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Working session 12: Fundamental freedoms I (continued), including freedom of thought, conscience, religion or belief

Recommendations to participating States

Italy

 L'Italia reputa, infine, di fondamentale importanza potenziare la collaborazione tra gli Stati membri dell'OSCE, anche al fine di realizzare incontri ed eventi con rappresentanti delle instituzioni e delle comunita ebraiche che siano dedicati allo scambio delle buone prassi, all'elaborazione di linee guida ed all'identificazione di strumenti efficaci di lotta al fenomeno, nonche di indicatori comuni per una corretta e omogenea rilevazione dei dati, strumento indispensabile per poter piu efficacemente conoscere e sradicare i'antisemitismo nell'area OSCE

ABTTF - Federation of Western Thrace Turks in Europe

To Greece:

- We therefore urge Greece to fully comply with the Treaty of Lausanne of 1923 and prior Athens Treaty of 1913 and Its Third Protocol and allow the Turkish minority in Western Thrace to elect freely its own religious leaders as the Jewish Central Board or the Catholic and Protestant Church.
- We request from the Greek government to repeal the Law 4115/2013 which hinders
 the minority from managing and controlling its own religious institutions and exercising
 its religion freely therein.

ADF International

- strongly urges participating States to robustly safeguard not just the right to hold different beliefs, but also the right to live out those beliefs
- further urges participating States to refrain from compelling individuals to engage in activity that is in serious conflict with their genuinely-held religious or other convictions, so as to force them to act against the dictates of conscience

Administrative Centre of Jehovah's Witnesses in Russia

request the Russian Federation to:

- Cease misapplying legislation on extremism to the peaceful worship of Jehovah's Witnesses
- Rescind the Warning issued to the Administrative Centre of Jehovah's Witnesses
- Remove religious publications from the Federal List of Extremist Materials
- Ensure that Jehovah's Witnesses can peacefully enjoy freedom of religion and assembly without interference
- Enforce media standards prohibiting libel and slander

Buergerbewegung (Citizens' Movement) PAX EUROPA e.V.

 BPE ersucht die Österreichische Bundesregierung und das Österreichische Parlament darum, dass die Gültigkeit jener – derzeit verletzten – Gesetzes-, Verfassungs- und Grundrechtenormen wiederhergestellt wird, die auf den Europäischen Werten beruhen.

CAPLC - Coordination des Associations et Particuliers pour la Liberte de Conscience

• We therefore ask Mr Valls, France's Prime Minister, to put an end to the financial support of FECRIS, sending it back to its status of NON GOVERNMENTAL organization

Christliche Gemeinde des Vollen Evangeliums "Neues Leben" e.V.

• Убедительно просим казахскую делегацию отнестись более серьезно к соблюдению взятых страной обязательств в области реализации прав и свобод человека, в том числе права на свободу совести и вероисповедания закрепив в Казахстане нормы и механизмы использования данных законодательных и правовых актов по профилактике правонарушений в вышеизложенной сфере

East European Security Research Initiative Foundation (EESRI)

To the participating States of the OSCE:

- Refraining from the politically motivated speculations, as if the national security protection can benefit from the restriction of fundamental freedoms, including freedom of thought, conscience, religion or belief;
- Facilitating the human rights education in accordance with the OSCE commitments, ensuring that it is mainstreamed in educational curricula at all levels;
- Paying proper attention to the Russia's responsibility for the fundamental freedoms violations in the illegally annexed Crimea and de-facto occupied territories in the Donetsk and Luhansk regions.

