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Committee on Legal Affairs and Human Rights

Draft agenda

for the meetings to be held in London on:

- **Monday 1 December 2025 from 9.30am to 1pm and from 2.30 to 5.30pm**
- **Tuesday 2 December 2025 from 9.30am to 1pm (Sub-Committee on the implementation of judgments of the European Court of Human Rights) – [see separate agenda](#)**

Venue: Attlee Suite, Portcullis House
1 Victoria Embankment, London SW1A 2LW

This draft agenda, addressed to full members of the Committee and their alternates, is the convocation to the meeting

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Monday 1 December 2025

Arrival of members at meeting venue and registration at 9am

1. Agenda

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Adoption of the agenda

2. Opening session

Welcoming addresses by:

- The Lord Gardiner of Kimble, Senior Deputy Speaker, House of Lords, Parliament of the United Kingdom;
- Ms Despina Chatzivassiliou, Secretary General of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe

3. Exchange of views with the Rt Hon David Lammy MP, Deputy Prime Minister, Lord Chancellor and Secretary of State for Justice, United Kingdom

4. Minutes

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Approval of the minutes of the meeting held in Strasbourg during the fourth part-session 2025

5. The European Convention on Human Rights: rising to the challenges of our times [at 11.15am]

Exchange of views with Mr Tim Eicke KC, Essex Court Chambers, London, Judge at the European Court of Human Rights in respect of the United Kingdom (2016-2025)

6. Regulating foreign influence: best practices and European standards

Rapporteur: Mr Emanuelis Zingeris (Lithuania, EPP/CD)

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Consideration of a draft report

7. Towards the universal abolition of the death penalty in all circumstances

[\[AS/Jur \(2025\) 33\]](#)

Consideration of a draft motion for a resolution to be tabled on behalf of the committee

8. How to ensure that the Russian Federation implements the judgments of the European Court of Human Rights, including paying the compensation awarded

Rapporteur: Mr Tony Vaughan (United Kingdom, SOC)

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Consideration of an introductory memorandum

9. Work programme

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9.1 Appointment of a rapporteur for report

- Justice delayed: the unfinished implementation of the Daphne Caruana Galizia case ([Doc. 16223](#))
- European Convention on Human Rights: 75 years and beyond

9.2 Reference for consultation

- The European Prisons Charter ([Doc. 16209](#))

9.3 Reference for information

- Concerns regarding democratic representation following the 2025 Bundestag elections in Germany ([Doc. 16216](#))

9.4 Reference

- Ensuring accountability for the downing of Azerbaijan Airlines flight 8243 and preventing risks of military targeting of civil aircrafts ([Doc. 16234](#))

10. Exchange of views with members of the House of Lords Constitution Committee, United Kingdom [at 2.30pm]

[\[The rule of law: holding the line against tyranny and anarchy, House of Lords Constitution Committee\]](#)

Exchange of views with the participation of:

- Lord Burnett of Maldon
- Lord Griffiths of Burry Port

11. Use of artificial intelligence by parliaments: risks and opportunities

Rapporteur: Mr Daniel Milewski (Poland, ECPA)

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Consideration of an introductory memorandum

12. Accountability for the Russian Federation's war of aggression against Ukraine

Rapporteur: Mr Titus Corlăţean (Romania, SOC)

Statement by the rapporteur

13. Exchange of views with members of the Joint Committee on Human Rights of the Parliament of the United Kingdom [at 3.30pm]

i. Fighting back against transnational repression

Rapporteur: Mr Constantinos Efstathiou (Cyprus, SOC)

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[Transnational repression in the UK, Joint Committee on Human Rights\]](#)

ii. Safeguarding human rights in the artificial intelligence-driven public sector

Rapporteur: Ms Gala Veldhoen (Netherlands, SOC)

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Exchange of views with the participation of:

- Mr Alex Sobel MP;
- Lord Murray of Blidworth

14. Exchange of views with Mr Alan Mitchell, President of the European Committee for the Prevention of Torture and Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment (CPT) [at 4.30pm]

[\[CPT/Inf\(2025\)06 - 34th General Report](#)

[Res. 2528](#)

[AS/Jur \(2025\) 22\]](#)

15. Ensuring better protection of whistle-blowers in Europe

Rapporteur: Ms Anna-Kristiina Mikkonen (Finland, SOC)

[\[AS/Jur \(2024\) 22\]](#)

Statement by the rapporteur

16. Reporting back on participation in meetings

Reports by the following representatives:

- 84th meeting of the Council for Democratic Elections (CDE), Venice, 8 October 2025: Mr Pablo Hispán (Spain, EPP/CD)
- Event on the death penalty organised by the Moroccan *Conseil National des Droits de l'Homme*, Rabat, 10 October 2025: Ms Gala Veldhoen (Netherlands, SOC)
- 101st Plenary meeting of the Group of States against Corruption (GRECO), Strasbourg, 18-21 November 2025: Ms Arusyak Julhakyan (Armenia, EPP/CD)

17. Other business

18. Next meetings

- during the Assembly's first part-session of 2026 (26-30 January 2026)
- 16 March 2026, Paris Office
- during the Assembly's second part-session of 2026 (20-24 April 2026)
- 18 May 2026, Paris Office (tbc)
- during the Assembly's third part-session of 2026 (22-26 June 2026)
- 9 September 2026, Paris Office (tbc)
- during the Assembly's fourth part-session of 2026 (28 September – 2 October 2026)
- 9 December 2026, Paris Office (tbc)