on the Election of Judges to the European Court of Human Rights

Synopsis of the meeting held in Paris on 6 April 2017

The Committee on the Election of Judges to the European Court of Human Rights, meeting in Paris on 6 April 2017, with Mr Boriss Cilevičs (Latvia, SOC) in the Chair, as regards:

- **Election procedure:**
 - Invitation of the Chairperson of the Advisory Panel of Experts on Candidates for Election as Judge to the European Court of Human Rights: agreed to invite the Panel's Chairperson to an exchange of views with the Committee at its meeting foreseen in Riga later in the year;
 - Appointment of a rapporteur: appointed its Chairperson, Mr Boriss Cilevičs, as Rapporteur on "Election of the Judges to the European Court of Human Rights" and heard from him a declaration of absence of any conflict of interest;
- **Interviews with the candidates in respect of Albania:** held interviews with the candidates to the European Court of Human Rights in respect of Albania and adopted its recommendation for the attention of the Assembly;
- **Next meetings:** took note of the forthcoming meetings of the Committee as follows:
 - Paris, 15-16 June 2017 (Council of Europe Office) (to be confirmed)
 - Paris, 28-29 September 2017 (Council of Europe Office) (to be confirmed)
 - Riga, Latvia (date to be confirmed).

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