European Association of Jehovah's Christian Witnesses, United Kingdom

request the government of Kazakhstan to:

- End the arrest, prosecution, and harassment of Jehovah's Witnesses for so-called unregistered missionary activity
- Lift imposed bans on religious publications of Jehovah's Witnesses and restrictions on distribution
- Fulfil its obligations under international law to guarantee freedom of religion, expression, assembly, and association for all citizens, including Jehovah's Witnesses request the government Kyrgyzstan to:

- Allow Jehovah's Witnesses to register their local religious organisations in the southern regions of Kyrgyzstan
- End harassment of individuals and interference with religious services by the police in the southern regions of Kyrgyzstan

request the government of Turkey to:

- Recognize the right to conscientious objection to military service and provide for alternative civilian service
- Apply zoning laws correctly to allow them to build and register places of worship request the government of Turkmenistan to:
 - Release Bahram Hemdemov, who was imprisoned for peaceful religious activity
 - Release Mansur Masharipov, who was also imprisoned for peaceful religious activity
 - Permit Jehovah's Witnesses to register their religious organisations in the country
 - Recognize the right to conscientious objection to military service and provide for alternative civilian service
 - Allow Jehovah's Witnesses legally to import and share Bibles and their Bible-based literature
 - Terminate illegal searches and seizures of religious literature from homes of believers
- Stop arresting and prosecuting people for attending peaceful religious gatherings request the government of Uzbekistan to:
 - Grant registration to the local community of Jehovah's Witnesses in Tashkent and other cities
 - Terminate illegal searches of private homes and seizures of religious literature
 - Stop arrests and prosecutions for attending religious meetings and for peacefully and respectfully sharing one's beliefs with others
 - Cease harassing Jehovah's Witnesses for mere possession of religious literature
 - Uphold the fundamental freedoms guaranteed by the Constitution of Uzbekistan and the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights

European Baptist Federation

• We call on the Tajik government to immediately and firmly respond to threats against religious minority groups. Repeal laws which infringe upon the freedom of religion and belief for all, particularly minority religious groups. Apply laws related to religious groups, including how to gain legal registration status, clearly and consistently. Train local authorities, including the police and government officials, on the importance of the freedom of religion or belief and on how to consistently apply related laws. Take concrete steps in order to foster greater cooperation and brotherhood among different faith groups. Establish a representative body of religious leaders who could consult with the government on issues of freedom of religion or belief. Encourage interfaith dialogue and understanding through education as well as cultural events. Repeal or modify the law limiting the participation of minors in religious activities. Remove administrative barriers prohibiting the local printing or importation of religious literature such as Scriptures and religious training materials

FOREF Europe (Forum for Religious Freedom - Europe)

calls upon the Government of Hungary:

• To introduce legislation to Parliament that will amend Hungary's law on the legal status of churches in a way that harmonizes with Helsinki standards, the European

- Convention on Human Rights, and the ruling of the ECtHR in Magyar Keresztény Mennonita Egyház and others v. Hungary.
- Restore the legal status of churches stripped of legal personality in 2011 through a
 procedure ruled unconstitutional by Hungary's Constitutional Court and found in
 breach of the European Convention of Human Rights by the European Court of Human
 Rights.

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participating States, OSCE institutions and field operations, and civil society could:

- insist that human dimension commitments are implemented in full by all participating States;
- mainstream freedom of religion or belief work within an all human rights for all perspective, firmly linking implementation of the freedom of religion or belief with other fundamental freedoms such as expression, assembly, association, and the right to be free from torture;
- insist in line with human dimension commitments that the non-negotiable first and most effective step to ensure security is fully implementing fundamental freedoms commitments;
- challenge the misuse of concept such as "anti-terrorism", "extremism", "religious tolerance" and "dialogue" to disguise human dimension commitment violations;
- use tools such as the EU Guidelines on the promotion and protection of freedom of religion or belief, the OSCE/Venice Commission Joint Guidelines on the Legal Personality of Religion or Belief Communities and on Freedom of Association, the OSCE Guidelines on Freedom of Peaceful Assembly, and on the Protection of Human Rights Defenders.

