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**Follow-up seminar on the implementation of the
Framework Convention for the Protection of National Minorities of the Council of Europe
by the Czech Republic**

based on the evaluation and recommendations contained in the Fifth Opinion on the Czech Republic by
the Advisory Committee on the Framework Convention (adopted on 31 May 2021)

21 April 2022, 10:00-14:30, Hrzánský palác, Loretánská 177/9, Prague

Programme

- 09:30 – 10:00 **Arrival and registration of participants**
- 10:00 – 10:05 **Opening remarks: Aim of the follow-up seminar**
- NN, Government Commissioner of Human Rights (*or representative, if not yet nominated*)
 - Assoz.-Prof. Emma Lantschner, Advisory Committee on the Framework Convention for the Protection of National Minorities,
- 10:05 – 10:15 **The Framework Convention for the Protection of National Minorities and its monitoring procedure**
Prof. Harald Scheu, Advisory Committee on the Framework Convention for the Protection of National Minorities
- Session 1 Combatting stereotypes against, and raising awareness of, national minorities**
- 10:15 – 10:20 **Presentation of the recommendations**
Assoz.-Prof. Emma Lantschner, Advisory Committee on the Framework Convention for the Protection of National Minorities
- 10:20 – 10:35 **Proposals for measures and the timeline for implementing the recommendations**
Representatives of the national minorities
- 10:35 – 10:50 **Planned measures, responsibilities and timeline for implementing the recommendations**
Representatives of the authorities
- 10:50 – 11:10 **Discussion**
Representatives of the national minorities, authorities and other participants, moderated by Assoz.-Prof. Emma Lantschner
- 11:10 – 11:25 **Break**
- 11:25 – 11:40 **Roadmap for implementation: summary of the agreed measures**
Assoz.-Prof. Emma Lantschner

Session 2 Collection of data concerning ethnic affiliation and language

- 11:40 – 11:45 **Presentation of the recommendation**
Assoz.-Prof. Emma Lantschner, Advisory Committee on the Framework Convention for the Protection of National Minorities
- 11:45 – 11:55 **Proposals for measures and the timeline for implementing the recommendations**
Representatives of the national minorities
- 11:55 – 12:05 **Planned measures, responsibilities and timeline for implementing the recommendations**
Representatives of the authorities
- 12:05 – 12:25 **Discussion**
Representatives of the national minorities, authorities and other participants, moderated by Assoz.-Prof. Emma Lantschner
- 12:25 – 12:35 **Break**
- 12:35 – 12:45 **Roadmap for implementation: summary of the agreed measures**
Assoz.-Prof. Emma Lantschner

Session 3 Use of minority languages

- 12:45 – 12:55 **Presentation of the recommendations**
Assoz.-Prof. Emma Lantschner, Advisory Committee on the Framework Convention for the Protection of National Minorities
- 12:55 – 13:10 **Proposals for measures and the timeline for implementing the recommendations**
Representatives of the national minorities
- 13:10 – 13:25 **Planned measures, responsibilities and timeline for implementing the recommendations**
Representatives of the authorities
- 13:25 – 13:45 **Discussion**
Representatives of the national minorities, authorities and other participants, moderated by Assoz.-Prof. Emma Lantschner
- 13:45 – 14:00 **Break**
- 14:00 – 14:15 **Roadmap for implementation: summary of the agreed measures**
Assoz.-Prof. Emma Lantschner
- 14:15 – 14:30 **Concluding remarks**
• NN, Government Commissioner of Human Rights (*or representative, if not yet nominated*)