



98th meeting of the European Committee on Legal Co-operation (CDCJ)

1-3 June 2022

Strasbourg, Palais de l'Europe, Room 6

Annotated Agenda

1. Opening of the meeting

2. Adoption of the agenda and order of business

Working documents

Draft agenda

CDCJ(2022)OJ1 prov2

Annotated draft agenda and order of business

CDCJ(2022)OJ1ANN

The CDCJ is invited to adopt the agenda and order of business of the meeting.

3. Statement of the Chair and Secretariat

Oral information

Background documents

Council of Europe response to the aggression of the Russian Federation against Ukraine

- *Resolution on legal and financial consequences of the suspension of the Russian Federation from its rights of representation in the Council of Europe*
- *Resolution on the cessation of the membership of the Russian Federation to the Council of Europe*
- *Resolution on legal and financial consequences of the cessation of membership of the Russian Federation in the Council of Europe*

[CM/Res\(2022\)1](#)

[CM/Res\(2022\)2](#)

[CM/Res\(2022\)3](#)

2022 annual report of the Secretary General of the Council of Europe: "Moving forward"

[Report](#)

Council of Europe Digital Agenda 2022-2025: Protecting human rights, democracy and the rule of law in the digital environment

[Digital agenda](#)

The CDCJ is invited to take note of the information provided by the Chair and the Secretariat.

4.	Tour de table: interventions by newly designated members of the CDCJ	Oral information
	<u>Background document</u> <i>List of CDCJ members (updated: 30 May 2022)</i>	List
	<p>Since the last CDCJ plenary meeting (1-3 December 2021), new members joined the committee. The Chair will welcome and invite the new members to introduce themselves, and to present their countries' priorities in the CDCJ's areas of work.</p>	
5.	Review of progress	
	<u>Working document</u> Workplan of priority actions and activities of CDCJ for 2022-2025	CDCJ(2022)15
	<u>Background documents</u>	
	<i>Overview of written procedures</i>	CDCJ(2022)08 rev1 (restricted)
	<i>Overview of conventions and agreements under the responsibility of the CDCJ</i>	CDCJ(2022)INF06
	<i>Review of action taken by the CDCJ to legal instruments prepared by the CDCJ and to recommendations adopted by the Parliamentary Assembly and the Congress of Local and Regional Authorities</i>	CDCJ(2022)09
	<p>The CDCJ is invited to review the workplan, considering the progress of the implementation of the activities, and, where necessary, agree to revise the timelines and/or re-prioritise activities to be conducted in the quadrennium, in view of also informing the Committee of Ministers in due course of any delay, postponement or discontinuation of an activity.</p>	

Justice and the Rule of Law

5.1	Review of the implementation of the Sofia Action Plan on judicial independence and impartiality	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Examination and approval of the report of the CDCJ to the Secretary General – with the participation Ms Mjriana Visentin, CDCJ consultant 	
	<u>Working document</u> Draft report	CDCJ(2022)07 prov2 (restricted)
	<u>Background documents</u> <i>Draft detailed outline</i> <i>Council of Europe Plan of Action on Strengthening Judicial Independence and Impartiality (Sofia Action Plan)</i>	CDCJ-BU(2021)9 Plan of Action

Responses received from member States and [CDCJ-BU\(2021\)10](#) (restricted) members of the Conference of INGOs

The CDCJ is invited to:

- examine and approve the report on the review of the implementation of the [Council of Europe Plan of Action Plan of on Strengthening judicial independence and impartiality](#) (“Sofia Action Plan”) as well as to decide on next steps;
- instruct the Secretariat to finalise the report in line with the changes agreed by the committee and to transmit the approved report to the Secretary General for her consideration.

