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(CDDH)

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DRAFTING COMMITTEE ON TRAFFICKING FOR THE PURPOSE OF LABOUR EXPLOITATION

(DH-TET)

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DRAFT MEETING REPORT

3rd meeting

22-24 February 2022 via KUDO

ITEMS 1 AND 2: OPENING OF THE MEETING, ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA AND THE ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. The Drafting Committee on Trafficking for the purpose of Labour exploitation (DH-TET) held its 3rd meeting via video-conference, due to the measures related to the COVID-19 pandemic, from 22 to 24 February 2022. The meeting was chaired by Mr Morten RUUD (Norway). The list of participants appears in Appendix I.

2. Mr Morten RUUD welcomed the participants and thanked them for the fourteen written contributions submitted in the follow-up to the second meeting of the Drafting Committee. The Chair also thanked the Secretariat for the revised and slightly restructured appendix.

3. The Drafting Committee adopted the agenda (see Appendix II) and the order of business (see Appendix III).

ITEM 3: DISCUSSION OF ANY GENERAL MATTERS RELATING TO THE WORK OF THE DH-TET

4. Mr Morten RUUD presented the main changes made on the basis of the written contributions received. He also suggested that all drafting changes from this point onwards take place within the meetings, in order to ensure transparency and legitimacy of the process.

5. The Chair recalled the importance of the topic of trafficking in human beings for the purposes of labour exploitation to the work of the Council of Europe, and expressed trust that the Drafting Committee would be able to finalise its work on the draft recommendation within the remaining meeting days.

ITEM 4: DISCUSSION AND AMENDMENT OF THE REVISED DRAFT RECOMMENDATION PARAGRAPH BY PARAGRAPH

6. The structure and content of the Appendix (DH-TET(2022)01REV2) has been revised on the basis of the discussion held at the second meeting of the Drafting Committee and written comments submitted following that meeting.

7. The third meeting of the Drafting Committee was dedicated to a thorough reading and revision, paragraph by paragraph, of the Appendix.

8. Suggestions for amendments formulated during the meeting were added in track changes to the revised draft recommendation.

ITEM 5: ORGANISATION OF FUTURE WORK

9. The Drafting Committee considered a revised road map for its future work. The Secretariat has been tasked by the Drafting Committee to update the revised draft Recommendation on the basis of the comments and views expressed during the meeting.

ITEM 6: ANY OTHER BUSINESS

10. No other business was discussed.

ITEM 7: ADOPTION OF THE MEETING REPORT

11. At the end of its meeting, the Drafting Committee adopted the present meeting report in English and in French.

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Appendix I

List of participants

MEMBERS

AUSTRIA	**Mag. Dr. Wolfgang SPADINGER** Senior expert in the field of combatting and preventing human trafficking
CYPRUS	**Ms Tania CHARALAMBIDOU** Administrative Officer Civil Registry and Migration Department Ministry of Interior of the Republic of Cyprus
FINLAND	**Ms Alexandra STRANDÉN** Legal Officer Unit for Human Rights Courts and Conventions, Legal Service Ministry for Foreign Affairs
FRANCE	**Capitaine Angélique MIET** Commandant le groupe relations internationales, documentation, analyse et formation de l'Office central de lutte contre le travail illégal (OCLTI)
GERMANY	**Ms Nilgün Öksüz** Expert on behalf of the CDDH Deputy Head of Division VIb4 OECD, OSZE, Council of Europe, Combatting Trafficking for the purpose of Labour Exploitation ESF- and FEAD Certifying Authority Federal Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs
GREECE	**Mr. Lazaros KOZARIS** Expert on behalf of the CDDH Office of the National Rapporteur on Trafficking in Human Beings - Ministry of Foreign Affaires
IRELAND	**Mr Deagláin O'BRIAIN** Head of Community Safety Policy unit Department of Justice
LUXEMBOURG	**Mr Joseph FABER** Chair of the Governmental Committee of the European Social Charter and the European Code of Social Security
NETHERLANDS	**Mr Boris KYUCHOUKOV** Expert on behalf of the CDPC Ministry of Social Affairs and Employment

NORWAY	**Mr Morten RUUD (Chair)** Special adviser, Legislation Department, Norwegian Ministry of Justice and Public Security
ROMANIA	**Ms Irina DIN** National Agency against Trafficking in Persons in Romania
RUSSIAN FEDERATION	**Dr. Vera GRACHEVA** International expert on CTHB, President of Russian anti-trafficking NGO "The Alternative" Civil society representative to the DH-TET GITOC, Expert, member of Alliance Expert Coordination Team
SPAIN	**Ms Alicia VILLASECA BALLESCÁ** State Attorney State Attorney Office of the Ministry of Justice
SWITZERLAND	**Mr Boris MESARIC** Expert on behalf of the CDPC Chef du service de lutte contre la traite des êtres humains et le trafic de migrants (SETT) - Département fédéral de justice et police Office fédéral de la police – fedpol
TURKEY	**Ms Hilal KOÇALI** Deputy to the Permanent Representative (legal matters) **Mr Mehmet FATİH YILDIRIM** Judge and working for the Ministry of Justice Department of Human Rights **Mr Ozkan YASAR** Ministry of Labour and Social Security **Ms Gülcan DURAN DÖLEK** Assistant Expert on Labour, Ministry of Labour and Social Security
UNITED KINGDOM	**Mr Darryl DIXON** Expert on behalf of the CDPC Head of GLAA Single Enforcement Body Programme Gangmasters and Labour Abuse Authority (GLAA)

