

Plenary Meeting of the LX COSAC 18-20 November 2018, Vienna Conclusions of the LX COSAC

1. 30th Bi-annual Report of COSAC

1.1. COSAC welcomes the 30th Bi-annual Report of COSAC prepared by the COSAC Secretariat and warmly thanks the Secretariat for its excellent work. The Report provides useful information on the opinions held by national Parliaments on their role in ensuring transparency and bringing the EU closer to its citizens, also in light of the European elections in 2019. It further explores Parliaments' opinions on the future of climate policy and the project of the Energy Union as well as on the state of play of Brexit and its implications for the future of the EU.

1.2. COSAC invites all Parliaments to make the outcome of COSAC work more visible, by encouraging them to share and support best practices emphasized in the Report within their Parliament and among the wider public.

2. Integration of the COSAC web-page into the IPEX platform

2.1. COSAC welcomes the Conclusions of the LIX COSAC in Sofia and the decision to transfer the information from the COSAC website to IPEX.

2.2. COSAC takes positive note of the progress achieved so far by the COSAC Secretariat in uploading the available COSAC documents on IPEX. COSAC calls on the Secretariat to finalise the process as soon as possible and to submit a schedule of the transfer operations at the next meeting of the COSAC Chairpersons, in order to ensure that the COSAC website is fully integrated into IPEX by the COSAC Plenary in Bucharest.

2.3. COSAC invites the incoming Romanian Presidency to monitor closely the transfer of information and to ensure the completion of the process by the LXI COSAC plenary meeting.