



BUREAU OF THE ASSEMBLY OF STATES PARTIES

Seventeenth meeting

29 June 2026

Agenda and decisions

The meeting was chaired by the President of the Assembly, Ambassador Päivi Kaukoranta (Finland). Vice-President Ambassador Michael Imran Kanu (Sierra Leone) also participated.

1. Preparations for the special session of the Assembly on disciplinary proceedings involving an elected official

The Bureau continued its consideration of preparations for the special session of the Assembly of States Parties on disciplinary proceedings involving an elected official (“the special session”).

The Bureau adopted, by qualified majority, a confidential decision concerning the procedures for the special session, by which it decided to convey a draft decision for the consideration of the Assembly.

The Bureau also considered and adopted the draft provisional agenda for the special session. In light of rule 15 of the Rules of Procedure of the Assembly, the only substantive item on the provisional agenda was the disciplinary proceedings involving an elected official. In the absence of a general debate, the Bureau decided that States Parties could submit written statements, which would be circulated to all States Parties on a strictly confidential basis in advance of the special session.

2. Other matters

The President noted that the Bureau would need to take a number of other decisions regarding the preparations for the special session, including in relation to the seating arrangements, the programme of work, the appointment of the Credentials Committee, the nomination of a Rapporteur, and the nomination of national tellers. The President encouraged Bureau members to begin consulting with their respective regional groups in relation to the appointments and nominations that would need to be made.

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