

Compilation of relevant CoE standards

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Presentation of compilation:

- Summary of key CoE references to inform of the work of the Drafting Committee
- Used as basis for references included in the Preamble (preliminary draft outline of Rec)
- Includes legally-binding instruments and soft standards of the CoE (intergovernmental work, Parliamentary Assembly and Congress of local and regional authorities) + an internal CoE Instruction of the SG on non-sexist language (1994)

Compilation (cont.)

- Reference document that will be kept under review and made available to members of the Drafting Committee
- Useful to get additional docs: Court factsheet on gender equality (and the version in our website)
- To be updated with 2 additional entries:
 - CoE Plan of Action on Strengthening Judicial Independence and Impartiality (April 2016)
 - CM Guidelines to MS on the Protection and Promotion of HH.RR. in Culturally Diverse Societies (March 2016)

New entries:

- Action Plan on Judicial Independence and Impartiality (2016-2021)
 - Action 2.4: "Measures should be taken to <u>tackle</u> the harmful impact of stereotyping on judicial decision-making" "efforts should be undertaken to <u>fight gender stereotyping within the judiciary</u>
- Guidelines on Protection and Promotion of Human Rights: references to gender equality (32), countering negative stereotypes (35), role of media (69), private sector (71) and education (73) in countering/breaking down negative stereoypes.