



To: Heads of National OSCE PA Delegations
Members of the OSCE PA Bureau

CC: Secretaries to OSCE PA Delegations

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Dear colleagues,

As you may know, OSCE PA President George Tsereteli recently asked me to serve as his Special Representative on Civil Society Engagement. It is a true pleasure to take up these duties, and I applaud President Tsereteli for creating this position with the intention of strengthening the Assembly's engagement with civil society throughout the OSCE region.

I look forward to working in consultation with other OSCE PA Members when engaging with representatives of civil society and non-governmental organizations, and to this end would welcome the opportunity to meet with any interested Members on the sidelines of the upcoming meeting in Marrakech.

I hope to have the opportunity to speak to many OSCE PA Members about work in this important field, and if you would like to meet I would encourage you to please be in touch with Andreas Baker (andreas@oscepa.dk) at the International Secretariat in order to facilitate our conversation in Marrakech.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Pia Kauma'.

Pia Kauma

Special Representative
on Civil Society Engagement