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**EUROPEAN COMMISSION FOR THE EFFICIENCY OF JUSTICE
(CEPEJ)**

39th plenary meeting

**6 and 7 December 2022
(Strasbourg)**

Abridged report

A. FOREWORD

The European Commission for the Efficiency of Justice (CEPEJ) of the Council of Europe held its 39th plenary meeting in Strasbourg (France) on 6 and 7 December 2022. The meeting was chaired by Ramin GARAGURBANLI (Azerbaijan), President of the CEPEJ.

The plenary meeting was opened by Frédéric DOLT, Head of the Department “Implementation of human rights standards, justice and legal co-operation,” who recalled the main work to be examined during this meeting.

The agenda and the list of participants are appended.

B. LIST OF ITEMS DISCUSSED AND DECISIONS TAKEN BY THE CEPEJ

The CEPEJ:

1. Recent developments in the field of justice in the Member and Observer States

- **took note** of the information provided by delegations of Austria, Croatia, Greece, Ireland, Israel, Latvia, Luxembourg, North Macedonia, Malta, Türkiye, and Ukraine on a number of significant developments in their countries since June 2022.

2. Artificial intelligence

- **took note** of the progress in the implementation of the “Revised Roadmap for ensuring an appropriate follow-up of the CEPEJ Ethical Charter on the use of artificial intelligence in judicial systems and their environment”¹ and, in particular, of the first assignments of the Advisory Bureau on Artificial Intelligence (AIAB), of its composition, and of the launch of the Resource Centre on Cyberjustice and Artificial Intelligence.

¹ CEPEJ(2021)16.

3. Quality of justice

- **adopted** the "Guidelines on gender diversity in the recruitment and promotion of judges"² and the Guide "Promoting mediation to resolve administrative disputes in Council of Europe member states"³;
- **took note** of the other work in progress within the CEPEJ-GT-QUAL, in particular on access to justice for people with disabilities and the evaluation of judges.

4. Cyberjustice

- **took note** of the ongoing work in the CEPEJ-GT-CYBERJUST on the revision of the ICT index, developed in the framework of the evaluation process of judicial systems and implemented under the authority of the Working Group on Evaluation (CEPEJ-GT-EVAL), judicial electronic auctions, public case law databases, and online alternative dispute resolution;
- **took note** of the activities of the European Cyberjustice Network, **invited** the Member States to make the best use of it, and **encouraged** those who have not yet designated members of the network to do so before the 3rd annual meeting to be held on 23 November 2023.

5. Judicial time management

- **adopted** the "Concept note on the preparation of a backlog reduction tool"⁴, **welcomed** the preparation of this future tool which would enable to respond to the requests of many States, particularly through bilateral cooperation, **and decided** to set up an *ad hoc* working group, made up in particular of members of each CEPEJ working group, to prepare it for the next plenary meeting in June 2023;
- **decided** to postpone the adoption of the "draft Revised Time Management Checklist"⁵ and its Explanatory Note⁶ until the next plenary meeting of the CEPEJ in order to take comments received during the meeting into account;
- **took note** of the other ongoing work in the CEPEJ-SATURN, in particular on the possible update of the Recommendation No.R(86)12 of the Committee of Ministers on measures to prevent and reduce excessive workload in the courts, and **invited** the other CEPEJ working groups to contribute to the draft CEPEJ opinion currently under preparation;
- **took note** of the activities of the CEPEJ Network of the pilot courts and of its forthcoming meeting to be held on 30 March 2023 in Lublin, Poland.

