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Human Rights in Russia

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15h00 - 17h30

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Draft Programme

- 15.00 Introduction by Ms Hautala, the Chair of the Subcommittee on Human Rights
- 15.10 Stanislav Dmitrievski editor-in-chief of Pravozaščita and author of a recent report on human rights violation in Chechnya (telephone link).
- 15.20 Karina Moskalenko, *Human Rights Lawyer (to be replaced by another guest)*
- 15.30 Sergei Kovalev, Human Rights defender, founder of Memorial
- 15.40 Discussion with MEPs with participation of Commission, Council Presidency and Council representatives: preparation of the EU-HR consultations (4-5 November 2009)
- 17.25 Conclusion by the Chair

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