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proposé par le Bureau Permanent

*For the attention of the Special Commission
of June 2016 on the Recognition and Enforcement of Foreign Judgments*

*À l'attention de la Commission spéciale
de juin 2016 sur la reconnaissance et l'exécution des jugements étrangers*

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Draft Agenda for the meeting of the Special Commission on Recognition and Enforcement of Foreign Judgments

The Hague, 1-9 June 2016

In general, it is proposed that the meetings shall be held from 9.00 a.m. till 1.00 p.m. and from 2.30 p.m. till 6.00 p.m., with lunch breaks from 1.00 to 2.30 pm and breaks for coffee / tea from 11.00 to 11.15 a.m. and from 4.00 to 4.15 p.m. There will be no plenary session on Saturday 4 or Sunday 5 June 2016 but, if required, the Drafting Committee or other Working Groups could meet over the weekend at the offices of the Permanent Bureau.

The suggested timetable will be followed with a certain degree of flexibility and modified in accordance with the requirements of the discussion.

Delegations to the Special Commission may, before or during the course of the meeting, wish to submit for circulation short written proposals, comments or documents containing information relevant to the proceedings. This may be done by providing the Permanent Bureau with a proposal (in electronic format, typed or clearly written) as a Working Document or Information Document in English or French (preferably both). Translations into Spanish are also welcome. The documents should clearly indicate which delegations are associated with the proposal / document. The Permanent Bureau staff will set up the documents in a standard format and distribute them as a Working Document or Information Document, depending on the nature of the proposal / document. The Permanent Bureau is unfortunately not in a position to provide translation of such documents into English, French or Spanish.

The following agenda items refer to the draft provisions as contained in Preliminary Document No 1 of April 2016 ("the Proposed Draft Text").

Wednesday 1 June 2016

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| 9.30 a.m. – 1.00 p.m. | <p>Opening of the meeting <i>by Mr Paul Vlas, Chair of the Netherlands Standing Government Committee on Private International Law</i></p> <p>Election of the Chair of the Special Commission</p> <p>Welcome and general remarks <i>by Mr Christophe Bernasconi, Secretary General</i></p> <p>Adoption of the Agenda</p> <p>Election of the Bureau of the Special Commission</p> <p>Introduction to the documentation and logistical matters <i>by Ms Marta Pertegás, First Secretary</i></p> <p>Exchange of views about the objectives of the future Convention</p> <p>General presentation of the Proposed Draft Text and its basic operation <i>by the Chair of the Special Commission</i></p> <p>General discussion</p> |
| 2.30 p.m. – 6.00 p.m. | <p>General discussion (cont'd)</p> |
| 6.00 p.m. | <p>Welcoming drinks in the foyer of the Academy Building</p> |

Wednesday 8 June 2016

9.00 a.m. – 1.00 p.m.

Article 13 – Equivalent effects

Article 14 – Severability

2.30 p.m. – 6.00 p.m.

Please note that the afternoon will start with a presentation of the Draft Text, as revised by the Drafting Committee, by the Chair of the Drafting Committee and continue with the review of the outstanding matters

General discussion on general clauses and on final clauses

Discussion on drafting proposals may be organised, provided such proposals are made and time allows

Thursday 9 June 2016

9.00 a.m. – 1.00 p.m.

Outstanding matters and foreshadowed work between meetings

2.30 p.m. – 6.00 p.m.

Outstanding matters and foreshadowed work between meetings (cont'd)

6.00 p.m.

Closing of the meeting