5.2 Protection of the profession of lawyer – Committee of Experts - CJ-AV (main deliverable 1)

- Update by the Chair of the CJ-AV and next steps
- Exchange of views

CDCJ(2022)16

Background documents

Report of the 1st meeting of the CJ-AV (6-8 April 2022)

[CJ-AV\(2022\)04](#)

Study on the feasibility of a new European legal instrument

[Feasibility study](#)

CJ-AV members (as of 15 March 2022)

[CDCJ\(2022\)INF04](#)

CJ-AV Terms of Reference for 2022-2023

[Terms of Reference](#)

The CDCJ is invited to:

- take note of the oral information provided by the Chair of the Committee of experts on the protection of lawyers (CJ-AV), and Jeremy McBride, the CJ-AV consultant, on the results of the first meeting;
- take note of the report of the first meeting of the CJ-AV (6-8 April 2022);
- exchange views on the first proposals for elements and the nature of the future instrument, taking into account the proposals and views of the CJ-AV, in order to provide the necessary guidance to the CJ-AV for the development of an instrument ensuring the most effective and practical protection possible for lawyers in exercising their profession safely and independently.

Family law and children’s rights

5.3 Rights and best interests of the child in parental separation and in care proceedings – Committee of Experts - CJ/ENF-ISE (main deliverable 2)

- State of progress of the elaboration of the draft recommendation and explanatory memorandum
- Hearing of relevant stakeholders and high-level event organised in the framework of

Oral information

the Irish Presidency of the Committee of Ministers (May-November 2022)

Background documents

Concept note on the hearing of relevant stakeholders [CJ/ENF-ISE\(2022\)05](#)

Priorities of the Irish Presidency of the Council of Europe [CM/Inf\(2022\)14](#)

Report of the 5th meeting of CJ/ENF-ISE (2-4 May 2022) [CJ/ENF-ISE\(2022\)PV1](#)

Report of the 4th meeting of CJ/ENF-ISE (13-14 December 2021) [CJ/ENF-ISE\(2021\)PV2](#)

CJ/ENF-ISE Working methods and workplan (proposals) [CJ/ENF-ISE\(2022\)01](#)

CJ/ENF-ISE Members (as of 31 March 2022) [List](#)

CJ/ENF-ISE Terms of Reference for 2022-2023 [Terms of reference](#)

The CDCJ is invited to :

- hear an oral information provided by the Chair of the CJ/ENF-ISE, Mr Seamus Carroll, on the state of progress of the elaboration of the draft recommendation and take note of the reports of the fourth and fifth meetings of the CJ/ENF-ISE (13-14 December 2021 and 2-4 May 2022 respectively);
- welcome the organisation of the intergovernmental conference on “*Upholding the Best Interests of Children in Family Law*” in the framework of the Irish Presidency of the Committee of Ministers of the Council of Europe’s Council of Europe’s and call on interested CDCJ members to contribute to this event;
- to take note that this conference will be organised back-to-back with the 6th meeting of the CJ/ENF-ISE and the hearing of stakeholders;
- hear the oral information provided by Mr Carroll on the session on the promotion of legal clinics as a means of strengthening children’s access to justice held during the High-level Launching Conference for the Strategy for the Rights of the Child 2022-2027 (Rome, 7-8 April 2022) and take note of any relevance it may have for the planned work of the CDCJ for 2024-2025.

5.4 Rights of donor-conceived persons to know their origins (*main deliverable 10*)

- Review and approval of the draft comparative study – with the participation of Professor Jean-René Binet, CDCJ consultant Oral information
- Thematic exchange on:
 - the member States’ perspectives on the rights of parents and the rights of the child

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- the options and feasibility of elaborating a draft recommendation on the topic CDCJ(2021)20 prov2 (*restricted*)

Working documents

Draft comparative study CDCJ(2022)10 (*restricted*)

Comments and drafting amendments received on the draft study (document CDCJ(2021)20prov2) CDCJ(2022)11

Thematic exchange: issues for consideration regarding the possible options and feasibility of elaborating a draft recommendation on the topic [CDCJ\(2022\)06](#)

Background documents

Responses received from member States to the questionnaire [CDCJ\(2021\)6](#)

Workplan and working methods approved by the Bureau, including the Terms of Reference for the consultant in Appendix II

Committee of Ministers' reply to [Parliamentary Assembly Recommendation 2156 \(2019\) - Anonymous donation of sperm and oocytes: balancing the rights of parents, donors and children](#) [CM/AS\(2019\)Rec2156-final - para. 7](#)

The CDCJ is invited to:

