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# EUROPEAN COMMITTEE ON CRIME PROBLEMS (CDPC)

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## LIST OF DECISIONS

### 82nd Plenary meeting

Strasbourg, 28-30 November 2022

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**1. Opening of the meeting**

The meeting was opened by Ms Katariina Jahkola, CDPC Chair.

**2. Adoption of the draft agenda**

The CDPC adopted the agenda and the order of business of the meeting.

**3. Information by the Chair, the Delegations of the CDPC and the Secretariat**

The CDPC took note of the information provided by its Chair, Ms Katariina Jahkola, and the Secretariat on activities undertaken since the last CDPC Plenary meeting, namely the decisions taken at the CDPC Bureau meeting on 12-13 October 2022 as well as recent developments of relevance to the work of the CDPC, including the budgetary situation, the political situation in Europe following the aggression of Russia against Ukraine and the implications of the expulsion of the Russian Federation from the Council of Europe.

The CDPC also noted that on 16 November 2022 the ordinary budget of the Organisation for 2023 was adopted by the Committee of Ministers. The budgetary constraints in 2022 led to postponing some CDPC related meetings and activities until next year (namely related to AI and to smuggling of migrants). It is planned that the new drafting Committee on the environment and criminal law will hold three meetings in 2023 and one in 2024.

The CDPC further took note of the information provided by Mr Jan Kleijssen, Director, Information and Action against Crime Directorate and by its Secretary, Mr Carlo Chiaromonte, namely the planned Fourth Council of Europe Summit of Heads of States and Governments taking place during the Icelandic Presidency of the Committee of Ministers (16-17 May 2023, Reykjavik, Iceland).

The CDPC also took note that the Russian Federation ceased to be party to the ECHR as of 16 September 2022, but the Court remains competent to consider cases of violations which occurred before that date. The participation of the Russian Federation in Conventional Committees and open Partial Agreements is still under discussion. Some of these Committees have taken decisions regarding this while others will do so before the end of the year.

#### **4. Action Plan on Smuggling of migrants**

The CDPC noted that the last meeting of the Council of Europe Network of Prosecutors on Migrant Smuggling (CDPC-NPMS), which was created following the decision of the CDPC Plenary in December 2021, was held on 10-11 May 2022. The next meeting is scheduled to take place in early 2023.

The CDPC also took note of the information provided by the Secretariat on the latest developments with regards to the CDPC-NPMS as well as on the recent launch of the restricted website of this Network at the end of September 2022 which facilitates direct exchanges between members and the sharing of information related to specific cases or relevant legal developments within national frameworks. The CDPC also considered the updated list of members of the Network and took note that delegations which have not yet done so are still encouraged to provide potential candidates by sending their details to the CDPC Secretariat.

#### **5. Hate Crime – Exchange of views with the Chair of the PC/ADI-CH, Ms Stephanie Oener (online)**

The CDPC was reminded that the Committee of Experts on Hate Crime (PC/ADI-CH), which is a subordinate body to the CDPC and the Steering Committee on Anti-Discrimination, Diversity and Inclusion (CDADI), held its first meeting in February 2022 to discuss the outline and scope of the future recommendation on combating hate crime, after which the first draft of the recommendation was developed.

The CDPC held an exchange of views with the Chair of the PC/ADI-CH, Ms Stephanie Oener (Austria), on the outcome of the 2nd meeting, held on 29-30 September 2022, where the draft recommendation was reviewed and the key points debated during the meeting. The revised draft was circulated to the participants for written comments on 10 November 2022 in advance of the respective plenary meetings of the CDPC and CDADI. She further noted that the next meeting of the PC/ADI-CH will take place 30-31 March 2023 and that delegations are free to transmit written comments as some delegations indicated that further work on the draft recommendation is needed.

The CDPC also took note of the participation of the Chair of the PC/ADI-CH in a number of other meetings where she promoted the work of the Committee.

The CDPC noted that this is an open-ended Committee where, apart from the 14 members nominated by their respective steering committees, other member States may send representatives to participate in future meetings at their own expense.

