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**EUROPEAN COMMISSION FOR DEMOCRACY THROUGH LAW**  
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**LIST OF ACTIVITIES**

**between the 76<sup>th</sup> and 77<sup>th</sup> meetings of  
the Council for Democratic Elections**

**The following activities took place between the 76<sup>th</sup> and 77<sup>th</sup> meetings of the Council for Democratic Elections:**

- . legal assistance to the Parliamentary Assembly delegation observing the presidential election in Montenegro (19 March 2023);
- . legal assistance to the Parliamentary Assembly delegation observing the early parliamentary elections in Bulgaria (2 April 2023);
- . participation in an exchange of views on Serbia organised by PACE, Strasbourg, France, 26 April 2023;
- . participation in an international conference on “Elections in times of crisis – challenges and opportunities”, co-organised by PACE and the Swiss Parliament, Bern, Switzerland, 9-10 May 2023;
- . participation in the III<sup>rd</sup> International Conference on “Cybersecurity and Elections: Guarantees against information disorders in the digital arena – Democracy, rights and elections”, Madrid, Spain, 10-12 May 2023;
- . legal assistance to the Parliamentary Assembly delegation observing the presidential and parliamentary elections in Türkiye (14 May 2023);
- . legal assistance to the Parliamentary Assembly delegation observing the 2<sup>nd</sup> round of the presidential election in Türkiye (28 May 2023);
- . participation in a Parliamentary Electoral Dialogue “Challenges and Needs for Holding out-of-country voting for Ukraine’s Post-War Elections”, organised by IDEA, Brussels, Belgium, 30-31 May 2023.

**The following activities are foreseen after the 77<sup>th</sup> meetings of the Council for Democratic Elections:**

- . legal assistance to the Parliamentary Assembly delegation observing the early parliamentary elections in Montenegro (11 June 2023);
- . Conference on E-voting and use of ICT in elections “Taking stock and moving forward”, co-organised by the Democratic Governance Division and the Division of Elections and Participatory Democracy, DGII, Council of Europe, Strasbourg, France, 16 June 2023;
- . “Digital technologies: democracy and regulation in Europe and America”, hybrid Congress co-organised by the Electoral Tribunal of the Federal Judiciary of Mexico and the Venice Commission, Mexico, 20-21 June 2023.