- examine the revised draft comparative study; to request the consultant and the Secretariat to finalise the study in the light of the written and oral comments, as well as the results of the discussion at the plenary, in view of approving the revised version of the study by written procedure after the meeting and to authorise its subsequent publication on the CDCJ website (with the consent of the author);
- hold an exchange of views on the rights of parents and the child, and options and feasibility of elaborating a legal instrument on the topic
- decide on the follow-up action by the CDCJ and if appropriate, agree to prioritise this activity, to be reflected accordingly in the reviewed workplan for the activities to be conducted in the quadrennium, in view of also informing the Committee of Ministers in due course of any delay, postponement or discontinuation of this or any other activity.

5.5 Report on the state of play of the implementation of the European Convention on the Legal Status of Children born out of Wedlock - ETS No. 85, including proposals for follow-up deliverables (*main deliverable 12*)

- Proposals for possible follow-up action(s) to the evaluation report on the European Convention on the Legal Status of Children born out of Wedlock - ETS No. 85 Oral information
- Thematic exchange

Working document

CDCJ-BU(2022)02 rev

Possible follow-up action(s) to the evaluation report on the European Convention on the Legal Status of Children Born out of Wedlock – ETS No. 85

Background documents

Report on the review of the implementation of ETS No. 85

CDCJ(2021)29

Work by the Hague Conference: Reports on the 10th and 11th meetings of Experts' Group on the Parentage / Surrogacy Project (November 2021 and March/April 2022 respectively)

[Report of the 10th meeting \(2021\)](#)

[Report of the 11th meeting \(2022\)](#)

Work of the International Social Service (ISS): Principles for the protection of the rights of the child born through surrogacy (Verona principles) (March 2022)

[Verona Principles](#)

European Convention on the Legal Status of Children born out of Wedlock – ETS No. 85

[ETS No. 85](#)

Reply of the Committee of Ministers to the Written Question No. 750 by Mr Alexander Christiansson: "Presumed violation of the European Convention on the Legal Status of Children born out of Wedlock"

[Committee of Ministers' Decision](#)

The CDCJ is invited to:

- examine the proposals developed by the CDCJ Bureau for possible follow-up to be given to the report on the state of play of the implementation of the European Convention on the Legal Status of Children born out of Wedlock (ETS No. 85) and held an exchange on the theme;
- take a decision on possible follow-up action by the CDCJ, taking into account of the outcome of the exchanges to be held under this item and also under item 5.4;
- if appropriate, agree to prioritise this activity, to be reflected accordingly in the reviewed workplan for the activities to be conducted in the quadrennium, in view of also informing the Committee of Ministers in due course of any delay, postponement or discontinuation of this or any other activity.

5.6 Report on the state of play of the implementation of Recommendation CM/Rec(2015)4 on preventing and resolving disputes related to child relocation, including proposals for follow-up deliverables (main deliverable 6)

Background documents

Report on the evaluation of the implementation of Recommendation CM/Rec(2015)4 on preventing and resolving disputes on child relocation

CDCJ(2021)27 prov2

Recommendation CM/Rec(2015)4 on preventing and resolving disputes on child relocation

[CM/Rec\(2015\)4](#)

The CDCJ is invited to adopt the revised final report on the evaluation of the implementation of Recommendation CM/Rec(2015)4 on preventing and resolving disputes on child relocation and authorise its publication on the CDCJ website (with the consent of the author).

Public Law

5.7 Administrative detention of migrants - Limited working group of CDCJ - CDCJ-MIG: Guide for practitioners (*main deliverable 8*)

- Update by the Secretariat
- Exchange of views on selected issues

Oral information

Working document

Draft detailed outline of the guide

CDCJ-MIG(2022)02 prov (restricted)

Background documents

CDCJ-MIG workplan and working methods

CDCJ-MIG members

CDCJ-MIG Terms of Reference

CDCJ-MIG(2022)01 prov (restricted)

CDCJ(2022)INF05 rev

[Excerpt of CDCJ\(2021\)21 final](#)

The CDCJ is invited to:

- take note of the update provided by the Secretariat;
- examine the draft outline and agree on issues to be addressed in the draft guide to be prepared by the end of 2022;
- provide appropriate guidance to the CDCJ-MIG.

