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EUROPEAN COMMITTEE OF SOCIAL RIGHTS COMITÉ EUROPÉEN DES DROITS SOCIAUX

SYNOPSIS

EUROPEAN COMMITTEE OF SOCIAL RIGHTS (ECSR), 331ST SESSION

Date 23/01/2023 – 27/01/2023

Activity Type Monitoring

Location Hybrid meeting: Strasbourg, videoconference

Directorate (Service) DGI Human Rights and Rule of Law (Department of Social Rights)

Origin/DG Remarks The European Committee of Social Rights is established by the European Social Charter. It is composed of 15 independent experts. It works on two specific objectives: treating collective complaints and examining national reports on the application of the European Social Charter with a view to rule on the conformity of national situations under the Charter.

- Objective(s)**
- To examine the pending collective complaints.
 - To adopt Conclusions XXII-3 (2022) of the 1961 Charter and Conclusions 2022 of the Revised Charter.
 - To examine developments relating to the procedure on non-accepted provisions (Implementation of Article 22 of the 1961 Charter).
 - To resume discussion of the progress of the work of the Committee of Ministers Working Party (GT-CHARTÉ).
 - To examine and adopt the distribution of Rapporteur responsibilities and the composition of the sub-committees for Conclusions 2023/Conclusions XXII-4 (2023).
 - To elect a new Bureau.

Output 1) The Committee adopted Conclusions XXII-3 (2022) of the 1961 Charter and Conclusions 2022 of the Revised

Charter in respect of 35 State reports;

- 2) The Committee adopted a decision on admissibility in the following complaint:
 - European Organisation of Military Associations and Trade Unions (EUROMIL) v. Ireland
Complaint No. 212/2022;
- 3) The Committee proceeded to a second deliberation in the following complaints:
 - Validity v. Finland
Complaint No.197/2020;
- 4) The Committee heard presentations of the main issues at stake in the following complaints:
 - Association of Secondary Teachers Ireland (ASTI) v. Ireland
Complaint No. 180/2018
 - *Confédération française démocratique du travail* (CFDT) v. France
Complaint No.189/2020;
- 5) The Committee examined developments related to upcoming reports and meetings on non-accepted provisions;
- 6) The Committee held a discussion of the on-going work of GT-CHARTÉ;
- 7) The Committee examined and adopted the distribution of Rapporteur responsibilities and the composition of the sub-committees for Conclusions 2023/Conclusions XXII-4 (2023);
- 8) The Committee elected its new Bureau: President – Aoife NOLAN, Vice-President – Eliane CHEMLA, Vice-President – Tatiana PUIU, General Rapporteur – Kristine DUPATE.

**Conclusions/
Follow Up**

The Committee instructed the Secretariat:

- to notify Conclusions 2023/Conclusions XXII-4 (2023) to States with a view to making them public on 22 March 2023;
- To follow the collective complaints procedure with the Rapporteurs for the pending complaints;

- to transmit to the parties and publish the decision on admissibility;
- to be in contact with States concerned by reports and meetings on non-accepted provisions.

Participants

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