#### **6. Council for Penological Co-operation (PC-CP) – Exchange of views with the Chair, Ms Nadya Radkovska**

The CDPC had an exchange of views with Ms Nadya Radkovska (Bulgaria), Chair of the PC-CP and took note of the list of decisions of the last plenary meeting of the PC-CP [Doc.PC-CP(2022)7]. The delegates also took note of the contents and conclusions of the 27th CDPPS (21-22 June 2022, Sevilla, Spain), which was very successful and was attended by more than 130 participants from the Council of Europe member States and from international organisations which have observer status.

a. Adoption of the draft Council of Europe White Paper regarding the management of persons with mental health disorders by the prison and probation services

The delegates considered, finalised and adopted the White Paper and instructed the Secretariat to send it to the Committee of Ministers for information and dissemination at national level.

The CDPC decided to approve the proposal made by the PC-CP to continue its work in this area by drafting a Committee of Ministers' Recommendation on the same subject. It agreed that the mandate should be flexible enough to allow for the elaboration of a text fitting the different legal systems in Europe. It should also consider co-operation between the different Ministries in this respect.

b. Follow-up to be given to the Venice Declaration on Restorative Justice: exchange of views with the European Forum for Restorative Justice

The CDPC had an exchange of views with Ms Edit Törzs (Executive Director of the European Forum for Restorative Justice-EFRJ) regarding its activities, including the implementation of Recommendation (2018)8 as well as regarding two meetings held in Prague: the Annual meeting of the European Restorative Justice Policy Network (12 October 2022) and the international Conference of the Czech Probation and Mediation Service organised on the occasion of the Czech Presidency of the Council of the EU "Victims of Crime: Possibilities for restorative approach in probation and imprisonment" (13-14 October 2022).

The CDPC had a round table discussion with the participation of Ms Törzs, the PC-CP Chair, Ms Radkova as well as with Ms Livia Stoica, Head of the Legal Co-operation Division regarding the follow-up to be given to the Venice Declaration (see the Declaration in the CDPC draft agenda). The CDPC decided that a restricted sub-group responsible to the CDPC needs to be mandated with this task and to its work should be associated representatives of the CCPE (Council of Prosecutors), CCJE (Council of Judges), EFRJ, PC-CP, the Steering Committee for the Rights of the Child (CDENF) and other relevant bodies. Questions regarding the budgetary allocations for this new activity were raised as this might hinder this work. The Secretariat will check for possible solutions and come back to the Bureau of the CDPC for a final decision. The national delegations were requested to help find a solution to this problem.

c. Draft Committee of Ministers Recommendation "Ethical and Organisational Aspects of the Use of Artificial Intelligence and related Digital Technologies by Prison and Probation Services"

The CDPC took note that the PC-CP plenary considered the text for the first time and that the draft recommendation is expected to be finalised at the end of 2023 after the adoption of the future general Council of Europe legal instrument on AI (currently being drafted by the CAI, see item for information 13.1). The CDPC noted the opinion of many of the PC-CP delegations that in case this instrument will not be adopted by then (end of 2023), the draft recommendation should still be finalised as planned (end of 2023) but should explicitly state that the definitions used in it apply only for the needs of the recommendation in order to avoid any conflict with the definitions expected to be agreed at CAI level

The CDPC considered the text of this draft recommendation and indicated that more detailed provisions should be drafted regarding the data protection aspects in the context of prison and probation and the evaluation of the necessity and proportionality of the use of AI by the prison and probation services.

d. Items for information

The CDPC took note that the German Federal Ministry of Justice will host the 28th Conference of Directors of Prison and Probation Services (6-7 June 2023, Berlin). Following the suggestion of the PC-CP Working Group to have a more detailed presentation of the prison and probation law and practice of the 16 German Länders, a general presentation of the German prison and probation system will be made at the opening session by the keynote speaker and inputs from German speakers to the subsequent workshops will also be made. After the Conference the participants will have the opportunity to visit a prison in Berlin.

## 7. Artificial Intelligence and criminal law

The CDPC took note of the information provided by the Secretariat notably on the fact that the scheduled activities concerning the drafting of a new Council of Europe non-binding instrument on automated driving vehicles had to be postponed because of budgetary constraints.

