

**Regional consultation on draft guidelines
on the effective implementation
of the right to participate in public affairs
for Western Europe, Eastern Europe, Central Asia and other States**

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Welcome, introduction and opening remarks

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Session 1: The right to participate in public affairs: Scope, content, and related guidance at the international, regional and national levels.

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Session 2: Ensuring an enabling environment for the effective exercise of the right to participate in public affairs: pre-requisites

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Session 3: Enjoyment of the equal right to participate in public affairs by all: overcoming challenges, creating opportunities and sharing good practices

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| Session 5: The right to participate at the regional and international level, including within international organizations | | |
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