Independent experts designated by the Secretary General of the Council of Europe	**Ms Zuzanna MUSKAT GORSKA** (Belgium) Independent expert designated by the Secretary General of the CoE Legal Officer at the International Trade Union Confederation (ITUC) **Ms Kamelia DIMITROVA** (Bulgaria) Independent expert designated by the Secretary General of the CoE Executive Director of the Dignita Foundation **Ms Annabel CANZIAN** (France) Independent expert designated by the Secretary General of the CoE Coordinatrice du service juridique du Comité contre l'esclavage moderne (CCEM) **Prof. Zbigniew LASOCIK** (Poland) Independent expert designated by the Secretary General of the Council of Europe University of Warsaw, Human Trafficking Studies Centre **Ms Caroline ROBINSON** (United-Kingdom) Independent expert designated by the Secretary General of the Council of Europe

PARTICIPANTS

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Organisation for Security and Co-operation in Europe	**Dr. Ingo (Alexander) TRAUTRIMS** Senior Adviser Office of the Special Representative and Co-ordinator for Combating Trafficking in Human Beings **Ms Asel DUISHEKEEVA**

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International Organization for Migration (IOM)	**Mr Daniel REDONDO** Senior Regional Migrant Protection & Assistance Specialist (Assistance to Vulnerable Migrants)
International Labour Organisation	**Ms Deepa RISHIKESH** Head of the Child Labour and Forced Labour Unit ILO International Labour Standards Department

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INTERPRETERS

Lucie DE BURLET
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Sylvie BOUX

Appendix II

Agenda

1.	**Opening of the meeting** *The Chairperson, Mr Morten RUUD (Norway), will open the meeting.*	
2.	**Adoption of the draft agenda and draft order of business**	DH-TET(2022)OJ1 DH-TET(2022)OT1
3.	**Discussion of any general matters relating to the work of the DH-TET**	
4.	**Discussion and amendment of the revised draft Recommendation paragraph by paragraph**	DH-TET(2021)01REV2
5.	**Organisation of future work** *The Drafting Committee will be invited to discuss and take all the necessary decisions regarding the organisation of its future work.*	DH-TET(2022)RM3
6.	**Any other business**	
7.	**Approval of the meeting report**	DH-TET(2022)R3

Reference documents

Revised draft Recommendation Terms of reference of the DH-TET	DH-TET(2021)01REV CDDH(2021)05
Guidance Note on preventing and combatting trafficking in human beings for the purpose of labour exploitation	GRETA(2020)12
Compendium of good practices in addressing trafficking in human beings for the purpose of labour exploitation	GRETA(2020)08
Overview of the relevant provisions of the Social Charter and ECSR case-law	Link

Appendix III

Order of business

Tuesday 22 February 2022

10:00 – 10:15	**Items 1 and 2: Opening of the meeting, adoption of the agenda and order of business**
10:15 – 10:45	**Item 3: Discussion of any general matters relating to the work of the DH-TET**
10:45 – 11:15	**Item 4: Discussion and amendment of the revised draft Recommendation paragraph by paragraph**
11:15 – 11:30	*Coffee break*
11:30 – 12:30	**Item 4: continuation**
12:30 – 14:00	*Lunch break*
14:00 – 15:15	**Item 4: continuation**
15:15 – 15:30	*Coffee break*
15:30 – 16:30	**Item 4: continuation**

Wednesday 23 February 2022

10:00 – 11:15	**Item 4: continuation**
11:15 – 11:30	*Coffee break*
11:30 – 12:30	**Item 4: continuation**
12:30 – 14:00	*Lunch break*
14:00 – 15:15	**Item 4: continuation**
15:15 – 15:30	*Coffee break*
15:30 – 16:30	**Item 4: continuation**

Thursday 24 February 2022

10:00 – 11:15	**Item 4: continuation**

11:15 – 11:30	*Coffee break*
11:30 – 12:30	**Item 4: continuation**
12:30 – 14:00	*Lunch break*
14:00 – 15:00	**Item 4: continuation**
15:00 – 15:15	*Coffee break*
15:15 – 15:45	**Items 5 and 6: Organisation of future work and any other business** Discussion about the organisation of the future work of DH-TET and preparation of the 4th meeting to be held on 26-28 April 2022.
15:45 – 16:30	**Item 7: Approval of the meeting report**

End of the meeting