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**Chairmanship: North Macedonia****1442nd PLENARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL**

1. Date: Thursday, 21 September 2023 (in the Neuer Saal and via video teleconference)

Opened: 10.05 a.m.

Closed: 1.20 p.m.

2. Chairperson: Ambassador I. Djundev

Prior to taking up the agenda, the Chairperson informed the Permanent Council with great regret that Mr. Serghy Lyubovetskiy, a long-standing staff member of the OSCE Mission to Moldova, had passed away earlier in the week. The Chairperson offered condolences to the family and to friends and colleagues on their tragic loss.

Chairperson, Russian Federation (PC.DEL/1203/23 OSCE+)

3. Subjects discussed – Statements – Decisions/documents adopted:

Agenda item 1: THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION'S ONGOING AGGRESSION AGAINST UKRAINE

Ukraine (PC.DEL/1234/23), United Kingdom, Spain-European Union (with the candidate countries Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Moldova, Montenegro, North Macedonia and Ukraine; the potential candidate country Georgia; the European Free Trade Association countries Iceland, Liechtenstein and Norway, members of the European Economic Area; as well as Andorra, Monaco and San Marino, in alignment) (PC.DEL/1230/23), Türkiye (PC.DEL/1241/23 OSCE+), United States of America (PC.DEL/1202/23), Canada (PC.DEL/1211/23), Switzerland (PC.DEL/1218/23 OSCE+), Russian Federation (PC.DEL/1221/23 OSCE+)

Agenda item 2: REPORT BY THE ACTING HEAD OF THE OSCE PRESENCE IN ALBANIA

Chairperson, Acting Head of the OSCE Presence in Albania (PC.FR/12/23 OSCE+), United States of America (PC.DEL/1204/23), Spain-European

Union (with the candidate countries Bosnia and Herzegovina, Moldova, Montenegro, North Macedonia, Türkiye and Ukraine; the potential candidate country Georgia; and the European Free Trade Association country Liechtenstein, member of the European Economic Area, in alignment) (PC.DEL/1231/23), United Kingdom, Türkiye (PC.DEL/1239/23 OSCE+), Russian Federation (PC.DEL/1212/23 OSCE+), Norway (PC.DEL/1209/23), Switzerland (PC.DEL/1216/23 OSCE+), Albania (PC.DEL/1226/23 OSCE+)

Agenda item 3: REVIEW OF CURRENT ISSUES

- (a) *Ongoing crimes by the Kiev regime and dangerous policies of the Western alliance to exacerbate tensions*: Russian Federation (PC.DEL/1220/23)
- (b) *Situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina*: United States of America (also on behalf of France, Germany, Italy and the United Kingdom) (PC.DEL/1206/23), Spain-European Union (with the candidate countries Albania, Montenegro, North Macedonia, Türkiye and Ukraine; and the European Free Trade Association country Norway, member of the European Economic Area, in alignment) (PC.DEL/1232/23), Russian Federation (PC.DEL/1213/23), Türkiye (PC.DEL/1238/23 OSCE+), Bosnia and Herzegovina, Representative of the Secretary General
- (c) *Russia's detention of OSCE officials as part of its war of aggression against Ukraine*: United States of America (PC.DEL/1208/23), Spain-European Union (with the candidate countries Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Moldova, Montenegro, North Macedonia and Ukraine; the potential candidate country Georgia; the European Free Trade Association countries Iceland, Liechtenstein and Norway, members of the European Economic Area; as well as Andorra, Monaco and San Marino, in alignment) (PC.DEL/1233/23), Canada (PC.DEL/1210/23), Germany, Norway (PC.DEL/1225/23), United Kingdom, Switzerland (PC.DEL/1219/23 OSCE+), Türkiye (PC.DEL/1240/23), Ukraine (PC.DEL/1227/23), Russian Federation (PC.DEL/1222/23 OSCE+)
- (d) *First anniversary of the Moscow Mechanism report on the threat to the fulfilment of the provisions of the human dimension posed by human rights violations and abuses in the Russian Federation*: Ireland (also on behalf of Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Croatia, Cyprus, the Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Iceland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco, Montenegro, the Netherlands, North Macedonia, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Ukraine, the United Kingdom and the United States of America) (PC.DEL/1224/23), Russian Federation (PC.DEL/1223/23 OSCE+)
- (e) *The destructive role of the United States of America in the OSCE*: Russian Federation (PC.DEL/1214/23 OSCE+)

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

None

Agenda item 5:       REPORT OF THE SECRETARY GENERAL

None

Agenda item 6:       ANY OTHER BUSINESS

None

4.    Next meeting:

Tuesday, 26 September 2023, at 2 p.m., in the Neuer Saal and via video  
teleconference