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To the members of the Committee on Equality and Non-Discrimination

Synopsis of the meeting held in Strasbourg and by videoconference on 19 April 2021

The Committee on Equality and Non-Discrimination, meeting in Strasbourg and by videoconference on 19 April 2021, from 2 to 3.30pm, with Ms Petra Bayr (Austria, SOC), Chairperson, in the Chair, as regards:

- **Gender representation in the Parliamentary Assembly** (*Rapporteur for opinion: Ms Petra Bayr, Austria, SOC*): approved the decision to hold a joint hearing with the Committee on Rules of Procedure, Immunities and Institutional Affairs at the meeting of the latter committee on 2 June 2021;
- **Combating inequalities in the right to a safe, healthy and clean environment** (*Rapporteur: Ms Edite Estrela, Portugal, SOC*): considered an information memorandum;
- **Combating antisemitism in Europe** (*Rapporteur: Ms Petra Bayr, Austria, SOC*): considered an introductory memorandum;
- **Stopping harassment of women and men speaking out for the right to abort** (*Rapporteur: Ms Margreet De Boer, Netherlands, SOC*): considered an information memorandum and authorised the rapporteur to carry out fact-finding visits to Poland and France, subject to the availability of funds;
- **Next meetings**: confirmed its next meetings as follows:

Committee

- 18 May 2021, by videoconference;
- Strasbourg, during the third part-session 2021 of the Assembly (21 to 25 June 2021);
- 15 September 2021 (*place and format to be confirmed*);
- Strasbourg, during the fourth part-session 2021 of the Assembly (27 September to 1 October 2021);
- 30 November 2021 (*place and format to be confirmed*).

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- Stockholm, 2021, date to be confirmed.

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