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Working Draft of Briefing Programme

Monday, 4 November 2013

Venue: Serena Hotel, Millat Ballroom, 2nd floor - Dushanbe

12:30 – 13:00 13:00-13:15	Registration Opening: Ms. Gordana Comic, Special Co-ordinator of the OSCE CiO Head of Delegation of the European Parliament Ms. Margareta Cederfelt, Head of Delegation of the OSCE PA
13:15-13:30	 Introduction: Ambassador Markus Mueller, Head of the OSCE Office in Tajikistan Ambassador Eduard Auer, Head of Delegation of the European Union to Tajikistan
13:30-15:00	Briefing by OSCE/ODIHR (part 1):
15:00 – 15:20	Coffee break
15:20-16:00	Central Commission for Elections and Referenda Chairperson Mr. Shermuhad Shohiyon
16:00-18:00	 Candidates and/or proxies (registered) People's Democratic Party of Tajikistan Safar Safarov, First Deputy Chairman and Head of Campaign Office - TBC Communist Party of Tajikistan Ismoil Talbakov (candidate), Deputy Chairman - TBC Democratic Party of Tajikistan Saidjafar Ismonov (candidate, Chairman Socialist Party of Tajikistan, Abduhalim Gaforov (candidate), Chairman Agrarian Party of Tajikistan Tolibek Bukhoriev (candidate), Vice President of Agrarian Science of Tajikistan

without Portfolio - TBC

• Economic Reform Party of Tajikistan, Mr. Fatuloev Faizullo , Deputy

Tuesday, 5 November 2013

09:30:00-10:45 Candidates not registered, and parties boycotting

- Islamic Revival Party of Tajikistan, Mr. Makhmadi Khait First Deputy,
- Social Democratic Party, Rahmatillo Zoyirov, Chairman
- Oynihol Bobonazarova, Unified opposition candidate (not a member of the parties above)

10:45-11:00 Coffee break

11:00-12:00 **NGOs** (roundtable)

- Mr. Sergey Romanov, Independent Center for Human Rights Protection
- Mr. Timur Yunusov NGO "Youth of the 21st Century" TBC *Organizations works on youth education election process, voters' rights, and activation of youth in decision-making processes, trainings and seminars.*
- Ms. Alla Kuvatova gender specialist. TBC Specializing in women's political representation, a member of the CEDAW Tajik delegation; specializes in legislation on gender.
- Mr. Parviz Mullodzhanov, International Alert *Analysis, policy, countering radicalization.*
- Mr. Yusuf Mahmedov, NGO Rushd (region of Kurghanteppa) TBC
- Ms. Nodira Abdulloeva from Human Rights Center on Migrant issues TBC

12:00-13:00 **Media (roundtable)** – *invitees to be confirmed*

- Nuriddin Karshiboev, Chairman of the National Association of Independent mass Media (NANSMIT)
- Dilafruz Amirkulova, , Deputy Chairperson of the State committee of TV and Radio Broadcasting of the Republic of Tajikistan (the state supervisory body for the broadcast media)
- Samariddin Gadoev, Director of Channel One (state TV channel with the widest coverage in the country)
- Atokhoja Mirzojalolov, Deputy of editor-in-chief of Jumhuriat (state-owned newspaper)
- Olga Tutubalina, Editor of Asia-Plus (private media holding composed of a popular newspaper and a radio station)
- Kayumarsi Ato Editor of Ozodagon newspaper/website (private)
- Khurshed Atovullo Editor-in-chief of Farazh (private newspaper)

13:00-13:45 **OSCE/ODIHR Briefing (part 2)**

Deployment information and meeting with drivers and interpreters

Wednesday, 6 November 2013

Election day

Evening **De-briefing** – arrangements for those leaving on the overnight flight (by

phone, in person, TBD)

Thursday, 7 November 2013

9:00 TBC Final $\bf De$ -briefing with heads of delegation (to be confirmed) - Serena Hotel, Millat Ballroom, 2^{nd} floor – Dushanbe

13:00 TBC Press Conference