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# Ad hoc Committee for the Rights of the Child (CAHENF)

Revised agenda and order of business

4<sup>th</sup> meeting

Strasbourg, 21-23 March 2018

Council of Europe, Agora Building, Room G.01

Prepared by the Children's Rights Division

Directorate of Human Dignity, Equality and Sport Values

## AGENDA

Wednesday, 21 March (9.30-18.00)	
1. Opening of the meeting by Ms Marja Ruotanen, Director of Human Dignity, Equality and Sport Values	
2. Adoption of the agenda and order of business <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Draft Agenda and Order of Business</li> <li>- Draft Annotated Agenda and Order of Business</li> </ul>	CAHENF(2018)OJ1 CAHENF(2018)OJA1
3. Information by the Chair, Chair of the CAHENF-Safeguards and Secretariat : update on developments since the last plenary meeting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Update on developments since the last meeting</li> </ul>	CAHENF-Safeguards(2018)PV1 CAHENF-VAC(2018)INF1
4. Exchange with member states on recent developments and challenges with respect to children's rights at national level <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Compilation of replies and <i>Tour de table</i> on recent developments and challenges</li> <li>- National strategies and action plans: recent developments, lessons learnt from implementation and strategic priority areas</li> </ul>	CAHENF(2018)01
5. Thematic exchange on legislation, policies, good practices and methods for child-rights budgeting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Secretariat note</li> <li>- Information factsheet</li> </ul>	CAHENF(2018)02  CAHENF (2018)INF 1
Priority area 1: Equal opportunities for all children	
6. Children's rights and safeguards in the context of migration <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Presentation by Ms Velina Todorova, member of the UN Committee for the Rights of the Child of the CMW-CRC joint General Comments on the Human Rights of Children in the Context of International Migration</li> <li>- Address by Ms Afshan Khan, Regional Director of UNICEF Europe and Central Asia</li> </ul>	<a href="#">CMW/C/GC/3-CRC/C/GC/22</a>  <a href="#">CMW/C/GC/4-CRC/C/GC/23</a>
<i>Standard-setting and policy work</i>	
6.1 CAHENF	
- Exchange of views on the proposed draft Committee of Ministers Recommendation on guiding principles and guidelines for an effective guardianship for unaccompanied and separated children in migration	CAHENF-Safeguards(2017)7REV3
- Exchange of views on key aspects to be covered by the proposed draft Committee of Ministers Recommendation on Human Rights Principles and implementing guidelines on age assessment for children in migration	CAHENF-Safeguards(2018)2REV1
- Review of the implementation of Recommendation CM/Rec(2007)9	

of the Committee of Ministers to member states on life projects for unaccompanied migrant minors: Secretariat update	
- Updated Roadmap for the finalisation of proposals for standards on age assessment and guardianship	CAHENF-Safeguards(2017)3REV4
- Participation in the work of the CJ-DAM and preparation of the 1 <sup>st</sup> draft Codifying instrument of European rules on the administrative detention of migrants	
<b>Thursday, 22 March (9.30-18.00)</b>	
<b>Priority area 1 (continued)</b>	
6.2 Updates on relevant Council of Europe actions and activities and possible contributions or follow-up by the CAHENF	
<i>Monitoring</i>	
- Update on the work undertaken by the Lanzarote Committee: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Special report "Protecting children affected by the refugee crisis from sexual exploitation and sexual abuse"</li> <li>• Special report further to a visit undertaken by a delegation of the Lanzarote Committee to transit zones at the Serbian/Hungarian border (5-7 July 2017)</li> </ul>	<a href="#">T-ES(2016)17</a> <a href="#">T-ES(2017)13</a> (\$17)  <a href="#">T-ES(2017)11</a> <a href="#">T-ES(2018)01</a> (\$3)
<i>CoE Action plan on protecting migrant and refugee children (2017-2019)</i>	
- Project on Child Friendly Migration Related Information and Life Projects for unaccompanied children (2017-2019)	Project summary <a href="#">Report</a>
<i>Parliamentarian dimension</i>	
- End immigration detention of children campaign: Phase III	
7. Information by CAHENF members and observers on other relevant actions in this Priority area	
<b>Priority area 3: A life free from violence for all children</b>	
<i>Priority 3.1. Promoting an integrated approach to protection from violence</i>	
8. Agenda 2030 for Children: End Violence Solutions Summit (14-15 February 2018) : takeaways and next steps for the CAHENF work	<a href="#">Website</a> <a href="#">Proclamation</a>
<i>Priority 3.2. Combating sexual exploitation and sexual abuse</i>	
9. Presentation of the key findings of the Lanzarote Committee report: "Protection of children against sexual abuse in the circle of trust: The strategies"	<a href="#">T-ES(2017)12</a>
10. Capacity-building projects and activities to support the ratification/accession and implementation of the Lanzarote Convention	
<i>Priority 3.4 Protecting children from violence in various settings and forms</i>	
11. Raising awareness: Presentation of the Campaign "Start to Talk"	
12. Information by CAHENF members and observers on relevant actions to	

prevent and combat violence against children	
Priority area 2: Participation of all children	
<i>Priorities 2.1 and 2.2: Promoting children's right to participate and reaching out to children</i>	
13. Implementation of the Child Participation Assessment Tool <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Update and next steps</li> </ul>	
14. Preparation of the Mid-Term Evaluation of the Strategy for the Rights of the Child (2016-2021) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Update by the Secretariat</li> <li>- Methodology for involving children in the mid-term evaluation process and conference</li> </ul>	<a href="#">CAHENF (2017)11</a> <a href="#">Advocacy Tool</a>
<i>Dinner</i>	
Friday, 23 March (9.30-17.00)	
Priority area 5: Rights of the Child in the Digital Environment	
15. CAHENF work (2018-2019) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Update on developments and exchange of views on CAHENF's next steps to set in motion the implementation of the Guidelines</li> <li>- Update on co-operation and capacity building projects and activities in Council of Europe member states</li> </ul>	
16. Communication by CAHENF members and observers on other relevant actions and initiatives in this area <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Presentation by Ms Astrid Podsiadlowski of the findings of the FRA report "Mapping minimum age requirements concerning the rights of the child in the EU" in the context of the digital world and data protection aspects</li> </ul>	
Priority area 4: Child Friendly Justice for all Children	
17. Updates on relevant Council of Europe actions and activities and possible contributions or follow-up by the CAHENF	
<i>Promoting child-friendly justice</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Updates on the implementation of the Council of Europe Guidelines on child-friendly justice</li> </ul>	
<i>Protecting children in the context of deprivation of liberty</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Addressing the situation of children whose parents are detained : draft recommendation CM/REC(2018)XX of the Committee of Ministers to member States concerning children with imprisoned parents</li> </ul>	Draft text and explanatory memorandum
<i>Children's rights in the family</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Update by the Secretary of the Committee on Bioethics (DH-BIO)</li> <li>- Follow up to the Conference "<a href="#">20th Anniversary of the Oviedo Convention</a>", relevance and challenges: focus on children's rights related conclusions</li> </ul>	<a href="#">Provisional proceedings</a> <a href="#">Rapporteur report</a>

18. Information by CAHENF members and observers on other relevant child-friendly justice actions and initiatives	
19. Information on relevant work of other sectors and future participation	
- Calendar of events	CAHENF(2018)03
- Participation of CAHENF representatives in other events	CAHENF(2018)04
20. Date and place of the 5 <sup>th</sup> meeting of the CAHENF	
21. Other business	
22. Adoption of decisions and close of the meeting	CAHENF(2018)LD1