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Meeting: 1201 meeting (3-5 June 2014) (DH)

Item reference: Communication from the applicants' representatives (04/04/2014) in the cases of Zabou and others, Epiphaniou and others (Xenides-Arestis group) against Turkey (Applications No. 16654/90 and 19900/92)

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Réunion : 1201 réunion (3-5 juin 2014) (DH)

Référence du point : Communication des représentants des requérants dans les affaires Zabou et autres, Epiphaniou et autres (groupe Xenides-Arestis) contre Turquie (requêtes n° 16654/90 et 19900/92) (*anglais uniquement*)

Informations mises à disposition en vertu de la Règle 9.1 des Règles du Comité des Ministres pour la surveillance de l'exécution des arrêts et des termes des règlements amiables.

DH-DD(2014)486: Applicants' representatives in Zabou & Epiphaniou & others against Turkey.
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Case of Zavou & others v. Turkey – Application no. 16654/90

Applicants No. 1 - Soulla Zavou, No.2 – Lenia Chrysostomou, No.3 – Anastasia Evangelides,
No.4 - Maro Pouyiourou

Case of Epiphaniou & others v. Turkey – Application no. 19900/92

No.1 – Phanos Epiphaniou, No.2 – Sofi Phitidou, No.3 – Kleanthis Stavri, No.4 – Christodoulos Demetriades, No.6 - Anastasis Georgiou

The undersigned has acted on behalf of the above Applicants in the above cases, judgments in which were given on 26/10/2010. By the said judgments the Court held that *the respondent State is to pay the Applicants, within three months from the date on which the judgments become final in accordance with Article 44 § 2 of the Convention* the damages and costs referred to therein together with interest thereon. The judgments became final in accordance with Article 44 § 2 of the Convention, however no payment whatsoever has ever been made.

The persons entitled are all still subjected to the traumatic consequences of the displacement in 1974 and in need to have their judgment rights satisfied. They have repeatedly inquired as to when execution is to be initiated and as to whether the satisfaction decided by the Court is to be in fact and not only on paper.

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I understand that the cases remain on your agenda until payment of the whole of the sums in question including default interest. You are therefore requested to communicate to the attention of the Committee of Ministers our clients' complaints.

Please acknowledge receipt hereof and let us know of the steps to be taken by your Department and the decision of the Committee of Ministers.

Thanking you in anticipation.

Yours sincerely,



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