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## **Committee on Migration, Refugees and Displaced Persons**

### **Draft agenda**

**of the meeting to be held in Strasbourg on**

- **Tuesday, 10 October 2017, from 8.30 to 9.30 am (Room 8)**
- **Tuesday, 10 October 2017, from 2.00 to 3.30 pm (Room 5)**  
*(Joint Hearing with the Committee on Culture, Science, Education and Media)*
- **Wednesday, 11 October 2017, from 2.00 to 3.30 pm (Room 8)**
- **Thursday, 12 October 2017, from 8.30 to 9.30 am (Room 8)**

A meeting of the Sub-Committee on Refugee and Migrant Children and Young People is foreseen on Tuesday, 10 October from 9.30 to 10.00 am (Room 8)

A meeting of the Sub-Committee on Co-operation with non-European countries of origin and transit is foreseen on Thursday, 12 October from 9.30 to 10.00 am (Room 8)

#### **Tuesday, 10 October 2017 (8.30 to 9.30 am)**

**1. Agenda**

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Adoption of the agenda

**2. Minutes**

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Approval of the draft minutes of the meeting held in Paris on 20 September 2017

**3. Statement by the Chair of the Committee**

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**This draft agenda, addressed to full members of the Committee and their alternates,  
is the convocation to the meeting**

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**4. Humanitarian consequences of the war in Ukraine**

*Rapporteur: Mr Egidijus Vareikis, Lithuania, EPP/CD*

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Hearing with the participation of experts

Consideration of a preliminary draft report

**5. Recommendation 2090 (2016) on “The humanitarian concerns with regard to people captured during the war in Ukraine” (Rapporteur: Ms Nellijs Kleinberga, Latvia, ALDE)**

[Rec. 2090 (2016)] [Doc. 14321]

Consideration of the reply from the Committee of Ministers to Recommendation 2090 (2016)

**6. Save and rescue operations in the Mediterranean Sea**

[Draft letter]

[Res. 1872 (2012)] [Doc. 12895]

Statement by Ms Tineke Strik (Netherlands, SOC)

Consideration of a draft letter to the Italian Authorities

**7. European rules on the administrative detention of migrants**

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Consideration of an information memorandum by Ms Tineke Strik (Netherlands, SOC)

**8. Situation of refugees in Jordan**

Exchange of views with members of the Jordanian Partner for Democracy delegation to the PACE

**Tuesday, 10 October 2017 (2.00 to 3.30 pm)**

**9. Joint hearing with the Committee on Culture, Science, Education and Media**

Hearing on “Migrants and the media” with the participation of experts (tbc)

**Wednesday, 11 October 2017 (2.00 to 3.30 pm)**

**10. Parliamentary Campaign to End Immigration Detention of Children**

[Study]

[Parliamentary Monitoring Guide]

Statement by Ms Doris Fiala, General Rapporteur on Ending Immigration Detention of Children

Presentation of the Study of immigration detention practices and the use of alternatives to immigration detention of children

✓ Ms Athanassia Sykiotou, Democritus University of Thrace, Faculty of Law, Greece (tbc)

Presentation of the Parliamentary Monitoring Guide on “Visiting places where children are deprived of their liberty as a result of migration procedure” elaborated by the Council of Europe’s Children Rights Division

✓ Mr Benoit Van Keirsbilck, Director, Defence for Children, Belgium (tbc)

**Thursday, 12 October 2017 (8.30 to 9.30 am)**

**11. Addressing the humanitarian needs of internally displaced persons: recent lessons and future challenges in Europe**

*Mr Killion Munnyama, Poland, EPP/CD*  
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Exchange of views on relevant Council of Europe action with a representative of the Directorate general of Human Rights and Rule of Law

**12. Young migrants and refugees**

Report by Mr Manlio Di Stefano (Italy, NR), Chairperson of the Sub-committee on Refugee and Migrant Children and Young People on the meeting which was held on Tuesday 10 October

Exchange of views with participants in the study session for young refugees on “Empowering Young Refugees” (9-14 October, European Youth Centre Strasbourg), organised by Voices of Young Refugees in Europe (VYRE) and the EYC (Budapest/Strasbourg)

**13. How to encourage the migration of international students across Europe**

*Alexander [The Earl of] Dundee (United Kingdom, EC)*

Statement by the rapporteur and exchange of views

**14. Radicalisation of migrants and diaspora communities in Europe**

*Rapporteur: Ms Sahiba Gafarova, Azerbaijan, EC*  
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Statement by the rapporteur on her fact-finding visit to Norway (21-22 September 2017)

**15. World Forum for Democracy on “Is populism a problem?”  
(Strasbourg, Council of Europe, 8-10 November 2017)**

[Draft programme]

Appointment of members to the *ad hoc* Committee of the Bureau to participate in the Forum

**16. Work programme**

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**Appointment of rapporteurs for reports**

(subject to the referral of these motions to the Committee for reports by the Assembly)

Stop violence and exploitation of migrant children

[Doc. 14363]

Defining guidelines for international NGOs

[Doc. 14380]

**Motion for consultation**

(subject to the referral of this motion to the Committee for consultation)

The implications of Brexit for migration

[Doc. 14364]

**Representation of the Committee at various events**

Statement

International expert conference on “Immigration Detention of Children: Coming to a Close?” organised by the Czech Chairmanship of the Committee of Ministers of the Council of Europe, Prague, 25-26 September 2017: statements by Ms Doris Fiala (Switzerland, ALDE) and Mr Pierre-Alain Fridez (Switzerland, SOC)

**17. Composition of the Sub-Committees**

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Possible modifications of the composition of the Sub-Committees

**18. Free debate**

**19. Other business**

**20. Next meetings**

- **Paris**, 8 December 2017
- **Strasbourg**, during the 1<sup>st</sup> part-session 2018 (22-26 January)