***Public Discussion***

***On***

***Draft of Electoral Code and Issues of Realization of Electoral Right in Armenia***

**Draft Agenda**

Best Western Congress Hotel, Ball room

1st Italy Street, Yerevan

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| 14:45 – 15:0015:00 – 15:15  | **Registration of participants****Opening speech***Larisa Minasyan*Partnership for Open Society Initiative Member Open Society Foundations – Armenia, Executive Director |
| 15:15 – 16:30  | **Moderator** *Avetik Ishkhanyan,* Helsinki Committee of Armenia, President**Speakers***Davit Harutyunyan,* Minister – Chief of the RA Government Staff(to be confirmed)*Artur Sakunts,* Helsinki Citizens’ Assembly–Vanadzor, ChairmanImplications of Draft of Electoral Code in the context of recent Constitutional Amendments*Heriknaz Tigranyan,* Transparency International Anti-Corruption Center, Legal AdvisorProblematic regulations of Draft of Electoral Code*Levon Barseghyan,* Journalists’ Club “Asparez”, ChairmanMechanisms for restoring public trust towards elections and securing civic engagement |
| 16:30 – 17:45 | **Discussion, Q&A** |