SUPPLEMENTARY HUMAN DIMENSION MEETING ROLE OF DEFENCE LAWYERS IN GUARANTEEING A FAIR TRIAL Tbilisi, 3-4 November 2005

Schedule of side events

The Helsinki Document of 1992 (Chapter IV) called for increasing the openness of OSCE activities and expanding the role of NGOs. In particular, in paragraph (15) of Chapter IV the participating States decided to facilitate during CSCE meetings informal discussion meetings between representatives of participating States and of NGOs, and to provide encouragement to NGOs organizing seminars on CSCE-related issues. In line with this decision, NGOs, governments, and other participants are encouraged to organize side meetings on relevant issues of their choice.

The side events below have been exclusively organized and scheduled at the request of participants of the Supplementary Human Dimension Meeting. The content for each meeting was prepared by the organization convening the events and does not necessarily reflect the views of the OSCE/ODIHR.

Thursday, 3 November	Friday, 4 November
Title: Institutional responses to ensure the implementation of the right to legal aid of indigent criminal defendants. Selected case studies from OSCE region.	Title: Right to an unfair trial in Turkmenistan and Uzbekistan.
Convenor: Open Society Institute (OSI)	Convenor: International League for Human Rights (ILHR)
Time 13.00-15.00	Time:15.00-17.00
Venue: Room "Kala"	Venue: Room "Kala"
Language: English, Russian	Language English, Russian.
Title: International standards on access to a lawyer in terrorism cases	Title: Russian Defence Lawyers - outlawed
Convenor: ODIHR HR Department	Convenor: All-Russia Public Movement "For Human Rights"
Time: 13.00-15.00	Time:15.00-17.00
Venue: Room "Dasi"	Venue: Room "Dasi"
Language: English, Russian	Language: Russian