

COUNCIL OF EUROPE

COMMITTEE OF MINISTERS

Resolution ResCMN(2003)10

Framework Convention for the Protection of National Minorities – Election of an expert to the list of experts eligible to serve on the Advisory Committee on the Framework Convention for the Protection of National Minorities in respect of Armenia, Azerbaijan and the United Kingdom

*(adopted by the Committee of Ministers on 16 July 2003
at the 849th meeting of the Ministers' Deputies)*

The Committee of Ministers,

By virtue of Article 26, paragraph 2, of the Framework Convention for the Protection of National Minorities and of Rule 9 of Resolution (97) 10 (Rules adopted by the Committee of Ministers on the monitoring arrangements under Articles 24 to 26 of the Framework Convention for the Protection of National Minorities);

Considering that the Governments of Armenia, Azerbaijan and the United Kingdom ratified the Framework Convention for the Protection of National Minorities on 20 July 1998, 20 June 2000 and 15 January 1998 respectively, and that the Convention entered into force on 1 November 1998 in respect of Armenia, on 1 October 2000 in respect of Azerbaijan and on 1 May 1998 in respect of the United Kingdom ;

Having regard to the nominations of candidates, in accordance with Rule 8 of Resolution (97) 10, by Armenia dated 8 April 2003, Azerbaijan dated 5 May 2003 and the United Kingdom dated 28 February 2003;

Having proceeded to election by secret ballot,

- Declares elected to the list of experts eligible to serve on the Advisory Committee on the Framework Convention for the Protection of National Minorities on 16 July 2003:

Mr Vigen Kocharian in respect of Armenia;
Ms Arzu Yolchuyeva in respect of Azerbaijan ;
Mr Alan Phillips in respect of the United Kingdom .