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MINUTES

Extraordinary meeting of 9 December 2024, 15.00 – 18.00

BRUSSELS

The meeting opened at 15.13 on Monday, 9 December 2024, with Marta Temido (Vice-Chair) presiding.

1. Adoption of the agenda

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The agenda was adopted.

2. Chair's announcements

3. A spotlight on Human Rights Defenders: enhancing the common agenda for protection

Speakers: Marta Temido (Vice Chair), Nicolae Ștefănuță (Vice President of the European Parliament), Volker Türk (UN High-Commissioner for Human Rights) via video message, Mary Lawlor (UN Special Rapporteur on the situation of Human Rights Defenders), Simon Mordue (EEAS), Mursal Sayas (human rights defender from Afghanistan), Anibal Toruño (human rights defender from Nicaragua), Lukas Diko (human rights defender from Slovakia), Ingrid Bellander Todino (European Commission), Weronika Frydryszek (Representative to the Political and Security Committee and Deputy Head of the Permanent Representation of Poland to the EU), Tinatin Tsertsvadze (Open Society European Policy Institute, Human Rights and Democracy Network), Isabel Wiseler Lima, Marco Tarquinio, Matthieu Valet, Kamel Jendoubi (human rights defender from Tunisia), Julius Mvenyi Ntobuah (human rights defender from Sweden), Petras Auštrevičius, Nour Khalil (human

rights defender from Egypt), Justyna Wydrzynska (human rights defender from Poland), Abdulwahid Hassan (human rights defender from Kenya), Peggy Hicks (UN Human Rights Office), Martin Seychell (European Commission), Alan Glasgow (Front Line Defenders, ProtectDefenders.eu), Andreas Accardo (EU Agency for Fundamental Rights), Hannah Neumann, Chloé Ridel, Catarina Vieira, Dalila Argueta (human rights defender from Honduras), Christina Meinecke (United Nations)

4. Any other business

5. Date of next meeting

- 27 January 2025, 15.00 – 18.30 (Brussels)
- 28 January 2025, 9.00 – 12.30 and 14.30 – 18.30 (Brussels)

The meeting closed at 18.03.

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Marta Temido (1 st VP)
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Petras Auštrevičius, Reinhold Lopatka, Chloe Ridel, Marco Tarquinio, Matthieu Valet, Isabel Wiseler-Lima
Заместници/Suplentes/Náhradníci/Stedfortrædere/Stellvertreter/Asendusliikmed/Αναπληρωτές/Substitutes/Suppléants/Zamjenici/ Supplenti/Aizstājēji/Pavaduojantysnariai/Pötagok/Sostituti/Plaatsvervangers/Zastępcy/Membros suplentes/Supleanți/Náhradníci/ Namestniki/Varajäsenet/Suppleanter
Sandra Gómez López, Hannah Neumann, Bert-Jan Ruissen, Catarina Vieira

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222 (3)
Nicolae Ștefănuță, Javier Zarzalejos
57 (8) (Точка от дневния ред/Punto del orden del día/Bod pořadu jednání (OJ)/Punkt på dagsordenen/Tagesordnungspunkt/ Päevakorra punkt/Σημείο της ημερήσιας διάταξης/Agenda item/Point OJ/Τοčka dnevnog reda/Punto all'ordine del giorno/Darba kārtības punkts/Darbotvarkēs punktas/Napirendi pont/Punt Agenda/Agendapunt/Punkt porządku dziennego/Ponto OD/Punct de pe ordinea de zi/Bod programu schůdze/Točka UL/Esityslistan kohta/Punkt på föredragningslistan)

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Mary Lawlor (UN Special Rapporteur on the situation of Human Rights Defenders)

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Tinatin Tsertsvadze (Advocacy Adviser, Open Society European Policy Institute, Human Rights and Democracy Network)

Peggy Hicks (Director of the Thematic Engagement, Special Procedures and Right to Development Division, UN Human Rights Office)

Alan Glasgow (Executive Director of Front Line Defenders and Chair of the Board of ProtectDefenders.eu)

Christina Meinecke (Senior Human Rights Advisor, United Nations)

Mursal Sayas (human rights defender from Afghanistan)

Anibal Toruño (human rights defender from Nicaragua)

Lukas Diko, human rights defender from Slovakia)

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Nour Khalil (human rights defender from Egypt)

Justyna Wydrzynska (human rights defender from Poland)

Abdulwahid Hassan (human rights defender from Kenya)

Dalila Argueta (human rights defender from Honduras)

Съвет/Consejo/Rada/Rådet/Rat/Nöukogu/Συμβούλιο/Council/Conseil/Vijeće/Consiglio/Padome/Taryba/Tanács/Kunsill/Raad/ Conselho/Consiliu/Svet/Neuvosto/Rådet (*)

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Ingrid Bellander Todino (DG JUST), Martin Seychell (DG INTPA)

Други институции и органи/Otras instituciones y organismos/Ostatni orgány a institute/Andre institutioner og organer/Andere Organe und Einrichtungen/Muud institutsioonid ja organid/Λοιπά θεσμικά όργανα και οργανισμοί/Other institutions and bodies/Autres institutions et organes/Druge institucije i tijela/Altre istituzioni e altri organi/Citas iestādes un struktūras/Kitos institucijos ir įstaigos/ Más intézmények és szervek/Istituzjonijiet u korpi oħra/Andere instellingen en organen/Inne instytucje i organy/Outras instituições e outros órgãos/Alte instituții și organe/Iné inštitúcie a orgány/Muut toimielimet ja elimet/Andra institutioner och organ

EEAS	Simon Mordue
EU Agency for Fundamental Rights	Andreas Accardo

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