"Giuseppe Dossetti" Observatory for Religious Tolerance and Freedom Participating States are urged to:

- benefit from the Guidelines on the Legal Personality of Religious or Belief Communities in drafting and reviewing legislation pertaining to registration of religious communities.
- engage in consultations with religious communities in order to adopt antidiscrimination laws which do not violate the autonomy and self-organization of the religious communities.
- foster the participation of religious communities in public life and welcome the interventions in the public debate of the religious leaders.
- promote a dialogue between the representatives of the religious communities that are building a new place of worship and the religious communities historically present in the places in order to foster a climate of mutual tolerance and respect between believers of different communities.
- return to religious communities the place of worship which were confiscated by public authorities, returning them to the original owner instead allocating to other religious communities.
- adopt legislation and zoning laws which prohibits zoning of place of worship for different use than the original.
- guarantee the right to wear religious symbols and attire in public spaces.
- guarantee the conscientious objection not only to the compulsory military service but also in relation to all morally sensitive questions.

- not force children to a compulsory religious or ethical teaching which may be not consistent with the convictions of the children's parents, providing for this case nondiscriminatory opt-out possibilities.
- request the assistance of the OSCE/ODIHR in reviewing or drafting legislation pertaining freedom of religion or belief.
- mainstream freedom of religion or belief in their foreign policies.

Greek Orthodox Ladies Philoptochos Society, Inc.

recommends that the government of Turkey do the following:

- Officially recognize that the Ecumenical Patriarchate and its institutions have legal personality and standing, with rights to acquire, own, build and repair property
- Officially recognize the "Ecumenical" status of the Patriarch and Patriarchate.
- Fairly and expeditiously implement the August 2011 decree allowing for the return of all confiscated property.
- Allow the Ecumenical Patriarchate to reopen the Theological School of Halki.
- Abstain completely from any national or local government interference related to the internal governance of the Ecumenical Patriarchate.
- Fully implement the 1948 Universal Declaration of Human Rights and the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, to which Turkey has subscribed, and provide equal rights to all religious minority communities.

Human Rights Without Frontiers

To the Russian authorities:

- to recognize that Jehovah's Witnesses are non-violent and not extremist as they respect the beliefs of other people;
- to stop using the "Law on combating extremist activity" against them;
- to lift the ban on all their publications filed on the Federal List of Extremist Materials as their brochures do not pose any problem in any of the countries of the world where they are freely distributed;
- to respect their right to freedom of expression and to share their beliefs in the public space.

International Civil Liberties Alliance (ICLA)

• recommends the development of legal measures to enable OSCE participating countries to implement the requalification as "anti-democratic political organization" of any organization or group individually or collectively involved in sharia law's rules dissemination, whether by teaching, by promotion, or by any form of incitement. Such organizations, once reclassified, can then see their work become part of the criminal field reserved for attacks on the democratic form of countries, incitement to discrimination, hatred and violence, and finally for attacks on the rights and freedoms of others.

International Raelian Movement

propose [to France]:

 la dissolution de la MIVILUDES, l'arrêt du financement des organismes anti sectes, la suppression de l'arsenal juridique anti secte et l'interdiction des mots"secte" et "sectaires " dans les documents officiels en ce qu'ils visent les minorités religieuses;

- autant de dispositifs qui ont montré leur inefficacité et leur dangerosité pour les libertés;
- la mise en place d'une instance indépendante soumettant tous les écrits religieux à la lecture des textes sur les droits humains afin de supprimer ceux qui sont contraires aux libertés et droits fondamentaux; cette instance pourrait être l'observatoire de la laïcité;
- le développement d'une éducation permettant d'enseigner aux enfants les valeurs de respect, et incluant la parole des athées

KrymSOS

• Мы обращаемся к РФ прекратить серьезные нарушения свободы совести и вероисповевдания и преследования религиозных групп в Крыму. Мы также обращаем к государствам-участникам ОБСЕ продолжать обращать внимание на данную ситуации и использовать доступные механизмы для ее улучшения.

Legal Information Centre for Human Rights

- Государствам Латвии, Литвы и Эстонии законодательно сузить и обнародовать круг деяний, за совершение которых граждане Евросоюза и третьих стран могут быть привлечены к ответственности в этих государствах по обвинению в угрозе национальной безопасности и к ним могут быть применены санкции в виде внесения в, так называемые, «чёрные списки».
- Властям Эстонии обеспечить соблюдение положения конституционного права на свободу иметь и выражать собственное мнение; принять эффективные меры по защите этого права лиц всех национальностей, проживающих в стране.