The CDPC delegations agreed that the drafting process of CDPC-AICL would be more efficiently dealt with once the work of the CAI (adoption by the Council of Europe of the general horizontal binding legal instrument on AI, which is expected for the end of 2023) makes considerable progress. At this stage the CDPC Committee was also of the opinion that the proposal to make the CDPC-AICL a permanent CDPC sub-working group following developments in the field of AI should not be pursued further.

## 8. Committee of Experts on the operation of European conventions on co-operation in criminal matters (PC-OC) – Exchange of views with the Chair, Ms Joana Gomes Ferreira (online)

The CDPC had an exchange of views with the Chair of the PC-OC, Ms Joana Gomes Ferreira (Portugal) and took note of the list of decisions of the 82nd plenary meeting of the PC-OC (15-17 November 2022).

The CDPC examined a draft policy paper dealing with the question of accession of non-member States to Council of Europe Conventions on international co-operation in criminal matters, prepared by the PC-OC in accordance with its terms of reference. This document sets out proposals for a procedure allowing for the PC-OC and the CDPC to be consulted by the Committee of Ministers in case of requests by third States to accede to these conventions and defining criteria for the PC-OC to assess such requests. The CDPC approved this document with amendments and decided to transmit it to the Committee of Ministers, inviting the latter to consult the PC-OC whenever a non-member State requests to be invited to accede to a convention under its purview. The PC-OC would then provide an opinion on any such request using the procedure and criteria set out in the policy paper and submit it to the CDPC for transmission to the Committee of Ministers.

The CDPC agreed to inform the Committee of Ministers of its opinion that it would be desirable to have a coordinated policy in this respect regarding all Council of Europe conventions open to non-member States.

The CDPC took note of the discussions held by the PC-OC on the issue of the application of the European Convention on Mutual Assistance and its additional protocols for the co-operation with the European Public Prosecutor's Office (EPPO), in the light of replies to a questionnaire sent to non-EU member States on possible co-operation with this institution on the basis of unilateral declarations made by EU member States. The CDPC took note of the fact that the PC-OC considered at its 82nd meeting on 15-17 November 2022 that, taking into account the positions expressed by different delegations and noting the shift in attitudes since the adoption of the current terms of reference of the PC-OC, it would be unrealistic to expect to reach an agreement on a new legal instrument on this matter within the timeframe initially envisaged (December 2023). Instead, the PC-OC proposed to conduct a study to assess the opportunity and feasibility of negotiating such an instrument.

The CDPC endorsed this proposal and decided to invite the Committee of Ministers to replace the second deliverable in the terms of reference of the PC-OC (Draft Protocol to the European Convention on Mutual Assistance in Criminal Matters (ETS 30) on the relations with the European Public Prosecutor's Office) with a "study to assess the feasibility of negotiating a binding legal instrument regarding the application of the European Convention on Mutual Assistance in Criminal Matters (ETS 30) on the relations with the European Public Prosecutor's Office", with a corresponding adjustment to the CDPC's terms of reference (deliverable no. 6).

The CDPC took note that in order to lay the groundwork for this feasibility study, a questionnaire will be drafted by the Secretariat together with a restricted PC-OC group of members and will be sent out to the national delegations in January 2023. The delegation of Switzerland and the European Commission will be associated to this work.

The CDPC took note of information regarding the ongoing work within the PC-OC to update the European Convention on Mutual Assistance in Criminal Matters and to develop specific guidance on questions

relating to the application of the European Convention on Extradition, as well as the outcome of a joint session on asset recovery between the PC-OC and the COP198 Committee held on 17 November 2022.

## 9. Environment and Criminal Law

The CDPC took note of the information provided by the Secretariat on this item, notably, that in October the Committee of Ministers of the Council of Europe examined the Feasibility study on the protection of the environment through criminal law, approved by the CDPC at its 81st plenary meeting which underlines the need for a new Council of Europe Convention to replace the 1998 Convention on the matter (ETS No. 172) and adopted on 23 November 2022 the terms of reference of the Committee on the protection of the environment through criminal law (PC-ENV) with the task to carry out this work: drafting a new Council of Europe Convention on the protection of the environment through criminal law.