6. Evaluation of judicial systems

- **welcomed** the presentation of the CEPEJ Evaluation report on "European judicial systems", 2022 Evaluation cycle (2020 data) composed of three parts (Tables, graphs and analyses – Country profiles – CEPEJ-STAT Database) and **noted with satisfaction** the excellent reception of the report by the Committee of Ministers as well as during the press conference, and across European media;
- **took note** that specific studies based on the CEPEJ 2020 data will be prepared by the justice professionals enjoying observer status with the CEPEJ (Council of the Notaries of the European Union, International Union of Judicial Officers, European Expertise & Expert Institute) and submitted to the CEPEJ-GT-EVAL before their publication on the CEPEJ-STAT page;

² CEPEJ(2022)10

³ CEPEJ(2022)11

⁴ CEPEJ(2022)12

⁵ CEPEJ-SATURN(2022)5rev

⁶ CEPEJ-SATURN(2022)15rev

- **decided** to launch the next evaluation process on the basis of data of the year 2022, with a view to publishing the results in 2024, **adopted** the revised Evaluation Scheme⁷ for this purpose, subject to any additional amendments sent by members of the CEPEJ by mid-January and that may be proposed by the CEPEJ-GT-EVAL during its meeting in February 2023, **instructed the CEPEJ-GT-EVAL** to adapt the explanatory note accordingly, and **agreed** that the electronic scheme should be opened for reply by national correspondents from March 2023 until 1 October 2023;
- **encouraged** delegations to contact the Secretariat with a view to organising peer reviews to support the collection and quality control of data for the next cycle;
- **welcomed** the continued cooperation with the European Commission, on the basis of the CEPEJ's own evaluation methodology, on: (i) an annual study on the functioning of the judicial systems in the EU member states; (ii) the annual evaluation of the functioning of the judicial systems in the beneficiaries of the Western Balkans (Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Kosovo*, North Macedonia, Montenegro and Serbia); (iii) the annual evaluation of the functioning of judicial systems in the "Eastern Partnership" countries (Armenia, Azerbaijan, Georgia, Republic of Moldova, Ukraine), and **entrusted** the CEPEJ-GT-EVAL with the task of continuing this co-operation, which reinforces the preeminent role of the CEPEJ in the field of evaluation of justice, as well as the synergies between the European Union and the Council of Europe in this field.

7. CEPEJ co-operation programmes

- **took note** of the ongoing activities, achievements, and next steps of the cooperation programs presented in the synthesis document⁸ concerning Albania, Azerbaijan, Bulgaria, Georgia, Kosovo*, Latvia, Morocco, Republic of Moldova, Tunisia and the South Programmes IV and V, as well as of the recent changes in the CEPEJ cooperation team;
- **took note** of the results of the *ad hoc* cooperation organised with the Supreme Court of Ukraine to help the Ukrainian judicial system to implement remote judicial hearings in accordance with European standards, through a legislative expertise of a draft law, and the preparation of a practical Guide for the attention of Ukrainian judicial professionals, for which high quality experts had been identified with the help of CEPEJ members.

8. Crystal Scales of Justice Prize

- **invited its members** to promote applications to the next edition of the "Crystal Scales of Justice" prize which will be organised in 2023 **and thanked** France, winner of the 2021 Edition, for having accepted to host the next award ceremony;
- **congratulated** the winning team of the second edition of the Junior Crystal Scales of Justice Prize, organised in partnership with the Faculty of Law of Strasbourg, led by Mrs. Favaro (Faculty of Law of the University of Pisa) who defended the French winning project of the Crystal Scales of Justice 2021, and **thanked** the team for the presentation of its project;
- **thanked** the President of the Jury and its members for their valuable commitment.

⁷ CEPEJ(2022)9

⁸ CEPEJ-COOP(2022)3

* This designation is without prejudice to positions on status, and is in line with UNSCR 1244 and the ICJ Opinion on the Kosovo Declaration of Independence.

9. European Day of Justice 2022

- **thanked** its members for having organised activities in the framework of the 2022 edition of the “European Day of Justice”, celebrated on 25 October.

10. HELP Training Program concerning CEPEJ

- **took note** of the latest progress in the preparation, via the HELP⁹ platform, of an online training course on the theme of the quality of justice and of the work of the CEPEJ, which will include different modules in the fields of quality of justice, evaluation of judicial systems, cyberjustice and AI, mediation, and judicial time management.

