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Agenda item 1. Opening of the meeting and adoption of the agenda

The Committee adopted the draft agenda as it appears in document IC-CP(2018)OJ4prov with a revision in the order as follows: items 1,7, 8, 5, 9, 2, 3, 4, 6, 10, 11, 12, 13.

Agenda item 8. Discussion on the CoP's approach to GREVIO's reports and Conclusions

The Committee decided to adopt the proposals as set out in document IC-CP(2018)6prov, including the proposed model recommendation in Appendix 1 subject to a modification to the ninth paragraph of the model recommendation to read "Welcoming the measures taken and progress achieved ..." and to the deletion of its point D.

Agenda item 9. Recommendations on the implementation of the Istanbul Convention by Austria, Monaco, Albania and Denmark:

On the basis of the proposed model recommendation, the Committee adopted recommendations under the first (baseline) evaluation round addressed to the Governments of Albania, Austria, Denmark and Monaco. The recommendations are set out in documents IC-CP/Inf(2018)1, IC-CP/Inf(2018)2, IC-CP/Inf(2018)3, and IC-CP/Inf(2018)4.

Agenda item 10. Election of Bureau members

In accordance with Rule 4 of its Rules of Procedure, the Committee declared

- Ms Elisabeth WALAAS, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary, Permanent Representative of Norway to the Council of Europe, elected as Chair;
- Mr Gilles HEYVAERT, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary, Permanent Representative of Belgium to the Council of Europe, elected as First Vice-Chair; and
- Mr João Maria CABRAL, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary, Permanent Representative of Portugal to the Council of Europe, elected as Second Vice-Chair;

for a term of office of one year starting on 30 January 2018, renewable once.

Agenda item 11. Date of next meeting

The Committee decided to hold its next meeting on 24 May 2018 in Strasbourg.