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on the Council of Europe Convention on Action against Trafficking in Human Beings

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PROGRAMME

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09:00 - 09:30	Registration
09:30 - 10:00	Opening statements Mr Atilla Toros, General Director, Directorate General Of Migration Management, Turkey Mr Nicolas Le Coz, President of the Group of Experts on Action against Trafficking in Human Beings (GRETA) Mr Lado Gvivala, Head of Mission of the International Organization for Migration (IOM) in Turkey
10:05 - 11:00	 First session: Measures to prevent trafficking in human beings Moderator: Mr Jan van Dijk, Second Vice-President of GRETA Multidisciplinary approach to preventing trafficking in human beings pursuant to the Council of Europe Convention against Trafficking in Human Beings - Ms Baerbel Heide Uhl, international co-ordinator datACT- data protection in anti-trafficking action The International Organization of Migration's action to prevent trafficking in human beings - Ms Anastasia Saglam, Counter-Trafficking Focal Point, IOM Turkey Prevention of trafficking in human beings, in particular for the purpose of labour exploitation - Mr Omer Lutfi Ayhan, Ministry of Labour and Social Security Discussion
11:15 – 11:45	Coffee break
11:45 – 13:00	 Second session: Measures to protect and promote the rights of victims Moderator: Ms Petya Nestorova, Executive Secretary of the Council of Europe Convention on Action against Trafficking in Human Beings Victim-centred approach of the Council of Europe Convention on Action against Trafficking in Human Beings and rights of victims of trafficking - Mr Jan van Dijk, Second Vice-President of GRETA Anti-trafficking regulations developed in line with the Council of Europe Convention in Turkey - Mr Abdullah Semih Yıldız, Director of Human Trafficking Department, Directorate General of Migration Management of the Ministry of Interior of Turkey Discussion
13:00 – 14:30	Lunch

14:30 - 16:00	Third session: Combating trafficking in human beings through criminal law: the criminal offence and prosecution of perpetrators
	Moderator: Mr Fatih Susuz, Anti-Trafficking Division, Council of Europe
	Substantive criminal law provisions and measures on investigation and prosecution contained in the Council of Europe Convention on Action against Trafficking in Human Beings - Mr Nicolas Le Coz, President of GRETA
	Criminalising trafficking in human beings in Turkish penal law and relevant case-law - Mr Rifat Sagut, Prosecutor
	Case-study - Mr Tolga Becer, Superintendent, Head of the Central Brigade against Human Trafficking, Ministry of Interior of Turkey
	Discussion
16:00 - 16:30	Coffee break
16:30 - 18:00	Fourth session: Co-operation and co-ordination of anti-trafficking action at national and international level
	Moderator: Mr Nicolas Le Coz, President of GRETA
	The Convention obligations on co-operation and co-ordination as indispensable prerequisites for successful action against trafficking in human beings - Ms Petya Nestorova, Executive Secretary of the Secretariat of the GRETA of the Council of Europe
	 National co-ordinating bodies for action against trafficking in Human Beings in Turkey -Mr Ebubekir Kurt, Directorate General of Migration Management of the Ministry of Interior of Turkey
	Co-operation and partnership with civil society in anti-trafficking action – Ms Baerbel Heide Uhl, international co-ordinator datACT- data protection in anti-trafficking action
	Discussion

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09:00 - 10:00	Fifth session: Ensuring the effective implementation of the Council of Europe Convention on Action against Trafficking in Human Beings through monitoring and capacity building
	Moderator: Mr Nicolas Le Coz, President of GRETA
	 Monitoring mechanism of the Council of Europe Convention on-Action against trafficking in Human beings - Ms Petya Nestorova, Executive Secretary of the Council of Europe Convention on Action against Trafficking in Human Beings
	The role of data collection and statistics in the monitoring of the Convention - Mr Jan van Dijk, Second Vice-President of GRETA
	Role of civil society in monitoring the implementation of the Convention – Ms Baerbel Heide Uhl, international co-ordinator datACT- data protection in anti-trafficking action
	Discussion
10:00 - 10:30	Coffee break
10:30 - 11:30	Sixth session: Measures to combat child trafficking, with a particular focus on unaccompanied minors and separated children
	Moderator: Ms Baerbel Heide Uhl , international co-ordinator datACT- data protection in anti-trafficking action
	Obligations under the Council of Europe Convention related to children – Mr Nicolas Le Coz, President of GRETA
	Identification and protection of victims of trafficking among unaccompanied minors and separated children - Ms Petya Nestorova , Executive Secretary of the Council of Europe Convention on Action against Trafficking in Human Beings
	Preventing, Identifying and Combating Trafficking of Refugees in Turkey - Ms Gulsah Gures, ICMPD
	Discussion
11:30 - 12:00	Closing addresses
	Mr Ebubekir Kurt, Directorate General of Migration Management of the Ministry of Interior of Turkey
	Mr Nicolas Le Coz, President of GRETA