

June plenary session 2024 (24 – 28 June 2024)

Hearings and exchanges of views in committees/PACE network meetings
and other events open to the public

Monday 24 June 2024

Women@PACE group

In cooperation with the Permanent Representations of the European Union, Lithuania, the Netherlands, and the United Kingdom

1.00pm – 2.00pm

Lobby of the hemicycle

and

Lobby of the Committee of Ministers

Inauguration of the exhibition « 75 women in 75 years of Council of Europe history » (lobby of the hemicycle)

Followed by a round table (lobby of the Committee of Ministers), moderated by Ms Tanja Gonggrijp, Permanent Representative of the Netherlands to the Council of Europe, with the participation of

- Mr Andrius Krivas, Chair of the Ministers' Deputies, Permanent Representative of Lithuania to the Council of Europe
- Ms Despina Chatzivassiliou-Tsovilis, Secretary General of the Parliamentary Assembly
- Mr Guðmundur Ingi Guðbrandsson, Minister of Social Affairs and the Labour Market of Iceland
- Ms Feride Acar, former President of GREVIO
- Ms Petra Bayr, member of the Women@PACE Bureau

Tuesday 25 June 2024

Committee on Migration, Refugees and Displaced Persons

08.30am – 9.15am

Room 10

Exchange of views with the participation of:

- Mr Hans Leijtens, Executive director of Frontex

Committee on Social Affairs, Health and Sustainable Development

9.15am – 10.00am

Room 10

Exchange of views on *Ensuring safe, healthy and sustainable food for all* in the framework of a report prepared by Mr Simon Moutquin (Belgique, SOC), with the participation of the Young Ambassadors for Food Resilience led by the association MakeSense.

<p>Committee on Culture, Science, Education and Media</p> <p>and Committee on Social Affairs, Health and Sustainable Development</p> <p>2.00pm – 3.30pm</p> <p>Room 10</p>	<p>Joint hearing on <i>Countering addiction to sport betting</i>, with the participation of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Ms Sylvie Andreau, journalist, France - Mr Jann Schumacher, Chair of the Expert Group on Online addictions of the Pompidou Group, Switzerland - Mr Jean-Yves Lourgouilloux, Chair of MARS, Network of Magistrates / Prosecutors responsible for Sports, Enlarged Partial Agreement on Sport (EPAS), Council of Europe - Mr Ioannis Simosis, athlete, Greece - Mr Dimitrios Davakis, Greek Legal Counsel / Integrity Manager, Hellenic Football Federation, Greece
<p>Committee on Migration, Refugees and Displaced Persons</p> <p>2.00pm – 3.30pm</p> <p>Room 6</p>	<p>Exchange of views on <i>Saving migrants' lives at sea and protecting their human rights</i>, with the participation of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mr Christian Mommers, Advisor to the Commissioner for Human Rights at Council of Europe
<p>Committee on Legal Affairs and Human Rights</p> <p>2.00pm – 3.30pm</p> <p>Room 1</p>	<p>Hearing on <i>The detention of Julian Assange and its chilling effects on human rights</i> (to be live streamed on Assembly's YouTube channel) in the framework of a report prepared by Ms Thorhildur Sunna Ævarsdóttir Iceland, SOC, with the participation of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Professor Fionnuala Ní Aoláin KC (Hons), School of Law, Queen's University, Belfast, Northern Ireland / former UN Special Rapporteur on counter-terrorism and human rights - Ms Rebecca Vincent, Reporters Without Borders (online)

Wednesday 26 June 2024	
Committee on Culture, Science, Education and Media 2.00pm – 3.30pm Room 10	Hearing on <i>Doping in sport</i> , with the participation of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Ms Roxana Maracineanu, Europe representative at the Executive Committee of the World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA), France (tbc) - Mr Steven Teitler, Legal Director, Doping Authority Netherlands (online)
Thursday 27 June 2024	
Committee on Migration, Refugees and Displaced Persons 08.30am – 10.00am Room 6	Exchange of views on <i>The theme of migration and asylum in election campaigns and its consequences on the reception of migrants and their rights</i> , with the participation of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mr Wolfram Bechtel, Head of Division, Steering Committee on Anti-Discrimination, Diversity and Inclusion
Committee on the Honouring of Obligations and Commitments by Member States of the Council of Europe (Monitoring Committee) and Committee on Legal Affairs and Human Rights 08.45am – 10.00am Room 1	Joint hearing on <i>Regulating foreign influence: best practices and European</i> , with the participation of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 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 - Representative of EU/EP (tbc).
Committee on Legal Affairs and Human Rights and Committee on Political Affairs and Democracy 2.00pm – 3.30pm Room 1	Joint hearing on <i>Examining the legitimacy and legality of the ad hominem term-limit waiver for the incumbent President of the Russian Federation” (Resolution 2519 (2023))</i> (to be live streamed on Assembly’s YouTube channel) in the framework of the follow-up of the report prepared by Mr Pieter Omtzigt, (Netherlands, EPP/CD), with participation of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mr Mikhail Kasyanov - Leader of People's Freedom Party (PARNAS), Prime Minister of Russia 2000-2004 - Dr Gleb Bogush (University of Cologne, formerly Lomonossov University and Higher School of Economics, Moscow).

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