11. Observers

- **took note** of the information from the observers (Council of Bars and Law Societies of Europe (CCBE), Council of the Notariat of the European Union (CNUE), European Union of Rechtspfleger and court Clerks (EUR), European Association of Judges (AEM-EAJ), European Expertise and European Institute (EEEI), International Union of Judicial Officers (UIHJ), Organization for Cooperation and Development in Europe (OECD)) on their activities of interest to the CEPEJ.

12. Election of the Bureau

- **elected** Francesco DEPASQUALE (Malta) as President and Ivan CRNČEC (Croatia) as Vice-President of the CEPEJ for a period of two years; **elected** Sonya DJEMNI-WAGNER (France) and Seçkin KOÇER (Türkiye) as members of the Bureau for a period of two years;
- **expressed** its warmest thanks to Ramin GARAGURBANLI for his work during his four years as President of the CEPEJ.

13. Other items

- **took note** of all the dates of CEPEJ meetings in 2023.

⁹ HELP: Human Rights Education for Legal Professionals.







Annex I : Agenda



















Meeting with simultaneous French-English interpretation

Documents preceded by the sign  are submitted for examination by the CEPEJ in view of their adoption.

The order of business can be different than the order of the items in the agenda

<p>The working documents will be available, in restricted access, as soon as possible, on the CEPEJ collaborative workspace which is regularly updated. You can access this space by logging in with your email address and the password you have been given. If you encounter any problem of access or for any other information, please contact: cepej@coe.int.</p>
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1	Opening of the meeting	Introduction by Frédéric DOLT, Head of Department of Implementation of Human Rights, Justice and Legal co-operation standards	Agenda of the 39th CEPEJ plenary meeting
		Adoption of the agenda and other information	
2	Evaluation of judicial systems (CEPEJ-GT-EVAL)	Presentation of the ongoing work by Jaša VRABEC (Slovenia), President of the CEPEJ-GT-EVAL	Link to the Special File
		 CEPEJ Evaluation Report on european judicial systems, 2022 cycle (2020 data)	
		 Discussion on the evolution and the use of the CEPEJ Evaluation Report on judicial system	
		 Preparation of the 2024 evaluation cycle (2022 data) – Revision of the evaluation scheme	Working document
		 Draft Scheme for evaluating European judicial systems	CEPEJ-GT-EVAL(2022)14rev1
		 Data collection support and peer evaluation	
		 Cooperation with the European Union	Background document
		Study on the functioning of judicial systems in the member States of the European Union (EU Justice Scoreboard)	43 rd meeting report CEPEJ-GT-EVAL(2022)10
		Dashboard Western Balkans	
		Justice Dashboard Eap (Eastern Partnership countries)	
3	Joint work on artificial intelligence (CEPEJ-GT-QUAL/CEPEJ-GT-CYBERJUST)	Presentation of the ongoing work by Joao Arsenio de OLIVEIRA (Portugal), President of the CEPEJ-GT-QUAL and Maria Giuliana CIVININI (Italy), President of the CEPEJ-CYBERJUST	Background documents