The CDPC was informed that the Secretariat will send a letter in due course to all CDPC members as well as to other bodies and organisations invited to take part in the new drafting work, to appoint one or more experts to the PC-ENV. The first meeting of the PC-ENV is, therefore, expected to take place in the first half of 2023.

The CDPC took note that some Delegations expressed doubts regarding the feasibility of drafting such an important convention by the end of June 2024 but agreed that work should start as planned.

## 10. Victims' rights

The CDPC had an exchange of views with Prof Suzan Van der Aa, co-Chair of the Working Group on the outcomes of the third and final meeting of the CDPC-VR, held on 19-20 October 2022, in which the Working Group approved the Draft Recommendation on Rights, Services and Support for Victims of Crime, subject to one week for approval by each respective capital (deadline: 28 October 2022) and finalised its accompanying draft Explanatory Memorandum through the submission of written comments (deadline: 3 November 2022). The CDPC thanked Professors Van der Aa and Antony Pemberton for their excellent work.

The CDPC examined, finalised and approved the draft Recommendation and its accompanying draft Explanatory Memorandum with some amendments and instructed the Secretariat to transmit the draft recommendation to the Committee of Ministers of the Council of Europe for final adoption with its draft explanatory memorandum for information.

The CDPC also took note of the information provided by the Secretariat regarding the plea, by the European Society of Criminology, for a pan-European Survey on Victims' Rights and agreed to invite representatives to present this plea to the CDPC at its 83rd Plenary Session in 2023, following its publication in the European Journal of Criminology.

## 11. Consultative Council of European Prosecutors (CCPE) – Exchange of views with Ms Jana Zezulova, Chair of the CCPE

The CDPC had an exchange of views with Ms Jana Zezulova (Czech Republic), Chair of the CCPE, on issues of common interest such as the recently adopted Opinion No. 17(2022) of the Consultative Council of European Prosecutors (CCPE) on the role of prosecutors in the protection of the environment and the possible need to review and update Recommendation CM/Rec(2000)19 of the Committee of Ministers on the role of public prosecution in the criminal justice system.

## 12. Elections

The CDPC thanked Mr Antonio Folgado (Portugal) and Mr Alexander Kunosik (Slovak Republic) for their contribution to the work of the CDPC as members of its Bureau, renewed the term of office of the Chair and of the vice-Chair for one year and elected the following delegates as members of its Bureau:

- Dr Garonne Bezjak, Head of Division for the European Prosecutor's Office; Eurojust and European Criminal Law Policy, Federal Ministry of Justice, Germany.

- Mr Paul Ahearn, Head, International Criminal Justice, Ministry of Justice, United Kingdom.

### 13. Information points

The CDPC took note – and had an exchange of views with the representatives of the Secretariat – on sub-items a. to d:

#### a. CAI (Committee on Artificial Intelligence)

The CDPC had an exchange of views with Ms Louise Riondel, co-Secretary to the CAI, who informed the Committee that the first plenary meeting of CAI had taken place in April 2022 and that more than 240 participants are taking part in the meetings. The Committee of Ministers agreed in June 2022 that the CAI should draft a legally binding transversal Convention on AI and the so called “zero” draft was considered at the 2nd meeting in September 2022. The deadline for finalising the text is 15 November 2023. Five more plenary meetings are scheduled in 2023. The CAI is also drafting a methodology document for assessing the risk and impact of the use of AI.

#### b. Medicrime

The CDPC had an exchange of views with Mr Oscar Alarcón-Jiménez, Executive Secretary of the Committee of the Parties to the MEDICRIME Convention, and took note that: a) France made a voluntary contribution to finance a new technical co-operation project ([CRIMFAMED](#)) aiming at both promoting the Convention and strengthening legal, regulatory and policy frameworks; b) the key activities were mainly centred around training legal professionals and enforcement officers, the setting up of national platforms and in promoting the MEDICRIME Convention among interested countries in Europe, Africa and Latin America;

The CDPC further took note of the latest developments in the Committee of the Parties’ work and the latest accessions to the Convention (Togo was invited by the Committee of Ministers to accede to it).

The CDPC took note of the invitation to the member States which have not yet signed or ratified the Convention to do so.

