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Bureau of the Assembly

Revised draft agenda

This draft agenda, addressed to members of the Bureau of the Assembly, is the convocation to the meeting

Copy to secretaries of delegations and political groups,
and Heads of Secretariats of the Assembly's general committees

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Date: Thursday 26 November 2026, from 2.30 pm to 5.30 pm

Venue: Budva, Montenegro, Splendid Conference & Spa Resort, Hall of Dynasties

1. Communication by the President
[AS/Bur (2026) 51]

2. Agenda
[AS/Bur (2026) OJ 12rev]

Draft decision: to adopt the agenda.

3. Minutes
[AS/Bur (2026) PV 10; AS/Bur (2026) PV 11]

Draft decision: to approve the minutes of the meetings held on 28 September and 2 October 2026.

4. Meeting of the Standing Committee in Budva, Montenegro (27 November 2026)

4.1. Requests for current affairs debates
[Letters]

- *The involvement of the European left in widespread violent riots* (at the request of the ECPA Group)
- *The root causes of growing social unrest in Europe: inequality, exclusion and the erosion of democratic rights* (at the request of the UEL Group)

Draft decision: to decide whether to recommend to the Standing Committee to hold these debates and, if so, to appoint the first speakers.

4.2. Consideration of the draft agenda
[AS/Per (2026) OJ 02rev]

Draft decision: to take note of the draft agenda.

5. Dialogue with the Deputy Secretary General of the Council of Europe

6. First part-session of 2027 (Strasbourg, 25 - 29 January 2027)

6.1. Preliminary draft agenda

Draft decision: to draw up the preliminary draft agenda for the first part-session of 2027.

7. References and transmissions to committees
[AS/Bur (2026) 52; Letter]

Draft decision: to approve the proposals contained in the document, to be ratified by the Standing Committee.

8. Election observation

8.1. Bosnia and Herzegovina: general elections (4 October 2026)
[Report]

Draft decision: to approve the report on the observation of these elections.

8.2. Serbia: early parliamentary elections (25 October 2026)
[Statements]

Draft decision: to take note of the statement of the pre-electoral mission, as well as the statement by the observation mission.

8.3. Serbia: early presidential election (December 2026, date tbc)
[List of members]

Draft decision: to approve the list of members of the *ad hoc* committee to observe this election, subject to receiving an invitation.

8.4. Kyrgyzstan: presidential election (27 January 2027)
[Revised list of members]

Draft decision: to approve the revised list of members of the *ad hoc* committee to observe this election.

8.5. Schedule of the elections in 2027
[AS/Bur (2026) 53]

Draft decision: to take note of the calendar.

8.6. Joint event "Towards Resilient Electoral Processes: Preventing and Countering Foreign Interference" (venue to be confirmed, 18-19 February 2027), organised by the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe, the Congress of Local and Regional Authorities and the Venice Commission
[Concept note; programme]

Draft decision: to set up an *ad hoc* committee of the Bureau to participate in this event.

9. Modalities for exceptional online participation in committee work – follow-up to Resolution 2634(2025) and Resolution 2615(2025)
[AS/Bur (2026) 57]

Draft decision: to approve the memorandum prepared by the Secretariat.

10. Issues raised by Committees

10.1. Committee on Culture, Science, Education and Media
[Letter]

Draft decision: to decide whether to authorise Mr Benjamin Dalle (Belgium, EPP/CD) to carry out a fact-finding visit to Gaza and Israel in his capacity as rapporteur on *Protecting the right to education in Gaza,* at the beginning of 2027 (dates to be confirmed), subject to security conditions.

11. Vigdís Prize for Women's Empowerment
[Calendar]

Draft decision: to take note of the calendar 2027 edition of the Prize.

12. Other business

<u>Items possibly to be dealt with without debate</u>:

13. [Possibly] Composition of the Committee on the Honouring of Obligations and Commitments by Member States of the Council of Europe (Monitoring Committee), the Committee on Rules, Ethics and Immunities and the Committee on the Election of Judges to the European Court of Human Rights
[Lists of members]

Draft decision: to approve the lists of members.

14. Date and place of next meeting

Monday 7 December 2026, 9:00 am, Vienna;
Monday 25 January 2027, 8:00 am, Strasbourg (part-session);
Friday 29 January 2027, 8:30 am, Strasbourg (part-session).