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**EUROPEAN COMMISSION FOR DEMOCRACY THROUGH LAW**  
**(VENICE COMMISSION)**

**JOINT MEETING OF THE SUB-COMMISSIONS  
ON DEMOCRATIC INSTITUTIONS AND  
ON MEDITERRANEAN BASIN  
(Venice, Scuola Grande di San Giovanni Evangelista)  
Thursday, 13 December 2018 from 2.30 p.m. to 4.00 p.m.**

**DRAFT ANNOTATED AGENDA**

**1. Adoption of the Agenda**

**2. Albania**

The Sub-Commissions are invited to examine the draft opinion ([CDL\(2018\)041](#)) on the draft Constitutional amendments of Albania enabling the vetting of politicians ([CDL-REF\(2018\)057](#)), with a view to its submission to the plenary session for adoption. This draft opinion was drawn up on the basis of comments by Ms Bílková, Mr Kask, Mr Sørensen as well as Mr James Hamilton and Ms Hanna Suchocka (experts).

**3. Malta**

The Sub-Commissions are invited to examine the draft opinion ([CDL\(2018\)039](#)) on the Constitutional arrangements and separation of powers and the independence of the judiciary and law enforcement bodies of Malta ([CDL-REF\(2018\)058](#)), with a view to its submission to the plenary session for adoption. This draft opinion was drawn up on the basis of comments by Mr Clayton, Ms Kjerulf-Thorgeirsdottir, Mr Kuijer, Mr Nicolatos and Mr Tuori.

**4. Guidelines on the Interaction Majority-Opposition**

The Sub-Commissions will be informed on progress of work on the Guidelines on the Interaction Majority-Opposition.

**5. Other business**