Muslim Denomination in Bulgaria

our recommendations to the Bulgarian authorities are:

- We appeal to the Members of Parliament of the Republic of Bulgaria to vote in accordance with their conscience and not to allow the rights of a portion of citizens to be disrespected; in this way they can guarantee the freedom of religion and conscience. To respect human rights and religious freedoms when adopting laws and amendments, which are guaranteed by international treaties and the Constitution;
- We urge the Constitutional Court to review the decision of parliament about the above mentioned laws and amendments. To observe the constitutional rights of the citizens and to defend democracy and fundamental freedoms in Bulgaria;
- Take effective measures, including the adoption, in conformity with the constitutionn and international obligations of Bulgaria, of such laws which can be necessary to provide protection against any acts that constitute incitement to hatred and violation of fundamental rights;
- If necessary the matter of law drafts and amendments to be referred to the Venice Commission, Council of Europe;
- Ensure that public officials at all levels, including ministers and politicians, refrain from making statements that incite violence and discrimination;
- Develop codes of conduct for political representatives to condemn unequivocally all manifestations of hate in public discourse and acts of violence based on bias and refrain from making discriminatory statements;
- Launch public awareness activities disassociating terrorism and violent extremism with Muslims and Islam;

- Develop comprehensive education policies and awareness raising strategies to combat discrimination and promote tolerance and mutual understanding. Education must be the essential central plank to every strategy. Overcoming prejudice requires education, community engagement and dialogue;
- In the current climate of fear and insecurity, political and community leaders have a
 vital role to play in speaking out against discrimination, non-tolerance and promoting
 the principles of multiculturalism and social inclusion. Positive public statements can be
 extraordinarily powerful and send a vital symbolic message to the community that nontolerance and discrimination is never acceptable.
- Discriminatory attitudes are often deeply embedded and hard to shake. Overcoming
 prejudice requires education, community engagement and dialogue, leadership and,
 laws and policies which reflect and promote the principle of non-discrimination.
- Submissions to Cabinet about new laws or policies must be accompanied by a Human Rights Impact Statement. New bills must be accompanied by a human rights compatibility statement. A parliamentary scrutiny committee must independently assess the human rights compatibility of new bills, and Parliament must justify its actions if it decides to pass laws which are inconsistent with human rights principles.

Office of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints

We respectfully submit participating Statas the following considerations:

- Freedom of religion or Belief is a fundamental human right one that is now protected
 in the laws of many nations represented in at this conference and around the world, as
 well as in global compacts like the Universal Declaration of Human Rights (1948);
- Religious freedom promotes stability in a pluralistic society, but when limited, it correlates to increased violence and conflict. Whereever religious freedom is high, there is more economic prosperity, better health, lower income inequality and prolonged democracy. Religious freedom directly correlates with the protection afforded other civil and human rights

Open Viewpoint Public Foundation

[To Kyrgyzstan]:

- Необходимо обеспечить деление кладбищ на сектора, чтобы обеспечить захоронение умерших кыргызов-не мусульман.
- Обращаюсь к властям обеспечить расследование противоправных действий в отношении верующих и их общин, и защитников свободы религии. Ожидаю реакции Генпрокуратуры и привлечение к ответственности сотрудников Госкомитета нацбезопасности (ГКНБ) и МВД, которые год назад нарушили неприкосновенность моего жилища и частной жизни.
- Обращаюсь к властям Кыргызстана помнить о пролитой в 2010 году крови, отказаться от изменения Конституции, не лишать верующих прав и свобод, включая обращение в КПЧ.

Order of St. Andrew

[To Turkey]

 Officially recognize that the Ecumenical Patriarchate and its institutions have legal personality and standing, with rights to acquire, own, build and repair property. If necessary, the laws related to minority foundations should be amended.

