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ACTIVITY REPORT

I. NUMBER OF MEMBERS:

Stanca Gidro – President
Călin Viorel Iuga – Secretary
Diana Andrasoni – member
Voicu Sârb – member
Ioana Varga - member

II. MEETINGS

The Committee had three meetings on August 2, 2022, September 1st, 2022 and October 28, 2022, all in Cluj-Napoca.

III. WORK IN THE LAST 3 MONTHS

Work over the last months has focused on establishing the purpose, objectives and priorities of the Committee, annex to this report, and on attracting members.

IV. ONGOING WORK

1. ONLINE PLATFORM

The purpose is:

- to put resident citizens and, more recently, refugees in a country other than their country-of-origin face to face with lawyers who are acquainted with the law of both countries.
- to create a link between lawyers from EU member countries and beyond, in order to:
 - seek advice
 - exchange opinions
 - refer a client to a colleague who specialises in a particular area taking into account the law of a particular country/countries and the language spoken both by the client and the lawyer.

At the General Congress in Sofia in June 2022, the Committee presented a model of this platform and it will be put to the vote of the member bars at the Intermediate Congress in Palermo. The Committee continued its collaboration with the IT company RODEAPPS which has the technical solution to create the platform and whose representatives will be present at the FBE GENERAL MEETING in Palermo.

2. ATTRACTING MEMBERS

The Committee has drawn up a letter, which I have attached hereto and we ask the FBE Secretary to send it to all the deans of the member bars.

V. PROJECTS

1. Online platform.
2. Creation of joint action teams between Romanian and Polish lawyers on the issue of Ukrainian refugees.
3. Online publication on the FBE page of Guides in the Ukrainian language summarizing refugee rights in all EU member states and EU legislation.
4. Publication on the FBE page of all links through which unions and/or bar provide PRO BONO legal assistance to refugees by and through their lawyers.

VI. DIFFICULTIES

The work of the Committee is currently affected by:

- lack of members (we hope that the letter that will be sent to all the deans of member bars will result in more members being appointed to our Committee)
- possible change of view of the presidency due to the annual change of the FBE President.

Committee President,
Stanca GIDRO, Lawyer PhD

Secretary
Călin Viorel IUGA, Lawyer