# Group of Experts on Action against Violence against Women and Domestic Violence (GREVIO)



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# List of decisions adopted at the 21<sup>st</sup> meeting (25 – 26 June 2020, KUDO)

The adopted agenda of the 21st meeting is set out in the Appendix.

1. Agenda Item 2: Adoption of the agenda and order of business

GREVIO adopted its agenda (see Appendix) and draft order of business.

### 2. Item 5: Adoption of the report of GREVIO's 20th meeting and matters arising

GREVIO adopted the draft report of its 20th meeting (document GREVIO(2020)RAP20-prov). The final meeting report appears as document GREVIO(2020)RAP20.

# 3. Item 6: Draft Terms of Reference of the Working Group on a General Recommendation on the Digital Dimension of Violence against Women (GREVIO-GT-DD)

GREVIO endorsed the proposal to establish a working group to prepare its first General Recommendation and adopted the terms of reference of the working group. It appointed Aşkin Asan, Iris Luarasi, and Aleid van den Brink as members, and Biljana Branković, Vladimer Mkervalishvili and Rachel Eapen Paul as substitute members to the group.

#### 4. Item 8: Adoption of the final report on Belgium

GREVIO adopted its final report as amended in the light of the comments received from the national authorities. In accordance with GREVIO's Rules of Procedure (Rule 44 – Report and conclusions), the report will be transmitted to the national authorities who will be invited to submit any final comments within one month. At the expiry of this time-limit, the report and any comments received from the national authorities will be made public and sent to the Committee of the Parties.

#### 5. Item 9: Approval of the draft report on Andorra

GREVIO approved the draft report subject to a number of modifications. In accordance with Article 68, paragraph 10 of the Convention, the draft report will be transmitted to the national authorities for comments. In addition, and in accordance with its Rules of Procedure (Rule 43), GREVIO agreed to set a time-limit of two months to receive comments.

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# 6. Item 10: Approval of the draft report on Malta

GREVIO approved the draft report subject to a number of modifications. In accordance with Article 68, paragraph 10 of the Convention, the draft report will be transmitted to the national authorities for comments. In addition, and in accordance with its Rules of Procedure (Rule 43), GREVIO agreed to set a time-limit of two months to receive comments.

### 7. Item 15: Dates of the next meeting

GREVIO decided to hold its 22<sup>nd</sup> meeting from 13 to 15 October 2020.

# **APPENDIX**

## Agenda of the 21st meeting of GREVIO

- 1. Opening of the meeting
- 2. Adoption of the agenda and order of business
- 3. Administrative and budgetary questions
- 4. Oral report from the Bureau
- 5. Adoption of the report of GREVIO's 20th meeting and matters arising
- 6. Working methods: Draft Terms of Reference of the Working Group on a General Recommendation on the Digital Dimension of Violence against Women (GREVIO-GT-DD)
- 7. Representation/Participation of members of GREVIO and its Secretariat in events of interest to GREVIO
- 8. Adoption of the final report on Belgium
- 9. Approval of the draft report on Andorra
- 10. Approval of the draft report on Malta
- 11. Thematic debate: The COVID-19 pandemic and its impact on the implementation of the Istanbul Convention
- 12. Communications received containing information for consideration by GREVIO
- 13. Dates of the next meeting
- 14. Items to be put on the agenda of the next meeting
- 15. Other business
- 16. Approval of the list of decisions adopted during the 21st meeting