- Officially recognize the "Ecumenical" status of the Patriarch and Patriarchate.
- Fairly and expeditiously implement the August 2011 decree allowing for the return of all confiscated property.
- Allow the Ecumenical Patriarchate to reopen the Theological School of Halki.
- Abstain completely from any national or local government interference related to the internal governance of the Ecumenical Patriarchate.
- Fully implement the 1948 Universal Declaration of Human Rights and the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, to which Turkey has subscribed, and provide equal rights to all religious minority communities.

SOVA Center for Information and Analysis

Мы призываем российские власти

- Отменить «антимиссионерские» поправки, фактически сделавшие рискованной любую религиозную деятельность вне культовых сооружений.
- Отказаться от использования такого инструмента защиты толерантности, в том числе религиозной, как списки запрещенной литературы. Этот инструмент уже продемонстрировал свою полную неэффективность, зато он порождает множество нарушений прав человека.
- Инициировать пересмотр ранее принятых судебных решений о запретах религиозных организаций, так как во всех таких случаях есть, по меньшей мере, некоторые основания сомневаться в достаточности рассмотренных доказательств.

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 recommends that the OSCE and all participating States rethink the role they play in facilitating attacks on freedom of speech masked in sophistic narratives that pretend to uphold those freedoms when in fact suppress them

Western Thrace Minority University Graduates Association

calls upon the Greek State:

- To take necessary steps to eliminate the problems regarding the religious rights of the Muslim Turkish Minority
- To recognize the elected muftis of the Turkish Minority
- To respect and implement the provisions of 1913 Athens Treaty and 1923 Lausanne Peace Treaty
- To have a dialogue with the representatives of the Turkish Minority

Recommendations to the OSCE Institutions

Azerbaijan

 we suggest the OSCE ODIHR to appreciate Azerbaijan's policy on state-religion relation and explore applicability of Azerbaijani practices on tolerance and multiculturalism in the other countries.

ABTTF - Federation of Western Thrace Turks in Europe

 We would like to the OSCE/ODIHR Advisory Panel of Experts on Freedom of Religion or Belief to ensure that the participating States respect the right of the religious minorities and communities to select, appoint and replace their personnel in accordance with their respective requirements and standards in accordance with Vienna 1989, Questions Relating to Security in Europe

Act for America 5280 Coalition

- recommends that the OSCE become familiar with the Shari'a Law that denies these basic human rights granted under Article 18.
- further recommends that the OSCE be reminded of the findings of the ECHR that "the institution of Sharia law and a theocratic regime, were incompatible with the requirements of a democratic society"

East European Security Research Initiative Foundation (EESRI)

To the ODIHR:

- Establishing a special international commission on human rights monitoring in the annexed Crimea and occupied territories in the Donetsk and Luhansk regions;
- Providing assistance to further improve the legislation on fundamental freedoms in Ukraine with paying special attention to the proper recording of violations in this sphere and bringing abusers to responsibility;
- Supporting regional, subregional and national initiatives on monitoring and protecting the fundamental freedoms.

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participating States, OSCE institutions and field operations, and civil society could:

- insist that human dimension commitments are implemented in full by all participating States;
- mainstream freedom of religion or belief work within an all human rights for all perspective, firmly linking implementation of the freedom of religion or belief with other fundamental freedoms such as expression, assembly, association, and the right to be free from torture;
- insist in line with human dimension commitments that the non-negotiable first and most effective step to ensure security is fully implementing fundamental freedoms commitments;
- challenge the misuse of concept such as "anti-terrorism", "extremism", "religious tolerance" and "dialogue" to disguise human dimension commitment violations;
- use tools such as the EU Guidelines on the promotion and protection of freedom of religion or belief, the OSCE/Venice Commission Joint Guidelines on the Legal Personality of Religion or Belief Communities and on Freedom of Association, the OSCE Guidelines on Freedom of Peaceful Assembly, and on the Protection of Human Rights Defenders.

