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Programme

10 June

8.30 Accreditation opens

<u>09.30-10.00</u> **Opening Session**

- Minister for Foreign Affairs of Denmark, Ms. Lene Espersen
- Chairperson-in-Office, Secretary of State Minister of Foreign Affairs of Kazakhstan, Mr. Kanat Saudabayev
- Moderator: Ambassador Janez Lenarcic, Director of the OSCE Office for Democratic Institutions and Human Rights

10.00-12.00 Session 1: Democratic processes – elections and human rights

- Introducer: Ms. Pia Christmas-Møller, MP Danish Parliament, Vice-President OSCE-PA
- Moderator: Ms. Audrey Glover, Director, Electoral Reform International Services (ERIS)

<u>12.00-13.30</u> Lunch for participants on behalf of Chairperson-in-Office, Secretary of State - Minister of Foreign Affairs of Kazakhstan, Mr. Kanat Saudabayev

12.00-13.30 NGO-roundtable on input for Session 5

13.30-15.30 **Session 2: Rule of law**

- Introducer: Mr. Jan Helgesen, Vice-President of the European Commission for Democracy through Law (Venice Commission)
- Moderator: Ambassador-at-Large Mrs.Madina Jarbussynova, Kazakhstan

15.30-16.00 Coffee break

16.00-18.00 Session 3: National minorities

- Introducer: Mr. Yeraly Tugzhanov, Deputy Chairman of the Kazakhstan People's Assembly
- Moderator: Professor John Packer, Director of the Human Rights Centre, University of Essex

Session to be closed by Ambassador Knut Vollebaek, High Commissioner on National Minorities

19.30-20.30 Special event offered by Denmark: Canal boat trip

11 June

10.00-12.00 Session 4: Freedom of movement

- Introducer: Mr. Alexander Ostrovsky, Head of Directorate General for Consular Issues, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Belarus
- Moderator: Mr. Artis Pabriks, Member of Saeima of the Republic of Latvia
- 12.00-13.30 Lunch for participants, offered by Denmark
- 12.00 ODIHR launch of 6th Edition of the Election Observation Handbook

13.30-15.30 Session 5: Measures to improve implementation of the human dimension commitments

- Introducer: Dr. Michael Haltzel, Senior Fellow, Center for Transatlantic Relations, School of Advanced International Studies, John Hopkins University
- Moderator: Dr. Jonas Christoffersen, Director of the Danish Institute for Human Rights

<u>15.30-16.00</u> Closing session

- Ambassador-at-Large Mrs.Madina Jarbussynova, Kazakhstan
- Human Rights Ambassador Arnold Skibsted, Denmark
- Ambassador Janez Lenarcic, Director of the OSCE Office for Democratic Institutions and Human Rights.

Venue: Eigtveds Pakhus, Danish Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Asiatisk Plads 2 G, 1448 Copenhagen K.

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