

## **DRAFT BRIEFING PROGRAMME**

### **Joint Parliamentary Briefings**

**Election observation mission to the Republic of Turkey, Presidential Election 10 August 2014**

**Delegations of the OSCE PA and PACE**

**(Rixos Hotel, Conference Room "Premium 1"), Ankara**

### **Friday 8 August 2014**

**09:45      Briefing packs available for collection**

**10:15-10:30   Opening by the Heads of Parliamentary Delegations**

- Ms. Meritxell Mateu Pi, Head of the PACE Delegation
- Ms. Vilija Aleknaitė-Abramikienė, Special Co-ordinator to lead the short-term OSCE observer mission
- Ms. Ms Åsa Lindestam, Head of OSCE PA Delegation

**10:30-12:00   Briefing by the OSCE/ODIHR Limited Election Observation Mission**

#### **Introduction and Overview of Findings to Date**

- Ambassador Geert-Hinrich Ahrens, Head of the OSCE/ODIHR Limited Election Observation Mission

#### **Legal Framework**

- Ms. Marla Morry, Legal Analyst

#### **Political Background and the Campaign**

- Mr. Vadim Zhdanovich, Political Analyst

#### **Campaign Finance**

- Mr. Zorislav Antun Petrović, Campaign Finance Analyst

#### **Media**

- Ms. Elma Šehalić, Media Analyst

#### **Polling Procedures**

- Mr. Pavel Cabacenco, Election Analyst

#### ***Questions and Answers***

**12:00-14:15   *Lunch Break***

**14:15-14:30 OSCE/ODIHR LEOM Security Expert, Mr. Fergus Harvey Anderson**

**14:30-15:15   Meeting with the Supreme Board of Elections**

- Mr. Mehmet Kürtül, Member, Supreme Board of Elections
- Ms. Nilgün İpek, Member, Supreme Board of Elections
- Mr. Ali Kaya, Member, Supreme Board of Elections
- Mr. İlhan Hanağası, Member, Supreme Board of Elections
- Mr. İbrahim Zengin, Member, Supreme Board of Elections

**15:15-17:45   Meetings with Presidential Candidates**

**15:15-16:00**   • Prof. Dr. Ali Tekin, Campaign Manager for Prof. Dr. Ekmeleddin İhsanoğlu, joint presidential candidate of the Republican People's Party (CHP) and the Nationalist Movement Party (MHP)

**16:00-16:15** *Coffee Break*

**16:15-17:00** • Mr. Adil Zazani, Representative of Mr. Selahattin Demirtaş, presidential candidate of the Peace and Democracy Party (HDP)

**17:00-17:45** • The Prime Minister Recep Tayyip Erdoğan, presidential candidate of the Justice and Development Party (AKP), or his representative **TBC**

## **Saturday 9 August 2014**

### **09:00-10:00 Meeting with representatives of the media**

- Prof. Kerem Altıparmak, Ankara University
- Mr. Nasuhi Güngör, Head of the News Department, TRT
- Mr. Aydın Albayrak, Columnist, Today's Zaman Daily - **TBC**
- Mr. Erol Önderoğlu, Columnist, Bianet News Site
- Ms. Miray Akdağ Uluç, Diplomacy Correspondent, NTV

### **10:00-11:00 Meeting with representatives of the civil society**

- Ms. E. Oya Ozaslan, Chairperson, Transparency International
- Ms. Feray Salman, Chairperson, Human Rights Platform or Mr. Ozturk Turkdogan, Chairperson, Human Rights Association
- Ms. Çiğdem Sever, Ankara Representative, Association of Monitoring Equal Rights
- Mr. Mehmet Pancaroğlu, Ankara Representative, Vote and Beyond

**11:00-11:30** *Coffee Break*

### **11:30-12:00 Meeting with representatives of the Radio and Television Supreme Council (RTSC)**

- Mr. Ali Öztunç, RTSC Member
- Mr. Hamit Ersoy, RTSC Member – **TBC**

### **12:00-12:30 Meeting with the OSCE/ODIHR LEOM Long-Term observers deployed in Ankara**

### **12:30-13:00 Meeting with interpreters and drivers for the OSCE PA and PACE teams deployed in Ankara**