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## **PUBLIC HEARING**

on

### **"PROTECTION OF CULTURAL HERITAGE IN CYPRUS"**

on Wednesday, 11 April 2007  
from 9.00 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

**Room : ASP 5 G 3**

Brussels

## **PROGRAMME**

- 09.00-09.10 Introduction by M. Nikolaos Sifunakis,  
Chairman of Committee on Culture and Education
- 09.10-10.10 **Session 1. The state of cultural heritage in Cyprus today**
- Mrs Michael Jansen, Author / Journalist
  - Rev. Dr Demosthenes Demosthenous, expert in damage and desecration of churches
  - Dr Klaus Gallas, Historian and author - specialist on Cyprus.
- 10.10-10.45 *Questions and debate with Members*

10.45-11.50

**Session 2. Perspectives on cultural heritage preservation and protection in Cyprus**

- Dr Vassos Karageorgis, Professor of Archaeology, University of Nicosia, Cyprus
- Mr Edward O'Hara, Member of the Committee on Culture, Science and Education, of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe.
- M. Denis de Kergorlay, vice-president of EUROPA NOSTRA organisation.

11.50-12.20

***Questions and debate with Members***

12.20-12.30

Summary of Conclusions  
Mr Nikolaos Sifunakis, Chairman of Committee on Culture and Education

12.30

End of the Hearing.