"Giuseppe Dossetti" Observatory for Religious Tolerance and Freedom

The OSCE/ODIHR is called upon to:

- raise awareness on the positive contribution of the religions to the building and the well-being of our democratic societies.
- assist in cooperation with the Advisory Panel of Experts on Freedom of Religion or Belief – the participating States in reviewing or drafting legislation pertaining freedom of religion or belief in order to guarantee (a) that the liberty of parents to ensure the religious and moral education of their children in conformity with their own convictions

- is fully respected and (b) that the participating States provide non-discriminatory optout possibilities that would accommodate the wishes of parents.
- assist in cooperation with the Advisory Panel of Experts on Freedom of Religion or Belief – the participating States in reviewing or drafting legislation pertaining freedom of religion or belief in order to guarantee the right to conscientious objection in all morally sensitive questions, providing that the rights of others to be free from discrimination are respected and that the access to lawful services is guaranteed

The OSCE Representative on the Freedom of the Media is called upon to:

provide – in close cooperation with the OSCE-ODIHR and the Advisory Panel of Experts
on Freedom of Religion or Belief – guidelines for voluntary professional standards and
selfregulation of the media aimed to (i) promote knowledge and understanding of
religions, (ii) give a fair and accurate account of religious beliefs, and (iii) ensure that
members of religious communities are given the chance to express their own views on
the media.

Muslim Denomination in Bulgaria

Recommendations to ODIHR/OSCE

- The Office of Democratic Institutions and Human Rights/OSCE to monitor the irregularities in the above proposals for amendments to the laws and their voting in the Parliament hall.
- If necessary the matter of law drafts and amendments to be referred to the Venice Commission, Council of Europe;
- Develop analytically rigorous studies on possible relations between hate crimes and manifestations of intolerance and discrimination in public discourse;
- Design guidelines and compile examples of good practices to combat manifestations of Islamophobia in political discourse, including the media and political speech;
- Support civil society in monitoring, reporting on and countering discriminatory speech
 in the media including on the Internet, in particular through monitoring and reporting
 of Islamophobic speech;
- ODIHR to observe closely the process of combating intolerance and discrimination against Muslims, as well as the Freedom of Religion of Muslim minorities in non-Muslim countries;
- OSCE Ministerial Council to adopt a decision according to which Islamophobia should be a specific form of racism and recognize officially and condemn it. The OSCE to agree on a roadmap to ensure that participating states adopt national strategies to combat Islamophobia in areas such as employment, education, health, hate crime, criminal justice and legislation. The national counter-terrorism measures must build on independent impact assessment studies, include human rights safeguards and be complemented by long-term prevention through equality and social inclusion policies.

Russian Association for Religious Freedom

 РАРС призывает БДИЧП обратить внимание на проблемы религиозной свободы, обозначенные в докладе и принять меры для их решения. РАРС готова сотрудничать с БДИЧП по всем актуальным вопросам защиты религиозной свободы в странах входящих в ОБСЕ

Salut et Misericorde

To OSCE:

- Pour ma part, je recommande que dorenavant, dans tout echange entre l'OSCE et un pays musulman, en vue de supprimer les graves atteintes a la liberte de conscience et de religion, soit cherchee ensemble la reponse aux deux questions suivantes :
 - Comment l'islam peut-il accuser autrui de blaspheme alors que lui-meme blaspheme continuellement la Sainte Trinite;
 - Comment est-il possible pour un non-musulman de vivre en pays musulman sans blasphemer ni professer l'islam ?

Soteria International

recommends for the OSCE, and other competent bodies to investigate the situation
when actions related to a spiritual path can be considered as material elements of
criminal behaviour and to take the needed measures in order to avoid the
misinterpretation of spiritual beliefs and choices and the potential of subsequent
subjection of spiritual communities or practitioners to investigations based on such
alleged crimes.

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Recommendations to the OSCE Field Missions

East European Security Research Initiative Foundation (EESRI)

To the PCU:

- Further supporting of the interaction between public authorities and civil society on the issues of fundamental freedoms monitoring and protection;
- Continuing assistance to improve the legal education in Ukraine, including the implementation of the concept of legal education reform, organizing special training courses for the personnel of the law-enforcement authorities, elaborating together with the Ministry of Education and Science of the program to include the human rights education into the educational curricula at all levels;
- Organizing an information campaign for the wide audience on the essence of the fundamental freedoms and importance of their protecting and promoting.