5.8 Statelessness and the right to a nationality: follow-up activities

- Final report on the International Conference and technical meeting on "Statelessness and the right to a nationality" (Strasbourg, 23-24 September 2021)
- Bureau's proposals for follow up activities

Background documents

Final Report

CDCJ(2022)12

Bureau's proposals for follow-up activities agreed by the CDCJ at its 97th Plenary meeting (1-3 December 2021)

CDCJ(2021)18

The CDCJ is invited to:

- take note of the final report on the International Conference and technical meeting on "Statelessness and the right to a nationality" (Strasbourg, 23-24 September 2021) and approved it;
- invite the CDCJ-MIG to take into account the follow-up activity proposals that concern the issue of statelessness and develop them further at their next meeting.

Promoting and facilitating the functioning of Conventions within the CDCJ's area of competence (main task (iii))

5.9 Report on the state of play and assessment of the implementation of the European Convention on Information on Foreign Law (ETS No. 62) and its additional protocol (ETS No. 97); proposals for follow-up deliverables, communication and awareness-raising activities (main deliverable 4)

- Review and approval of draft concept note and questionnaire

Oral information

Working documents

Updated concept paper on possible activities for promoting and implementing ETS Nos. 62 and 97

CDCJ(2021)8 rev2

Draft evaluation questionnaire to member States

CDCJ(2022)02 prov

Background documents

European Convention on Information on Foreign Law – ETS No. 62 and Additional Protocol – ETS No. 97

[ETS No. 62](#)
and [ETS No. 97](#)

The CDCJ is invited to:

- take note of the information provided by the Chair on the discussions held within the Bureau after the plenary meeting in December 2021, regarding the CDCJ activities related to the promotion and the evaluation of the implementation of the European Convention on Information on Foreign Law (ETS No. 62) and its Additional Protocol (ETS No. 97), to be achieved by the end of 2023 according to the CDCJ terms of reference;
- in light of this information, review and approve the updated concept paper and the draft evaluation questionnaire to member States, and, if need be, give appropriate guidance to its Bureau and/or to the Secretariat.

Technological developments, including artificial intelligence

5.10 Administration and Artificial Intelligence - CDCJ-ADMIN-AI

- Update on progress, revised workplan and next steps

Oral information

Working document

Revised activity workplan for 2021-2022 and next steps

CDCJ-BU(2021)11 rev2

Background documents

CDCJ-ADMIN-AI Terms of Reference

[CM\(2022\)7](#)– Appendix IV

The CDCJ is invited to:

- take a decision concerning the CDCJ-ADMIN-AI, considering the absence nominations for the members of the Limited Working Group of experts;

- approve the revised workplan of the CDCJ limited working group of experts to update the handbook “The Administration and You” - CDCJ-ADMIN-AI, and decide on the next steps proposed for this activity, as both appear in document CDCJ-BU(2021)11 rev2.

5.11 Review of legal instruments falling under its responsibility in the light of technological developments to assess implementing challenges and proposals for follow-up deliverables (main deliverable 7)

- Proposed concept and workplan

Working document

Draft concept and workplan

CDCJ(2022)13 prov

The CDCJ is invited to examine and approve the proposed concept and workplan for the review of legal instruments falling under the CDCJ responsibility and proposals for follow-up deliverables, to be achieved by the end of 2023.

Follow-up and promotion of the implementation of the non-binding instruments prepared by CDCJ, and if appropriate of others within its area of competence (main task iv)

5.12 Report on the state of play of the implementation of Recommendation CM/Rec(2014)7 on the protection of whistleblowers, including proposals for follow-up deliverables (main deliverable 12)

- Review and approval of the draft report – with the participation of Ms Ana Myers, CDCJ consultant
- Exchange of views on proposals for follow-up deliverables to the report

Working documents

Draft report on the evaluation of Recommendation CM/Rec(2014)7

CDCJ(2022)01 prov2 (restricted)

Comments received on the draft evaluation report

CDCJ(2022)14 (restricted)

Background document

Recommendation CM/Rec(2014)7 on the protection of whistleblowers

[CM/Rec\(2014\)7](#)

The CDCJ is invited to:

- examine, in the light of the comments received from member states, the draft report prepared by Ms Myers, CDCJ consultant, on the evaluation of CM/Rec(2014)7; approve the report and authorise its publication on the CDCJ website (with the consent of the author);
- exchange views on proposals for follow-up deliverables to the report and provide appropriate guidance and/or instructions for the next steps .

