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on

"PROTECTION OF CULTURAL HERITAGE IN CYPRUS"

on Wednesday, 11 April 2007
from 9.00 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

Room : ASP 5 G 3

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PROGRAMME

- 09.00-09.10 Introduction by M. Nikolaos Sifunakis,
Chairman of Committee on Culture and Education
- 09.10-10.10 **Session 1. The state of cultural heritage in Cyprus today**
- Mrs Michael Jansen, Author / Journalist
 - Rev. Dr Demosthenes Demosthenous, expert in damage and desecration of churches
 - Dr Vassos Karageorgis, Professor of Archaeology, University of Nicosia, Cyprus
- 10.10-10.45 ***Questions and debate with Members***

- 10.45-11.50 **Session 2. Perspectives on cultural heritage preservation and protection in Cyprus**
- Dr Klaus Gallas, Historian and author - specialist on Cyprus.
 - Mr Edward O'Hara, Member of the Committee on Culture, Science and Education, of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe.
 - M. Denis de Kergorlay, vice-president of EUROPA NOSTRA organisation.
- 11.50-12.20 *Questions and debate with Members*
- 12.20-12.30 Summary of Conclusions
Mr Nikolaos Sifunakis, Chairman of Committee on Culture and Education
- 12.30 End of the Hearing.