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# EUROPEAN COMMISSION FOR DEMOCRACY THROUGH LAW (VENICE COMMISSION)

MEETING OF THE SUB-COMMISSION
ON THE JUDICIARY
(Venice, Scuola Grande di San Giovanni Evangelista)
Thursday, 19 March 2015 from 4.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m.

**DRAFT ANNOTATED AGENDA** 

#### 1. Adoption of the Agenda

### 2. Ukraine

The Sub-Commission is invited to discuss the draft joint opinion by the Venice Commission and the Directorate of Human Rights (DGI) <a href="CDL(2015)011">CDL(2015)011</a>) on the Law on the Judiciary and the Status of Judges and amendments to the Law on the High Council of Justice of Ukraine (<a href="CDL-REF(2015)004">CDL-REF(2015)004</a>) with a view to its submission to the Plenary Session for adoption. This draft opinion was drawn up on the basis of comments by Ms Suchocka, Mr Sorensen, Mr Hamilton (Venice Commission expert) and Mr Gerhard Reissner (DGI expert). See also the preliminary opinion (<a href="CDL(2015)004">CDL(2015)004</a>) on the draft law on the Judiciary and the Status of Judges (<a href="CDL-REF(2015)003">CDL-REF(2015)003</a>).

## 3. Republic of Moldova

The Sub-Commission is invited to discuss the draft joint opinion (CDL(2015)010) by the Venice Commission, the Directorate of Human Rights (DGI) and the OSCE/ODIHR on the Draft Law on the Prosecution Service of the Republic of Moldova (CDL-REF(2014)052 and 054), with a view to its submission to the Plenary Session for adoption. This draft opinion was drawn up on the basis of comments by Mr Kivalov, Mr Sorensen, Mr Tuori and Mr Varga as well as Ms Lorena Bachmeier Winter and Mr Jeremy McBride (DGI experts) and Mr John Pearson (OSCE/ODIHR expert).

#### 4. Other business