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6. **Transversal issues:**
Mainstreamed perspectives: Gender, youth, children's rights, rights of persons with disabilities, and Roma and Traveller issues mainstreaming (*main task xiv*)

Oral information

Background documents

Council of Europe Strategy for the Rights of the Child (2022-2027): Children's Rights in Action: from continuous implementation to joint innovation

[Strategy](#)

Recommendation of the Committee of Ministers to member States on protecting the rights of migrant, refugee and asylum-seeking women and girls

The CDCJ is invited to take note of the oral information provided by the Council of Europe Child Rights Coordinator and the Secretariat of the Drafting Committee on Migrant Women (GEC-MIG) on transversal issues that the committee shall take into account in its work, with a primarily focus on gender and children's rights at this stage given the related activities being undertaken by the CDCJ in the first biennium of its 4-year mandate.

7. **Observers**

- Examination of possible criteria to assess requests of observer status with the CDCJ and its subordinate bodies

Working document

Possible criteria to assess requests to observer status with the CDCJ and its subordinate bodies and decision-making process

CDCJ-BU(2022)03

Background document

Admission of new observers: possible criteria and applicable procedures

[CDCJ\(2022\)03](#)

The CDCJ is invited to:

- examine and approve the applicable criteria and procedures for granting observer status within the committee and its subordinate bodies and decision-making process;
- take note of the requests for observer status received as of February 2022 and instruct the Secretariat to proceed with the necessary arrangements for the assessment and decision making to take place at its next meeting.

8. **Visibility of the work and deliverables of the CDCJ**

- Exchange of views on key events of the CDCJ (2022-2023)
- Translation of legal instruments prepared by the CDCJ into non-official languages of the Council of Europe

Oral information

Background documents

Translation of legal instruments prepared by the CDCJ into non-official languages of the Council of Europe

[CDCJ\(2022\)INF03](#)

Newsletter N°1

The CDCJ is invited to:

- review the key CDCJ events foreseen in 2022-2023 and exchange views on improving the visibility of the work and deliverables of the CDCJ including the anniversary dates in 2023, , and provide guidance accordingly;
- take note of the information provided by the Secretariat on the state of play of possible translation of legal instruments prepared by the CDCJ into non-official languages of the Council of Europe.

9. Legislative developments in member states in the areas of public and private law

Oral information

The CDCJ is invited to take note of the oral information provided by member States on the recent or envisaged key developments in the areas of public and private law in their respective countries, in connection with the work of the CDCJ.

10. Co-operation with other international organisations and civil society and work of other relevant Council of Europe bodies and committees

Oral information

Background document

Abridged report of the first plenary meeting of the Committee on Artificial Intelligence – CAI (4-6 April 2022)

[CM\(2022\)68](#)

The CDCJ is invited to

- take note of the information provided regarding the co-operation with other international organisations and civil society and also with other relevant Council of Europe bodies and committees;
- take note of the oral update provided by the Secretariat of the Committee on Artificial Intelligence (CAI) on the work of the CAI.

11. Appointments

- CDCJ representatives
- Rapporteur on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities

Working document

CDCJ participation in the work and meetings of other Council of Europe bodies or other events - CDCJ representatives and substitutes and thematic rapporteurs for 2022

CDCJ(2021)31

Background document*List of CDCJ members (updated: 30 May 2022)*

The CDCJ is invited to:

- complete the appointments made by its Bureau earlier this year to fill the vacant positions of CDCJ representatives/substitutes to ensure the best possible CDCJ participation in the work of other committees/bodies where the CDCJ input is needed, and its expertise relevant;
- appoint, in accordance with its terms of reference, a Rapporteur on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities.