#### c. Council of Europe Convention against Trafficking in Human Organs

The CDPC had an exchange of views with Mr Oscar Alarcón-Jiménez, Executive Secretary of the Committee of the Parties to the Santiago de Compostela Convention, took note that the 2nd meeting of the Committee of the Parties took place on 21 October 2022 and that so far there are 14 ratifications of the Convention.

#### d. Council of Europe Convention on Offences relating to Cultural Property

The CDPC took note that in 2022 the key activities carried out by the Secretariat were centred around the promotion of the Nicosia Convention in different countries in Europe, Latin America and Asia and in strengthening the co-operation work with UNESCO and UNODC. So far there are only 6 ratifications. The CDPC delegations were invited to send a strong message to their authorities to join the Convention.

### 14. Dates of the next meetings

The CDPC decided to hold its next plenary meetings in 2023 as follows: 13-14 June and 20-22 November.

## APPENDIX I

### Agenda

	<b>1. Opening of the meeting by Mr Jan Kleijssen, Director, Information Society and Action against Crime Directorate</b>
	<b>2. Adoption of the draft agenda</b>
CDPC(2022)OJ2	Draft agenda
<a href="#">CDPC(2022)08</a>	Annotated agenda
<a href="#">CDPC(2022)OB2</a>	Order of business
	<b>3. Information by the Chair, Delegations of the CDPC and the Secretariat</b>
<a href="#">CDPC-BU(2022)04</a>	List of decisions of the CDPC Bureau meeting, 12-13 October 2022
<a href="#">CDPC(2022)06</a>	List of decisions of the 81 <sup>st</sup> CDPC Plenary, 14-15 June 2022
<a href="#">Terms of reference</a>	Terms of reference of the CDPC (2022-2025)
<a href="#">CM/Res(2021)3</a>	Resolution on intergovernmental committees and subordinate bodies, their terms of reference and working methods
	<b>4. Action Plan on Smuggling of migrants</b>
<a href="#">CDPC(2019)9Fin</a>	Council of Europe Action Plan on fostering international co-operation and investigative strategies in fighting the smuggling of migrants
<a href="#">CDPC-NPMS(2022)01</a>	Report of the 1 <sup>st</sup> meeting, 10-11 May 2022
(to be sent by e-mail)	List of members of the Network
<a href="#">CDPC-NPMS(2022)02</a>	Restricted website for the Network of prosecutors (information document prepared by the Secretariat)
	<b>5. Hate Crime – Exchange of views with the Chair of the PC/ADI-CH, Ms Stephanie OENER</b>
<a href="#">Terms of reference</a>	Terms of reference of the Working Group
<a href="#">PC/ADI-CH(2022)10</a>	Report of the 2 <sup>nd</sup> meeting, 29-30 September 2022
<a href="#">PC/ADI-CH(2022)09rev</a>	Draft Recommendation on Combating Hate Crime (October 2022)
	<b>6. Council for Penological Co-operation (PC-CP) – Exchange of views with the Chair, Ms Nadya Radkovska</b>
<a href="#">PC-CP(2021)8 Rev10</a>	a. Adoption of the draft Council of Europe White Paper regarding the management of persons with mental health disorders by the prison and probation services

