



DRAFT AGENDA

ROUND TABLE MEETING

on the follow-up to be given to the report by the Group of Experts on Action against Trafficking in Human Beings (GRETA) and the Committee of the Parties' recommendation concerning the implementation of the Council of Europe Convention on Action against Trafficking in Human Beings by Latvia

DATE: 10 December 2014

TIME: 09:30-18:00

PLACE: Albert Hotel, Riga, Latvia

09:30 – 09:40	Opening Mr Dimitrijs Trofimovs , National Co-ordinator for Combating Trafficking in Human Beings
09:40 – 09:50	Presentation on the purpose and expected results of the round-table meeting Ms Ita Mirianashvili , Administrator, Anti-trafficking Division, Council of Europe
09:50 – 10:00	Presentation on the main GRETA recommendations in the first evaluation report on Latvia Ms Klara Skrivankova , Consultant, Council of Europe
10:00 – 10:15	Presentation on the steps already taken or planned in Latvia to implement the recommendations made by GRETA and the Committee of the Parties Mr Dimitrijs Trofimovs , National Co-ordinator for Combating Trafficking in Human Beings
10:15 – 11:15	Prevention of trafficking in human beings , including preventive measures targeted at children and young people, and social and economic initiatives for groups vulnerable to trafficking Moderated by Ms Klara Skrivankova , Consultant, Council of Europe
11:15 – 11:30	Coffee break
11:30 – 12:30	Protection and promotion of the rights of victims of trafficking in human beings , in particular, improved identification, including of child victims; provision of assistance adapted to the victims' needs; ensuring that the recovery and reflection period is fully reflected in legislation and practice; and improved access to compensation for victims of trafficking Moderated by Ms Klara Skrivankova , Consultant, Council of Europe
12:30 – 14:00	Lunch
14:00 – 15:30	Prosecution of traffickers , including proactive investigations, improving the efficiency of prosecutions, ensuring that sanctions imposed are proportionate and dissuasive, and improving the knowledge of judges, prosecutors, investigators and lawyers regarding human trafficking and the rights of victims of trafficking Moderated by Ms Klara Skrivankova , Consultant, Council of Europe
15:30 – 16:00	Coffee break
16:00 – 17:00	Partnerships and co-ordination , including enhancing international co-operation and strengthening co-ordination between all actors in the anti-trafficking field, including at local level and with civil society Moderated by Ms Klara Skrivankova , Consultant, Council of Europe
17:00 – 17:30	Identifying specific measures to strengthen the implementation of Convention of Action against Trafficking in Human Beings with the assistance of the Council of Europe Moderated by Mr Dimitrijs Trofimovs , National Co-ordinator for Combating Trafficking in Human Beings
17:30 – 18:00	Closing remarks