

MEETING OF CHAIRPERSONS OF THE COMMITTEES SPECIALISED IN FUNDAMENTAL RIGHTS

Rome, 13 - 14 October 2014

Chamber of Deputies

(Palazzo Montecitorio)

DRAFT PROGRAMME

Monday, 13 October 2014

12.30 p.m. Guided tour of Palazzo Montecitorio

2.00 p.m. **OPENING OF THE MEETING**

Welcome speeches by the President of the Chamber of Deputies, Laura BOLDRINI and the President of the Senate of the Republic, Pietro GRASSO

2.30 p.m. - 5.15 p.m. **SESSION 1: Enforcing fundamental rights to combat exclusion**

Opening address by Claude MORAES, Chairperson of the LIBE Committee of the European Parliament

Keynote speakers

Martine REICHERTS, European Commissioner for justice, fundamental rights and citizenship

Saskia SASSEN, Professor at Columbia University and the London School of Economics

Judith SUNDERLAND, Senior Researcher, Europe and
Central Asia Division, Human Rights Watch

Presentation of the Annual Report on Fundamental Rights by
the Director of the EU Agency for Fundamental Rights
(FRA), Morten KJAERUM

Debate

5.15 p.m.

Coffee-break

5.30 p.m. - 7.30 p.m.

SESSION 2: **Data protection and new rights in the digital era**

Keynote speakers

Marko ILEŠIĆ, Judge of the Court of Justice of the European
Union

Giovanni BUTTARELLI, Assistant European Data Protection
Supervisor

Debate

8.00 p.m.

Official dinner

Tuesday, 14 October 2014

9.00 a.m. - 11.15 a.m.

SESSION 3: Towards a true European common migration and asylum policy

Opening address by Luigi MANCONI, Chairperson of the Senate Special Committee on the Protection and Promotion of Human Rights

Keynote speakers

Angelino ALFANO, Minister of the Interior

Robert K. VISSER, Executive Director of the European Asylum Support Office (EASO)

François CREPEAU, United Nations Special Rapporteur on the Human Rights of Migrants (video message)

Elizabeth COLLETT, Director of the Migration Policy Institute - Europe

Debate

11.15 a.m.

Coffee-break

11.30 a.m. - 1.30 p.m. SESSION 4: New tools to combat discrimination

Keynote speakers

Daša ŠILOVIĆ, Chair of the CEE Gender Network

Zeljko JOVANOVIĆ, Director of the Roma Initiatives Office
of the Open Society Foundations

Marco PEROLINI, Amnesty International - International
Secretariat

Debate

Family photo

1.45 p.m.

Lunch

Followed by:

Guided tour of Palazzo Montecitorio