



Supplementary Human Dimension Meeting

RULE OF LAW IN THE PROMOTION AND PROTECTION OF HUMAN RIGHTS

11-12 July 2013
Hofburg, Vienna

AGENDA

Day 1

11 July 2013

15:00 – 16:00

OPENING SESSION

Opening remarks:

Ambassador Ihor Prokopchuk, Chairperson of the OSCE Permanent Council, Permanent Representative of Ukraine to the OSCE

Ambassador Janez Lenarčič, Director of the OSCE Office for Democratic Institutions and Human Rights (OSCE/ODIHR)

Keynote speech:

Mr. Tsog Log, Vice-Chairman and Member of parliament of Mongolia

Technical information by **Ms. Snježana Bokulić**, Head of the OSCE/ODIHR Human Rights Department

16:00 – 18:00

SESSION I: The Role of Legislative, Regulatory and Institutional Frameworks as well as Governments and Civil Society in the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights

Introducer:

Mr. Harry Hummel, Executive Director, Netherlands Helsinki Committee

Moderator:

Ms. Snježana Bokulić, Head of the OSCE/ODIHR Human Rights Department

18:00 – 19:00

Reception hosted by the Ukrainian Chairmanship

Day 2

12 July 2013

10:00 – 12:00

SESSION II: Effective National and International Instruments to Protect Human Rights and Prevent Human Rights Violations: Best Practices, Current Challenges and Solutions

Introducer:

Mr. Johannes Thoolen, Secretary of the Board, Martin Ennals Foundation

Moderator:

Mr. Omer Fisher, Deputy Head of the OSCE/ODIHR Human Rights Department

12:00 – 14:00

Lunch break

14:00 – 16:00

SESSION III: Strengthening the Rule of Law in the Promotion and Protection of Civil, Political, Social, Economic and Cultural Rights

Introducer:

Mr. Georgy Kunadze, Deputy Head of the Office of the Commissioner for Human Rights in the Russian Federation, Assistant Commissioner

Moderator:

Mr. Steven Wagenseil, Adviser, Chief Program Officer, Council for a Community of Democracies

16:00 – 16:30

Break

16:30 – 17:30

CLOSING SESSION

Reports by the Moderators of the Working Sessions

Comments from the floor

Closing remarks

Ambassador Janez Lenarčič, Director of the OSCE/ODIHR

17:30

Closing