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">  Resource Centre on Cyberjustice and Artificial Intelligence (ReC)  Artificial Intelligence Advisory Board (AIAB) of the CEPEJ  Possible operationalization of the CEPEJ Charter 	<p>Terms of Reference AIAB CEPEJ-GT-QUAL(2022)3rev</p> <p>Link to the Draft Resource Center (English only)</p>
4	<p>Quality of justice  (CEPEJ-GT-QUAL)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">  Gender equality in the recruitment and promotion of judges  Mediation in administrative matters  Access to justice for people with disabilities  Evaluation of the performance of judges 	<p>Working documents</p> <p> Draft guidelines on gender equality in the recruitment and promotion of judges CEPEJ-GT-QUAL(2022)10rev</p> <p> Promoting mediation to resolve administrative disputes CEPEJ-GT-QUAL(2022)8rev</p> <p>Background document</p> <p>33rd meeting report CEPEJ-GT-QUAL(2022)11</p>
5	<p>Judicial time management (CEPEJ-SATURN)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">  Revision of the Time Management Checklist  Methodology for fighting backlogs  Case weighting in public prosecution services  Tool to analyse the different timeframes according to the stages of the procedure  Possible update of Recommendation (86)12 of the Committee of Ministers on certain measures to prevent and reduce the excessive workload in the courts 	<p>Working documents</p> <p> Draft Revised Time Management Checklist CEPEJ(2022)5REV</p> <p> Draft Explanatory note to the Revised Time Management Checklist CEPEJ-SATURN(2022)15REV</p> <p>Draft Checklist – 2005-2022 comparative version CEPEJ-SATURN(2022)5</p> <p> Draft Concept note on the backlog reduction methodology CEPEJ-SATURN(2022)18rev</p> <p>Background documents</p> <p>Report of the 33rd meeting CEPEJ-SATURN(2022)19</p>

			Detailed questionnaire on the case weighting in public prosecution services (final version) CEPEJ-SATURN(2022)12REV
			Questionnaire on analysing the length of civil proceedings (final version) CEPEJ-SATURN(2021)11REV2
6	Cyberjustice and artificial intelligence (CEPEJ-GT-CYBERJUST)	<p>Presentation of the work in progress and of the Working Group by Maria-Giuliana CIVININI (Italy), President of the CEPEJ-GT-CYBERJUST</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✚ ICT Index – Key recommendations for development ✚ E-auctions ✚ Public jurisprudence databases (use of metadata and anonymisation) ✚ Online Alternative Dispute Resolution ✚ European Cyberjustice Network (ENC) 	<p>Background documents</p> <p>7th meeting report CEPEJ-GT-CYBERJUST(2022)9</p> <p>ENC 2022 activity report (English only) CEPEJ-GT-CYBERJUST(2022)10</p>
7	Cooperation activities of the CEPEJ	Presentation of the teams in charge of co-operation activities	State of implementation of CEPEJ cooperation programs CEPEJ_COOP(2022)3
8	Development of online training modules on CEPEJ tools		Example of the draft HELP training module on the CEPEJ (English only)
9	European Day of Justice (EDJ)	Review of the EDJ, 2022 Edition	Dedicated web page
10	Crystal Scales of Justice Prize	<p>Presentation of the 2022 Junior Crystal Scales of Justice Prize</p> <p>Preparation of the 2023 Edition of the Crystal Scales of Justice</p>	
11	Elections - Bureau of the CEPEJ for 2023 and 2024	<p>The outgoing President, Ramin GARAGURBANLI (Azerbaijan), has reached the end of his mandate. The position of President is vacant.</p> <p>The outgoing Vice President, Francesco DEPASQUALE (Malta), has reached the end of his mandate. He can be re-elected for a period of 2 years.</p>	

The member of the Bureau, Juan Fernando ARMENGOT-IBORRA (Spain), has reached the end of his mandate. He can be re-elected for a period of 2 years.


The member of the Bureau, Nino BAKAKURI (Georgia), reaches the end of her mandate; she is no longer a member of the CEPEJ. The post of member of the Bureau is vacant.

Applications for the different positions of the Bureau can be sent to the Secretariat from now until December 6, 2022, 12:30.

12 Observers

Observers to the CEPEJ have the possibility to make an oral presentation of their current activities of interest to the CEPEJ and/or to submit written information to the Secretariat, which will share it during the meeting.

13 Other items

 Relations between the CEPEJ and other bodies

Meeting Calendar

 2023 Meeting Calendar

INFORMATION DOCUMENTS

[Abridged report of the 38th plenary meeting of the CEPEJ](#)

[2022 – 2023 Activity Programme of the CEPEJ](#)

[2022 – 2025 Action plan of the CEPEJ
“Digitalization for a better justice”](#)

Annex II : Public list of participants / Liste de participants publique

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