

Chairmanship: North Macedonia

1425th PLENARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL

1. Date: Thursday, 1 June 2023 (in the Neuer Saal and via video teleconference)

Opened: 10.05 a.m.
Suspended: 1.05 p.m.
Resumed: 3.05 p.m.
Closed: 4.15 p.m.

2. Chairperson: Ambassador I. Djundev

Chairperson, Russian Federation (PC.DEL/725/23 OSCE+)

3. Subjects discussed – Statements – Decisions/documents adopted:

Agenda item 1: THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION'S ONGOING AGGRESSION AGAINST UKRAINE

Chairperson, Ukraine (PC.DEL/757/23), Sweden-European Union (with the candidate countries Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Moldova, Montenegro, North Macedonia and Ukraine; the potential candidate country Georgia; the European Free Trade Association countries Iceland, Liechtenstein and Norway, members of the European Economic Area; as well as Andorra, Monaco and San Marino, in alignment) (PC.DEL/748/23), United Kingdom, United States of America (PC.DEL/726/23), Türkiye (PC.DEL/754/23 OSCE+), Canada (PC.DEL/751/23), Switzerland (PC.DEL/743/23 OSCE+), Poland (PC.DEL/729/23 OSCE+), Russian Federation, Belarus, Sweden-European Union

Agenda item 2: REPORT BY THE DIRECTOR OF THE CONFLICT PREVENTION CENTRE

Chairperson, Director of the Conflict Prevention Centre (SEC.GAL/68/23 OSCE+), Sweden-European Union (with the candidate countries Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Moldova, Montenegro, North Macedonia, Serbia and Ukraine; the potential candidate country Georgia; the European Free Trade

Association countries Iceland and Liechtenstein, members of the European Economic Area; as well as Andorra and San Marino, in alignment) (PC.DEL/749/23), Russian Federation (PC.DEL/727/23 OSCE+), United States of America (PC.DEL/734/23), Türkiye (PC.DEL/755/23 OSCE+), Georgia (PC.DEL/728/23 OSCE+), Norway (PC.DEL/730/23), United Kingdom, Kyrgyzstan, Switzerland (PC.DEL/744/23 OSCE+), Canada (PC.DEL/753/23 OSCE+), Azerbaijan (PC.DEL/741/23 OSCE+), Finland, Turkmenistan, Armenia (PC.DEL/746/23/Rev.1), Kazakhstan, Tajikistan

Point of order: Canada, Russian Federation

Agenda item 3: REVIEW OF CURRENT ISSUES

- (a) *Ongoing crimes by the Kiev regime and dangerous policies of the Western alliance to exacerbate tensions*: Russian Federation (PC.DEL/731/23), Ukraine, Canada
- (b) *Deterioration of the security situation in the north of Kosovo and Metohija*: Serbia, Russian Federation (PC.DEL/733/23)
- (c) *Recent developments in the north of Kosovo*: Sweden-European Union (with the candidate countries Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Moldova, Montenegro, North Macedonia and Ukraine; and the European Free Trade Association countries Iceland, Liechtenstein and Norway, members of the European Economic Area, in alignment) (PC.DEL/750/23/Rev.1), Switzerland (PC.DEL/745/23 OSCE+), Albania (PC.DEL/736/23 OSCE+), Türkiye (PC.DEL/756/23 OSCE+), Canada (PC.DEL/752/23 OSCE+), Montenegro (PC.DEL/742/23 OSCE+), Norway (PC.DEL/732/23), United States of America (also on behalf of France, Germany, Italy and the United Kingdom) (PC.DEL/740/23), Serbia, Chairperson
- (d) *Eurasian Economic Union Day, observed on 29 May 2023*: Russian Federation (also on behalf of Armenia, Belarus, Kazakhstan and Kyrgyzstan) (PC.DEL/735/23)

Agenda item 4: REPORT ON THE ACTIVITIES OF THE
CHAIRMAN-IN-OFFICE

Absence of consensus on a candidate State to exercise the function of OSCE Chairmanship in the year 2024: Belarus (PC.DEL/739/23), Russian Federation (PC.DEL/737/23), Sweden-European Union, Canada, Ukraine, Estonia, Finland, Chairperson

Agenda item 5: REPORT OF THE SECRETARY GENERAL

Joint public statement on missile attacks on Ukraine, issued on 26 May 2023 by the OSCE Chairman-in-Office, H.E. Mr. B. Osmani, the OSCE Secretary General, H.E. Ms. H.M. Schmid, the President of the OSCE Parliamentary Assembly, H.E. Ms. M. Cederfelt, and the Secretary General of the OSCE Parliamentary Assembly, H.E. Mr. R. Montella: Russian Federation (PC.DEL/738/23)

Agenda item 6: ANY OTHER BUSINESS

None

4. Next meeting:

Tuesday, 6 June 2023, at 3 p.m., in the Neuer Saal and via video teleconference