To the SMM:

 Recording all detected violations of the fundamental freedoms in the territory of its monitoring with subsequent transmitting of such records to the Ukrainian lawenforcement authorities and the OSCE ODIHR for the further response.

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- other fundamental freedoms such as expression, assembly, association, and the right to be free from torture;
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"Giuseppe Dossetti" Observatory for Religious Tolerance and Freedom

 The OSCE Field Mission are urged to mainstream freedom of religion or belief in their programs and activities

Recommendations to the International Organizations

Legal Information Centre for Human Rights

 Международным правозащитным организациям разработать и внедрить круг мер по обеспечению контроля над действующими в государствах механизмами, позволяющими вносить тех или иных лиц в так называющими «черные списки», на соответствие этих механизмов установленным нормам и принципам международного права.

Non-Government and Non-Commercial Organizations' Association

• Поэтому сегодня международные институты обязаны жестко отслеживать такие действия и привлекать к ответственности, своевременно реагировать на обращения и давать письменные ответы своевременно, а также реагировать на публичные заявления о нарушении прав человека, без избирательности, вне геополитических интересов.

Friday, 27 September 2016

Working session 13: Fundamental freedoms II, including freedom of movement

Recommendations to participating States

Barnabas Fund

- OSCE states recognise the genocidal nature of actions of Islamic state and other armed groups in Syria and Iraq, against Christians, Yazidis and other minorities.
- OSCE states recognise that refugees from vulnerable minority groups, fleeing violence, have a particular call on aid and for asylum, and should be included among other priority groups.
- All countries should ensure that aid programmes into the region actually reach minority groups, as marginalised groups are rarely helped by generally distributed aid.

- All states should ensure that vulnerable religious minorities, especially Christians and Yazidis, are adequately represented among asylum places provided. This is especially important for the USA and UK, whose own figures show minorities to be woefully under-represented among Syrian refugees receiving asylum.
- OSCE states address issues of minorities among refugee groups, who are often
 persecuted by larger groups within refugee populations. Christians, Yazidis, converts
 from Islam, should not be placed within hosing centres dominated by a hostile majority
 population.

International Society of Meskhetian Turks "VATAN"

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просим руководство ООН и Всемирного банка:

- Дать оценку действиям генерального секретаря МЦУИСгоспожи М. Киннер:
 - по оказанию постоянного неправомерного давления на Кыргызскую Республику по исполнению вышеуказанного арбитражного решения по делу по иску «Sistem Muhendislik Insaat Sanayi ve Ticaret A.S»;
 - потребовать от Генерального секретаря МЦУИС обосновать в рамках Вашингтонской Конвенции причину столь откровенного превышения своих полномочий, выражающееся в оказании давления по исполнению решения международного арбитража в отсутствии соответствующих норм.
- Довести до сведения всего руководства МЦУИС, что Кыргызская Республика в настоящее время не прошла все необходимые процедуры в качестве участника Вашингтонской Конвенции, и вытекающее из этого обстоятельство, что юрисдикция МЦУИС по данному конкретному спору не является подтвержденной и безусловной.
- Поручить руководящему Комитету МЦУИС
 - рассмотреть ответственность арбитров, по результатам, рассмотреть необходимость принятия мер дисциплинарного и иного правового воздействия в отношении арбитров МЦУИС, вынесших необоснованное решение по делу №ARB/(AF)/06/1 от 09 сентября 2009 года, а именно: Prof. AV Lowe, Judge N.Elaraby, Dr.P.Patocchi;
 - дать правовую оценку вынесения международным арбитражем неправомерного решения, которое грубо нарушает принцип судебного иммунитета Кыргызской Республики, вынести данный вопрос на расследование руководящим комитетом МЦУИС.