

Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe Permanent Council PC.JOUR/1328 5 August 2021

Chairmanship: Sweden

1328th PLENARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL

1. <u>Date</u>: Thursday, 5 August 2021 (in the Neuer Saal and via video teleconference)

Opened: 10.05 a.m. Closed: 12.15 p.m.

- 2. <u>Chairperson</u>: Ambassador U. Funered
- 3. <u>Subjects discussed Statements Decisions/documents adopted:</u>

Agenda item 1: REVIEW OF CURRENT ISSUES

Chairperson

- (a) Russia's ongoing aggression against Ukraine and illegal occupation of Crimea: Ukraine (PC.DEL/1265/21), Slovenia-European Union (with the candidate countries Albania, Montenegro and North Macedonia; the European Free Trade Association countries Iceland, Liechtenstein and Norway, members of the European Economic Area; as well as Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine, in alignment) (PC.DEL/1267/21), Canada, United States of America (PC.DEL/1251/21), Turkey (PC.DEL/1264/21 OSCE+), Switzerland (PC.DEL/1260/21 OSCE+), United Kingdom
- (b) Deteriorating situation in Ukraine and continued non-implementation by the Ukrainian authorities of the Minsk agreements: Russian Federation (PC.DEL/1257/21), Ukraine
- (c) Statement by the Co-Chairs of the OSCE Minsk Group issued on 29 July 2021: France (also on behalf of the Russian Federation and the United States of America), Slovenia-European Union (with the candidate countries Albania, Montenegro, North Macedonia and Serbia; the European Free Trade Association countries Iceland, Liechtenstein and Norway, members of the European Economic Area; as well as San Marino, in alignment) (PC.DEL/1268/21), United Kingdom, Canada, United States of America (PC.DEL/1252/21 Corr.1), Armenia, (PC.DEL/1266/21)

- (d) Recent developments in Lithuania in the context of migration issues: Belarus (PC.DEL/1253/21 OSCE+), Slovenia-European Union, Lithuania (PC.DEL/1262/21 OSCE+), United States of America (PC.DEL/1254/21), Russian Federation
- (e) No OSCE observation of the Russian Federation's State Duma elections: United Kingdom, Switzerland (PC.DEL/1261/21 OSCE+), Norway, Canada, United States of America (PC.DEL/1255/21), Slovenia-European Union, OSCE Parliamentary Assembly, Russian Federation (PC.DEL/1259/21), Belarus (PC.DEL/1263/21 OSCE+), Tajikistan, Germany

Agenda item 2: REPORT ON THE ACTIVITIES OF THE CHAIRPERSON-IN-OFFICE

Status of discussions on outstanding draft decisions related to the holding of the 2021 Annual Security Review Conference and the 2021 Human Dimension Implementation Meeting, and the approval of the 2021 Unified Budget: Chairperson, United States of America (PC.DEL/1256/21), Switzerland (PC.DEL/1258/21 OSCE+), United Kingdom, Norway

Agenda item 3: REPORT OF THE SECRETARY GENERAL

- (a) Announcement of the distribution of a written report of the Secretary General: Co-ordinator of OSCE Economic and Environmental Activities
- (b) *Update on the COVID-19 situation in the OSCE Secretariat*: Co-ordinator of OSCE Economic and Environmental Activities

Agenda item 4: ANY OTHER BUSINESS

None

4. <u>Next meeting</u>:

Thursday, 12 August 2021, at 10 a.m., in the Neuer Saal and via video teleconference