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HIGH-LEVEL PANEL DISCUSSION

**60th anniversary of the
European Social Charter
18 October 1961 – 18 October 2021**

Room 3, Council of Europe, Agora

The event will be webcast – physical presence of accredited journalists welcome

Draft programme – speakers subject to confirmation

10:30

Opening statements

Marija Pejčinović Burić

Secretary General of the Council of Europe

Péter Szijjártó

Minister for Foreign Affairs and Trade of Hungary

Chair of the Committee of Ministers of the Council of Europe

Rik Daems

President of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe

Dunja Mijatović

Commissioner for Human Rights of the Council of Europe

11:20

Panel discussion

Moderator: Cathie Burton

Participants (in alphabetical order):

Christos Giakoumopoulos

Director General of Human Rights and Rule of Law of the Council of Europe

Karin Lukas

President of the European Committee of Social Rights

Michael O'Flaherty

Director of the European Union Agency for Fundamental Rights

Guy Ryder

Director-General of the International Labour Office

12:45

Closure of the European Social Charter 60th anniversary event