<a href="#">Venice Declaration</a>	b. Follow-up to be given to the Venice Declaration on Restorative Justice: exchange of views with the European Forum for Restorative Justice
<a href="#">PC-CP (2021)17Rev7</a>	c. Draft Committee of Ministers Recommendation Ethical and Organisational Aspects of the Use of Artificial Intelligence and related Digital Technologies by Prison and Probation Services  d. Items for information
<a href="#">Website of the Conference</a>	27th Council of Europe Conference of Directors of Prison and Probation Services (CDPPS) (21-22 June 2022, Sevilla, Spain)  28 <sup>th</sup> CDPPS: 5-7 June 2023, Berlin
<a href="#">PC-CP(2022)7</a>	PC-CP plenary meeting report (25-27 October 2022)
<a href="#">PC-CP(2022)1</a>	Summary meeting reports of the PC-CP WG meetings in 2022
<a href="#">PC-CP(2022)3</a>	
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<a href="#">Terms of reference</a>	Terms of reference of the PC-CP (2022-2025)  <b>7. Artificial Intelligence and criminal law</b>
<a href="#">CDPC-AICL(2022)2</a>	Report of the 2 <sup>nd</sup> meeting, 1-2 June 2022
<a href="#">CDPC-AICL(2022)1</a>	Framework document on AI and criminal law
<a href="#">CDPC(2021)2</a>	Terms of reference of the Working Group
<a href="#">CDPC(2020)3Rev</a>	Feasibility Study of a future Council of Europe instrument on Artificial Intelligence and Criminal Law  <b>8. Committee of Experts on the operation of European conventions on co-operation in criminal matters (PC-OC) – Exchange of views with the Chair, Ms Joana Gomes Ferreira</b>
<a href="#">PC-OC (2022)05</a>	List of decisions of the 82 <sup>nd</sup> Plenary meeting, 15-17 November 2022
<a href="#">PC-OC Mod(2022)02</a>	List of decisions of the 32 <sup>nd</sup> meeting of the PC-OC Mod, 27-29 September 2022
<a href="#">PC-OC(2022)03Erev1</a>	Replies to the Questionnaire on co-operation with the EPPO
<a href="#">PC-OC(2022)06</a>	Draft policy paper on the accession of non-member States to Council of Europe conventions on international co-operation in criminal matters as approved by the PC-OC Mod
<a href="#">Terms of reference</a>	Terms of reference of the PC-OC (2022-2025)



	<b>9. Environment and Criminal Law</b>
<a href="#">CDPC-EC(2022)4</a>	Report of the 4 <sup>th</sup> meeting and final meeting of the Working Group, 24-25 February 2022
<a href="#">CDPC(2021)9Fin</a>	Draft Feasibility Study
<a href="#">Draft Terms of Reference</a>	Draft Terms of Reference of a Drafting Committee on the Protection of the Environment through Criminal Law (2022-2023)
	<b>10. Victims' rights</b>
<a href="#">CDPC-VR(2022)3-rev2</a>	Draft Recommendation of the Committee of Ministers to member States on Rights, Services and Support for Victims of Crime
<a href="#">CDPC-VR(2022)4-rev2</a>	Draft Explanatory Memorandum to Recommendation of the Committee of Ministers to member States on Rights, Services and Support for Victims of Crime
<a href="#">CDPC-VR(2022)5</a>	Report of the 3 <sup>rd</sup> meeting of the Working Group, 19-20 October 2022
<a href="#">CDPC-VR(2022)2</a>	Report of the 2 <sup>nd</sup> meeting of the Working Group, 21-22 April 2022
<a href="#">CCPE(2022)5</a>	<b>11. Consultative Council of European Prosecutors (CCPE) – Exchange of views with Ms Jana ZEZULOVA (Czech Republic), Chair of the CCPE</b>
<a href="#">CCPE(2022)5</a>	Meeting report of the 17 <sup>th</sup> plenary meeting, 3-4 October 2022
<a href="#">Opinion 17</a>	Opinion No. 17 (2022) on the role of prosecutors in the protection of the environment
	<b>12. Elections</b>
<a href="#">CDPC(2022)07</a>	Memorandum concerning the elections for the CDPC
	<b>13. Information points</b>
	<b>a. CAI (Committee on Artificial Intelligence)</b>
<a href="#">CAI(2022)10</a>	List of Decisions of the 2 <sup>nd</sup> plenary meeting, 21-23 September 2022
	<b>b. Medicrime</b>
<a href="#">T-MEDICRIME(2021) LD 02_rev</a>	List of decisions of the 5 <sup>th</sup> plenary meeting of the Committee of the Parties, 1-3 December 2021
<a href="#">Details of Treaty</a>	Status of play on signatures and ratifications
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**c. Council of Europe Convention against Trafficking in Human Organs**

**d. Council of Europe Convention on Offences relating to Cultural Property**

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**14. Any other business**

**15. Dates of the next meetings**

83<sup>rd</sup> CDPC Plenary: Week of 12 June 2023

## APPENDIX II

### List of participants

#### MEMBER STATES OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE / ÉTATS MEMBRES DU CONSEIL DE L'EUROPE

##### ALBANIA / ALBANIE

\*\*No nomination / Pas de nomination

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**MONACO**

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