To the members of the Committee on the Election of Judges to the European Court of Human Rights

Synopsis of the meeting held in Strasbourg on 24 January 2018

The Committee on the Election of Judges to the European Court of Human Rights, meeting in Strasbourg on 24 January 2018, with Mr Boriss Cilevičs (Latvia, SOC), oldest member present, then Mr Valeriu Ghiletchi (Republic of Moldova, EPP/CD) in the Chair, as regards:

- **Election of the Chairperson of the Committee**: elected, by acclamation, Mr Valeriu Ghiletchi (Republic of Moldova, EPP/CD) as Chairperson;

- **Election of the Vice-Chairpersons of the Committee**: elected, by acclamation, Mr Volker Ullrich (Germany, EPP/CD), Lord Donald Anderson (United Kingdom, SOC), and Mr Arkadiusz Mularczyk (Poland, EC); the order of precedence has been determined by the political groups subsequently as follows: Mr Ullrich as 1st, Lord Anderson as 2nd and Mr Mularczyk as 3rd Vice-Chairperson.

- **Next meetings**: took note of the forthcoming meetings of the Committee as follows:
  - Paris, 12-13 April 2018 (Council of Europe Office) (to be confirmed)
  - Paris, 14-15 June 2018 (Council of Europe Office) (to be confirmed)
  - Paris, 27-28 September 2018 (Council of Europe Office) (to be confirmed).

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