



Strasbourg, 1 October 2020

GEC-MIG(2020) OJ 1

1st Meeting of the Drafting Committee on migrant women (GEC-MIG)

AGENDA

1-2 October 2020

Room 7, Palais de l'Europe building, Council of Europe, Strasbourg

Thursday, 1 October 2020

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| 10.00 – 10.30 am | <p>Welcome and introduction (Secretariat)</p> <p>Tour de table - Presentation of members</p> |
| 10.30 – 10.45 am | <p>Adoption of the agenda
<i>Draft agenda</i> (GEC-MIG (2020) OJ1)</p> <p>Mandate, working methods of the Drafting Committee and objectives of the meeting (Secretariat)</p> |
| 10.45 – 11.30 am | <p>Presentations</p> <p><u>Recommendation n° R(79)10 of the Committee of Ministers to member states concerning women migrants</u> (Secretariat)</p> <p>Needs assessment: existing standards and gaps, added value of a recommendation, proposed structure and scope of the draft recommendation (Louise Hooper, Expert supporting the work of the Drafting Committee)
(GEC-MIG (2020) 1)</p> <p>Discussion</p> |
| 11.30 – 11.45 am | <p><i>Coffee break</i></p> |
| 11.45 – 12.15 pm | <p>Relevant case law of the European Court of Human Rights (Thomas Straub, Registry of the European Court of Human Rights)</p> <p>Discussion</p> |

- 12.15 – 12.30 pm Presentation of candidates for GEC-MIG Chair
- 12.30 – 2.00 pm *Lunch break*
- 2.00 – 2.30 pm Exchange with **Christian Mommers**, Office of the Commissioner for Human Rights
- 2.30 – 3.00 pm Links with relevant provisions of the Council of Europe Convention on Preventing and Combating Violence against Women and Domestic Violence (Istanbul Convention) and findings of the Group of Experts on Action against Violence against Women and Domestic Violence (GREVIO) (**Francesca Montagna**, GREVIO Secretariat)
- Discussion
- 3.00 – 3.30 pm *Coffee break*
- 3.30 – 4.00 pm Exchange with NGOs
Alyssa Ahrabare, Project Officer, European Network of Migrant Women
- 4.00 – 4.30 pm Summing-up of discussions (**Louise Hooper**)
- Conclusions and closing of day 1.

Friday, 2 October 2020

- 10.00 – 11.00 am Exchange with NGOs (cont.)
Franziska Ilse-Shams, Project officer DaMigra e.V. (umbrella organisation of migrant women), Germany
Sara Khadang, President, Plurielles France
- 11.00 – 11.15 am *Coffee break*
- 11.15 – 12.00 pm Possible scope and structure of the draft Recommendation Presentation by the **Secretariat**
- Discussion
- 12.00 – 12.15 pm Election of GEC-MIG Chair
- 12.15 – 12.30 pm Adoption of decisions (as relevant)
- Next steps and closing