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# 970th PLENARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL

1. Date: Thursday, 7 November 2013

Opened: 9.35 a.m. Closed: 1.10 p.m.

2. Chairperson: Ambassador I. Prokopchuk

3. <u>Subjects discussed – Statements – Decisions/documents adopted:</u>

Agenda item 1: REPORT BY THE DIRECTOR OF THE OFFICE FOR

DEMOCRATIC INSTITUTIONS AND HUMAN RIGHTS

(ODIHR) ON THE HUMAN DIMENSION

IMPLEMENTATION MEETING

Director of the Office for Democratic Institutions and Human Rights (ODIHR.GAL/80/13), Lithuania-European Union (with the candidate countries the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Iceland, Montenegro and Serbia; the countries of the Stabilisation and Association Process and potential candidate countries Albania and Bosnia and Herzegovina; as well as Andorra, Moldova and San Marino, in alignment) (PC.DEL/903/13), United States of America (PC.DEL/915/13) (PC.DEL/916/13), Russian Federation, Switzerland (also on behalf of Liechtenstein) (PC.DEL/913/13 OSCE+), Canada, Belarus, Norway (PC.DEL/908/13), Turkey (PC.DEL/911/13), Holy See, OSCE Parliamentary Assembly, Serbia, United Kingdom, Chairperson

Agenda item 2: REPORT BY THE PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES OF

THE OSCE CHAIRPERSON-IN-OFFICE ON COMBATING ANTI-SEMITISM; ON COMBATING INTOLERANCE AND

DISCRIMINATION AGAINST MUSLIMS; AND ON

COMBATING RACISM, XENOPHOBIA AND DISCRIMINATION, ALSO FOCUSING ON

INTOLERANCE AND DISCRIMINATION AGAINST CHRISTIANS AND MEMBERS OF OTHER RELIGIONS

Personal Representative of the OSCE Chairperson-in-Office on Combating Anti-Semitism (CIO.GAL/159/13), Personal Representative of the OSCE

Chairperson-in-Office on Combating Intolerance and Discrimination against Muslims (CIO.GAL/158/13), Personal Representative of the OSCE Chairperson-in-Office on Combating Racism, Xenophobia and Discrimination, also focusing on Intolerance and Discrimination against Christians and Members of other Religions (CIO.GAL/161/13), Lithuania-European Union (with the candidate countries the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Iceland and Montenegro; the countries of the Stabilisation and Association Process and potential candidate countries Albania and Bosnia and Herzegovina; the European Free Trade Association country Norway, member of the European Economic Area; as well as Andorra, Moldova and San Marino, in alignment) (PC.DEL/904/13), United States of America (PC.DEL/917/13), Russian Federation, Switzerland (also on behalf of Serbia) (PC.DEL/914/13 OSCE+), Kazakhstan, Canada, Turkey (PC.DEL/912/13), Holy See, France, Sweden, Armenia (PC.DEL/920/13), Chairperson

### Agenda item 3: REVIEW OF CURRENT ISSUES

- (a) Municipal elections in Kosovo, held on 3 November 2013: Lithuania-European Union (with the candidate countries the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Montenegro; the country of the Stabilisation and Association Process and potential candidate country Bosnia and Herzegovina; the European Free Trade Association countries Liechtenstein and Norway, members of the European Economic Area; as well as Moldova, in alignment) (PC.DEL/905/13), United States of America (PC.DEL/918/13), Switzerland (PC.DEL/910/13 OSCE+), Russian Federation, Director of the Conflict Prevention Centre, Albania (PC.DEL/906/13), Serbia (PC.DEL/919/13 OSCE+)
- (b) Presidential elections in Tajikistan, held on 6 November 2013: Tajikistan (PC.DEL/909/13 OSCE+), Russian Federation, Belarus, Lithuania-European Union, OSCE Parliamentary Assembly

Agenda item 4: REPORT ON THE ACTIVITIES OF THE CHAIRPERSON-IN-OFFICE

Announcement of the distribution of the report on the activities of the Chairperson-in-Office: Chairperson

#### Agenda item 5: REPORT OF THE SECRETARY GENERAL

- (a) Announcement of the distribution of the report of the Secretary General: Director of the Conflict Prevention Centre
- (b) Address of the Secretary General at a donors conference on the MONDEM programme, held in Podgorica on 1 November 2013: Director of the Conflict Prevention Centre, Montenegro (PC.DEL/907/13)

### Agenda item 6: ANY OTHER BUSINESS

- (a) Supplementary Human Dimension Meeting on the Implementation of the Action Plan on Improving the Situation of Roma and Sinti (dedicated to the 10th anniversary of the adoption of the 2003 OSCE Action Plan), to be held on 7 and 8 November 2013: Chairperson
- (b) Announcement of an ambassadorial charity concert, to be held in Vienna on 22 November 2013: Chairperson

## 4. <u>Next meeting</u>:

Thursday, 14 November 2013, at 9.30 a.m., in the Neuer Saal