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Committee on the Honouring of Obligations and Commitments by Member States of the Council of Europe (Monitoring Committee)

Revised draft agenda

of the meeting to be held *partly in camera* in STRASBOURG on:

- **Monday, 24 June 2024, from 14:00 to 15:30 (room 11)**
- **Tuesday, 25 June 2024, from 08:30 to 10:00 (room 11)**
- **Tuesday, 25 June 2024, from 14:00 to 15:00 (room 9)**
- **Wednesday, 26 June 2024, from 14:00 to 15:30 (room 11)**
- **Thursday, 27 June 2024, from 08:45 to 10:00 (room 1) [meeting open to the public]**

This draft agenda, addressed to members of the Committee, is the convocation to the meeting.

It also constitutes the invitations foreseen in Resolution 1115 (1997), paragraph 10 ("When a monitoring procedure is initiated, two members of the parliamentary delegation of the member State concerned (to represent the governing majority and the opposition) shall be invited to take part, without the right to vote, in the relevant debates of the Committee unless one or both are already represented on the Committee. By analogy with Rule 6, paragraph 8, no member of the parliamentary delegation of the member State concerned shall participate in a vote on any question concerning this State.").

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Meeting documents will be published on PACE Apps (restricted access).

Monday, 24 June 2024 from 14:00 to 15:30

1. Draft agenda

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Adoption of the revised draft agenda

2. Draft minutes

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Approval of the draft minutes of the meeting held on 17 May 2024

3. Exchange of views with the Commissioner for Human Rights of the Council of Europe

Statement by Mr Michael O'Flaherty, Commissioner for Human Rights of the Council of Europe and exchange of views

4. Challenges to democracy in Georgia

Co-rapporteurs: Mr Claude Kern, France, ALDE and Ms Edite Estrela, Portugal, SOC

Confirmation of the appointment of the rapporteurs and exchange of views

5. The honouring of obligations and commitments by Türkiye

Co-rapporteurs: Mr Stefan Schennach, Austria, SOC and Ms Jill Mortimer, United Kingdom, EC/DA
[Programme]

Oral report by the co-rapporteur of his fact-finding visit to Türkiye (11-14 June 2024)

Tuesday, 25 June 2024 from 08:30 to 10:00

6. Challenges to democracy in Georgia

Co-rapporteurs: Mr Claude Kern, France, ALDE and Ms Edite Estrela, Portugal, SOC
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Consideration of a draft report and adoption of a draft resolution

7. Post-monitoring dialogue with Bulgaria

Co-rapporteurs: Ms Thórhildur Sunna Ævarsdóttir, Iceland, SOC and Ms Deborah Bergamini, Italy, EPP/CD

[[Statement](#)] by the Observation mission – 10.06.2024]

Exchange of views with Mr Oleksii Goncharenko (Ukraine, EC/DA), Chairperson of the ad hoc Committee for the observation of the early parliamentary elections in Bulgaria (9 June 2024)

Tuesday, 25 June 2024 from 14:00 to 15:00

8. Strengthening mechanisms for early warning on challenges to democratic security

Joint meeting with the Committee on Political Affairs and Democracy

Joint hearing, with the participation of:

- Ambassador Svetlana Geleva, Permanent Representative of North Macedonia, Chairperson of GR-DEM – Democracy
- Dr Seema Shah, Head of Programme, Democracy Assessment, International Institute for Democracy and Electoral Assistance (International IDEA) (online)

Wednesday, 26 June 2024 from 14:00 to 15:30

9. The honouring of obligations and commitments by Armenia

Co-rapporteurs: Mr Kimmo Kiljunen, Finland, SOC and Ms Boriana Åberg, Sweden, EPP/CD
[[Doc. 15994](#)]

[Amendments to Doc. 15994]

Consideration of possible amendments tabled to the draft resolution

[Assembly debate: Wednesday, 26 June afternoon]

[Deadline for tabling amendments: Tuesday, 25 June at 16:00]

10. Challenges to democracy in Georgia

Co-rapporteurs: Mr Claude Kern, France, ALDE and Ms Edite Estrela, Portugal, SOC
[Doc. ...]

[Amendments to Doc. ...]

Consideration of possible amendments tabled to the draft resolution

[Assembly debate: Thursday, 27 June morning]

[Deadline for tabling amendments: Wednesday, 26 June at 10:30]

11. The honouring of membership obligations to the Council of Europe by Greece

(periodic monitoring report)

Co-rapporteurs: Ms Laura Castel, Spain, UEL and....

Appointment of a corapporteur to replace Mr Didier Marie (France, SOC)

12. Post-monitoring dialogue with Albania

Co-rapporteurs:

Appointment of co-rapporteurs

13. Call for candidates

14. World Forum for Democracy on “Democracy and Diversity - Can we transcend the divides?”

(Strasbourg, 6-8 November 2024)

[\[Concept note\]](#)

Proposal of members to the ad hoc committee of the Bureau attending the World Forum for Democracy

15. Authorisation of fact-finding visits

16. Other business

Monitoring Committee: Work overview

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17. Next meetings

- Paris, 11 September 2024
- Strasbourg, 30 September-4 October 2024 [during the Assembly part-session]
- Tirana (date tbc), subject to the authorisation by the Bureau

Thursday, 27 June 2024 from 08:45 to 10:00 [meeting open to the public]

18. Regulating foreign influence: best practices and European standards

Joint hearing with the Committee on Legal Affairs and Human Rights, with the participation of:

- Ms Veronika Bílková, Vice-President of the European Commission for Democracy through Law (Venice Commission)
- Ms Tanya Lokshina, Associate Director, Europe and Central Asia Division, Human Rights Watch