12. CDCJ Opinions (if any) *(main deliverable 15)*

If need be, the CDCJ is invited to take decisions or provide appropriate guidance, in respect of possible comments on adopted texts that the Committee of Ministers transmit to the CDCJ for opinion.

13. Any other business

Delegations are invited to raise, prior or at the early beginning of the meeting, any other issues and present them.

14. Date and place of next meetingWorking document

Calendar of meetings/events for 2022

CDCJ(2022)04 rev2

The CDCJ is invited to confirm the dates of the next plenary meeting (28-30 November or 7-9 December 2022) and to agree on the dates of the other meetings/events scheduled for 2022.

15. Approval of the abridged meeting report

CDCJ(2022)17 prov

Subject to the pace of the meeting and time available, the CDCJ is invited to approve the abridged meeting report at the plenary meeting or otherwise to approve both the abridged report and the full meeting report by written procedure shortly after the meeting.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

Date	All times indicated	Agenda items
Wednesday 1 June 2022 (morning session)	9h30 – 12h30 CET	Items 1, 2, 3, 4 Item 5.2 (<i>CJ-AV - exchange</i>) Item 5.3 (<i>CJ/ENF-ISE</i>) Item 5.6 (<i>CM/Rec(2015)4- child relocation</i>)
Wednesday 1 June 2022 (afternoon session)	14h00 - 17h30 CET	Item 5.1 (<i>Sofia Action Plan -exchange with the consultant and thematic discussion</i>) Item 5.8 (<i>Statelessness</i>) Item 5.7 (<i>CDCJ-MIG - exchange</i>)
Thursday 2 June 2022 (morning session)	9h30 - 12h30 CET	Item 5.12 (<i>CM/Rec(2014)7 – whistleblowers protection - exchange with the consultant and thematic discussion</i>) Item 5.10 (<i>CDCJ-ADMIN-AI</i>) Item 5.9 (<i>ETS 62 and 97</i>) Item 7 (<i>observer status</i>) Item 6 (<i>mainstreamed perspectives</i>)
Thursday 2 June 2022 (afternoon session)	14h00 - 17h30 CET	Item 10 (<i>co-operation</i>) Item 9 (<i>legislative developments</i>) Item 11 (<i>appointments</i>) Item 8 (<i>visibility - exchange</i>) Item 12 (<i>opinions, if any</i>)
Friday 3 June 2022 (morning session)	9h30 – 12h30 CET	Item 5.4 (<i>access to origins - exchange with the consultant and thematic discussion</i>) Item 5.5 (<i>ETS 85 – exchange and thematic discussion</i>) Item 5.11 (<i>review of instruments</i>) Item 5. (<i>review of progress and workplan</i>)
Friday 3 June 2022 (afternoon session)	14h00 – 17h00 CET	Item 13 (<i>other business</i>) Item 14 (<i>next meeting</i>) Item 15 (<i>abridged report</i>)

WORKING DOCUMENTS

Working documents are made available on the CDCJ restricted website.

www.coe.int/cdcj

GENERAL REFERENCE DOCUMENTS

Terms of reference	CDCJ Terms of reference 2022-2025
CM/Res(2021)3	Resolution CM/Res(2021)3 on intergovernmental committees and subordinate bodies, their terms of reference and working methods
CDCJ(2021)24	Working methods of CDCJ – adopted by written procedure on 2 September 2014, revised by the CDCJ Bureau during its 102 nd meeting (29-30 June 2017) and revised by the CDCJ at its 97 th meeting (1-3 December 2021)

