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EUROPEAN COMMISSION FOR THE EFFICIENCY OF JUSTICE (CEPEJ)

Valetta, Malta - 27-28 June 2022

Celebrating 20 years of CEPEJ – Furthering quality and efficiency of a digitalised justice

MONDAY 27 JUNE 2022

9H00 - 13H30

ANNIVERSARY CEREMONY

Opening (9h00 - 9h45)

(10' per intervention)

Moderator: The Honourable Mr Justice Francesco Depasquale, Vice-President of the CEPEJ

Mrs Marija Pejčinović Burić, Secretary General of the Council of Europe (online)

Hon. Dr. Jonathan Attard, Minister of Justice of Malta

Mrs Oonagh Buckley, Deputy Secretary General, Department of Justice of Ireland, Representative of the Irish Presidency of the Committee of Ministers of the Council of Europe

Ambassador Christian Meuwly, Permanent Representative of Switzerland, Chair of the Rapporteur Group - Legal Cooperation of the Committee of Ministers of the Council of Europe

Mr Ramin Garagurbanli, President of the CEPEJ

Which challenges are faced by a digitalized justice system? (9h45 – 12h30) (10' per intervention)

Moderator: Frédéric Dolt, Head of the Department for the Implementation of Human Rights, Justice and Legal Co-operation Standards, Directorate of Human Rights, Council of Europe

Mr Xavier Ronsin, First President of the Appeal Court of Rennes (France), CEPEJ Expert Introductory presentation

Ms Veronica Mihailov-Moraru, Secretary of State, Ministry of Justice of the Republic of Moldova

Mr Damijan Florjančič, President of the Supreme Court of Slovenia

Mr Antonio Vercher Noguera, President of the Consultative Council of European Prosecutors of the Council of Europe (CCPE)

Ambassador Thomas Schneider (Switzerland), President of the Committee on Artificial Intelligence of the Council of Europe (CAI) (online)

Mr Michael O'Flaherty, Director, European Union Agency for Fundamental rights

Coffee break (11h00 - 11h30)

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Mr Jānis Bordāns, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Justice of Latvia

Ms Samia Chakri, Director of Studies, Cooperation and Modernisation, Ministry of Justice of the Kingdom of Morocco (on behalf of Mr Abdellatif Ouahbi, Minister of Justice)

The challenges of digital justice

Mr Duro Sessa, President of the European Association of Judges and former President of the Consultative Council of European Judges of the Council of Europe (CCJE)

Professor Joseph Cannataci, Head of the Department of Information Policy & Governance, Faculty of Media & Knowledge Sciences of the University of Malta

Surviving the tsunami: why judges need to be much better prepared for the wave of change coming their way?

Mr François Paychère, Judge of the Geneva Court of Auditors (Suisse), former President of the CEPEJ-GT-OUAL

Digital justice and the decline of Law: jump out of the frying pan into the fire?

How can the efficiency of the work of CEPEJ be improved? (12h30-13h30)

Mr Jean-Paul Jean, Honorary Chamber President at the Cour de cassation (France), Secretary General of the AHJUCAF (Supreme Judicial Courts of the Francophonie), former President of the CEPEJ-GT-QUAL (online)

Why should the CEPEJ change the content of its acronym?

Mr Georg Stawa (Austria), former President of the CEPEJ (2015 - 2018), member of the CEPEJ

Discussion

13H30 - 15H00 LUNCH

15H00 – 18H00 38TH PLENARY MEETING