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*Committee on Foreign Affairs*

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**Draft Programme**

**Afghanistan:**

**regional impact after Taliban takeover**

*in association with the Delegation for relations with Afghanistan*

**Tuesday 25 October 2022**

**10.30-12.30**

**Brussels**

**Remote/Live participation**

**Room: Antall 4Q2**

Opening remarks by David McALLISTER, Chair of the Committee on Foreign Affairs

10:35 - 10:45	Tomas NIKLASSON, EU Special Envoy to Afghanistan
10:45 - 10:55	Andrew WATKINS, Senior Expert, United States Institute of Peace
10:55 - 11:05	Timor SHARAN, Director, Afghanistan Policy Lab
11:05 - 11:15	Heather BARR, Associate Director, Human Rights Watch
11:15 - 11:20	Intervention by Petras AUŠTREVIIUS, Chair of the Delegation for relations with Afghanistan
11:20 - 11:25	Intervention by MP Nazifa BEK, Member of the last Afghan Parliament and current President of the Afghan Women Parliamentarians and Leaders Network (AWPLN) in Greece (TBC)
11:25 - 11:55	Exchange of views with MEPs
11:55 - 12:25	Replies by the Speakers

Closing remarks by David McALLISTER, Chair of the Committee on Foreign Affairs

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The hearing will be [webstreamed](#).