RECENT CDCJ MEETING REPORTS

CDCJ(2020)8	Report of the 95 th meeting of CDCJ (4-5 and 23-24 November 2020) (long version)
CM(2021)36	Abridged report of the 95 th meeting of CDCJ (4-5 and 23-24 November 2020)
CDCJ-BU(2020)13	Report of the Extraordinary meeting of the CDCJ Bureau (11 December 2020)
CDCJ-BU(2021)7	Report of the 109 th meeting of the CDCJ Bureau (23-24 February 2021)
CDCJ-BU(2021)14	Report of the 110 th meeting of the CDCJ Bureau (20-21 April 2021)
CDCJ(2021)15	Report of the 96 th plenary meeting of the CDCJ (17 May 2021) (long version)
CM(2021)77	Abridged report of the 96 th plenary meeting of the CDCJ (17 May 2021)
CDCJ-BU(2021)16	Report of the 111 th meeting of the CDCJ Bureau (14-15 October 2021) (restricted)
CDCJ(2021)34	Report of the 97 th plenary meeting of the CDCJ (1-3 December 2021) (long version)
CM(2022)7	Abridged report of the 97 th meeting of the CDCJ (1-3 December 2021)
CDCJ-BU(2022)01	Report of the 112 th meeting of the CDCJ Bureau (3-4 February 2022) (restricted)
CDCJ-BU(2022)04	Report of the 113 th meeting of the CDCJ Bureau (16-17 March 2022) (restricted)

RECENT MEETING REPORTS OF CDCJ SUBORDINATE BODIES

CJ/ENF-ISE(2021)PV2	Report of the 4 th meeting of CJ/ENF-ISE (13-14 December 2021)
CJ-AV(2022)04	Report of the 1 st meeting of the CJ-AV (6-8 April 2022)
CJ/ENF-ISE(2022)PV1	Report of the 5 th meeting of CJ/ENF-ISE (2-4 May 2022)

RECENT CDCJ PUBLICATIONS

May 2022	Report on the state of play of the European Convention on the Legal Status of Children born out of Wedlock – ETS no. 85
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Action (Summary)

Items for information
<p>1. Opening of the meeting</p> <p>3. Statement by the Chair and Secretariat</p> <p>4. Tour de Table: interventions by newly designated members of the CDCJ</p> <p>5.3 Rights and best interests of the child in parental separation and in care proceedings – CJ/ENF-ISE</p> <p>6. Transversal issues: mainstreamed perspectives</p> <p>9. Legislative developments in member states in the areas of public and private law</p> <p>10. Co-operation with other international organisations and civil society and with other relevant Council of Europe bodies and committees</p>
Items for decision
<p>2. Adoption of the Agenda and Order of business</p> <p>5. Review of progress: review of workplan and approval of changes (if any)</p> <p>5.1 Review of the implementation of the Sofia Action Plan on judicial independence and impartiality: review, approval of report and decision on follow-up</p> <p>5.2 Protection of the profession of lawyer – CJ-AV: orientations to CJ-AV</p> <p>5.4 Rights of donor-conceived persons to know their origins: approval of report, decision on publication and on next steps</p> <p>5.5 European Convention on the Legal Status of Children born out of Wedlock - ETS No. 85: decision on next steps (if any)</p> <p>5.6 State of play of the implementation of Recommendation CM/Rec(2015)4 on preventing and resolving disputes related to child relocation : adoption of report, decision on publication and on next steps (if any)</p> <p>5.7 Administrative detention of migrants (CDCJ-MIG): CDCJ orientations to be provided</p> <p>5.8 Statelessness and the right to a nationality: adoption of report and instructions to CDCJ-MIG for follow-up activities</p> <p>5.9 European Convention on Information on Foreign Law (ETS No. 62) and its additional protocol (ETS No. 97): approval of draft questionnaire and of revised concept note</p> <p>5.10 Administration and Artificial Intelligence – CDCJ-ADMIN-AI: approval of revised workplan and decision on next steps</p> <p>5.11 Review of legal instruments falling under its responsibility in the light of technological developments to assess implementing challenges and proposals for follow-up deliverables: approval of concept and workplan</p> <p>5.12 Recommendation CM/Rec(2014)7 on the protection of whistleblowers: adoption of final report, decision on publication and on next steps (if any)</p> <p>7. Observers: adoption of criteria to assess requests</p> <p>8. Visibility of the work and deliverables of the CDCJ: orientations for the preparation of the CDCJ's 2023 anniversary dates (60th anniversary/100th plenary meeting)</p> <p>11. Appointments of CDCJ representatives and substitutes</p> <p>12. CDCJ opinions (if any)</p> <p>14. Date and place of next meeting</p> <p>15. Approval of the abridged meeting report</p>