COMBATING VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN IN A DIGITAL AGE: UTILISING THE ISTANBUL CONVENTION

Launching conference of the General Recommendation No.1 adopted by the Group of Experts on Action against Violence against Women and Domestic Violence (GREVIO)



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Room 1, Palais de l'Europe and BlueJeans (English only)

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15:30 - 15:35 Words of welcome

Claudia Luciani, Director of Human Dignity, Equality and Governance, Council of Europe

15:35 – 15:55 Keynote address

Dunja Mijatović, Commissioner for Human Rights, Council of Europe

15:55 – 16:10 Moving from offline to online: the application of the Istanbul

Convention to the digital dimension of violence against women Iris Luarasi. President of GREVIO

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16:10 – 16:25 Opportunities for states parties in addressing online violence against women through the Istanbul Convention

Nina Nordström, Chair of the Committee of the Parties to the Istanbul Convention

16:25 – 17:25 Panel discussion: Bigger, faster, more abusive: the digital

dimension of violence against women and domestic violence and ways to address it using the Istanbul Convention

Moderator:

Johanna Nelles, Executive Secretary of the monitoring mechanism of the Istanbul Convention

Panellists:

Pille Tsopp-Pagan, Vice-President of the Women Against Violence Europe (WAVE) Network

Kira Appel, Chief Consultant and Deputy Head of Department for Gender Equality, Ministry of Employment of Denmark

Aleid van den Brink, member of GREVIO and its Working Group on a General Recommendation on the Digital Dimension of Violence against Women

Arnaud Dechoux, Public Affairs Manager, Kaspersky Europe

17:25 – 17:30 Closing remarks

Roberto Olla, Head of Human Dignity and Gender Equality Department