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GROUP OF EXPERTS ON ACTION AGAINST TRAFFICKING IN HUMAN BEINGS (GRETA)

17th meeting of GRETA
(Strasbourg, 1-5 July 2013)

LIST OF DECISIONS

Item 1 Opening of the meeting

Item 2 Adoption of the agenda and order of business

Item 3 1st Evaluation Round, 3rd Group: adoption of the final GRETA report on Belgium

GRETA adopted the final report on Belgium as amended in the light of the comments received from the national authorities. GRETA decided to send the report to the Belgian authorities and to invite them to submit their final comments within one month. At the expiry of this time-limit GRETA's report, together with eventual comments received from the national authorities, will be made public.

Item 4 1st Evaluation Round, 3rd Group: adoption of the final GRETA report on Ireland

GRETA adopted the final report on Ireland as amended in the light of the comments received from the national authorities. GRETA decided to send the report to the Irish authorities and to invite them to submit their final comments within one month. At the expiry of this time-limit GRETA's report, together with eventual comments received from the national authorities, will be made public.

Item 5 1st Evaluation Round, 3rd Group: adoption of the final GRETA report on Spain

GRETA adopted the final report on Spain as amended in the light of the comments received from the national authorities. GRETA decided to send the report to the Spanish authorities and to invite them to submit their final comments within one month. At the expiry of this time-limit GRETA's report, together with eventual comments received from the national authorities, will be made public.

Item 6 1st Evaluation Round, 3rd Group: draft GRETA report on Luxembourg

GRETA examined the draft report on Luxembourg and agreed on a number of amendments. GRETA decided to transmit the draft report to the national authorities and to ask them to submit comments within two months. GRETA recalled that its draft reports remain confidential until their final adoption.

Item 7 1st Evaluation Round, 3rd Group: draft GRETA report on Serbia

GRETA examined the draft report on Serbia and agreed on a number of amendments. GRETA decided to transmit the draft report to the national authorities and to ask them to submit comments within two months. GRETA recalled that its draft reports remain confidential until their final adoption.

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- Item 8 1st Evaluation Round, 3rd Group: draft GRETA report on Slovenia
- GRETA examined the draft report on Slovenia and agreed on a number of amendments. GRETA decided to transmit the draft report to the national authorities and to ask them to submit comments within two months. GRETA recalled that its draft reports remain confidential until their final adoption.
- Item 9 1st Evaluation Round, 3rd Group: feedback on the country visit to Azerbaijan
- Item 10 1st Evaluation Round, 3rd Group: feedback on the country visit to the Netherlands
- Item 11 1st Evaluation Round, 3rd Group: feedback on the country visit to Sweden
- Item 12 1st Evaluation Round, 3rd Group: feedback on the country visit to “the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia”
- Item 13 1st Evaluation Round, 2nd Group: follow-up to the final GRETA report on Bosnia and Herzegovina
- Item 14 1st Evaluation Round, 2nd Group: follow-up to the final GRETA report on Norway
- Item 15 1st Evaluation Round, 2nd Group: follow-up to the final GRETA report on Poland
- Item 16 Appointing rapporteurs for evaluation visits in the second half of 2013
- GRETA approved the Bureau’s proposal concerning the appointment of Rapporteurs for the evaluation visits in the second half of 2013 (Andorra, Iceland, Italy, San Marino and Ukraine).
- Item 17 Activities related to the implementation of GRETA’s recommendations
- Item 18 Draft 3rd General Report on GRETA’s activities
- GRETA examined the draft 3rd General Report on its activities and agreed that members would send their written comments to the Secretariat by 31 July 2013. GRETA decided to adopt the final draft by written procedure with a view to its publication in early October 2013.
- Item 19 Preparation of forthcoming evaluation visits
- Item 20 Preparation of the 2nd evaluation round
- GRETA held a discussion on the format and timing of the second evaluation round and decided to commission a stocktaking study of the main results of the first evaluation round, based on GRETA’s country-by-country evaluation reports. GRETA also decided to put this item on the agenda of its 18th meeting.

Item 21 Follow-up to the 11th meeting of the Committee of the Parties

Item 22 Exchange of views with the UN Special Rapporteur on trafficking in persons, especially women and children

GRETA decided to consolidate its co-operation with the UN Special Rapporteur on trafficking in persons, especially women and children, through information sharing, co-ordination of anti-trafficking initiatives and participation in their respective events.

Item 23 Administrative and budgetary questions

Item 24 State of signatures and ratifications of the Convention

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Item 28 Dates of future meetings

GRETA fixed the dates of its future meetings as follows:

- 19th meeting: 17 - 21 March 2014
- 20th meeting: 30 June - 4 July 2014.

Item 29 Items to be put on the agenda of the 18th meeting

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