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Dear friends

Last friday I had a meeting with Bjørn Elmquist, one of the Danish members of the parliamentarian assembly of the council of Europe and member of the legal committee.

Mr. Elmquist supports our draft recommendation and the proposed protocol to the convention fully and will now take the initiative to put forward a motion at the meeting of ⁺⁴⁰presidium of the council November the 21st.

I have promised mr. Elmquist names of parliamentarians from other countries who are supposed to be positive to the motion and to the draft recommendation.

Therefore: Send names of such parliamentarians before November the 15. to me.

The motion will be less extensive than the draft recommendation, but the draft recom^{me}ndation and the proposed protocol will be given to the rapporteurs (from the legal committee and the social committee), who mr. Elmquist supposes will be appointed in January.

Elmquist does expect that the recommendation with a little luck can be put to the assembly already next September (due to the detailed pre-work done at the Copenhagen conference and before).

The motion is now being written by the secretary of the legal committee (Allan Plate, Dutch) and will then be sent to us for further distribution to European ILGA-members for lobbying - as we agreed in Stockholm.

The motion needs 10 members from 3 different countries to be put forward and it is considered important that not all 10 members are from northern countries.

I enclose again the the draft recommendation and the proposed protocol to you - and hope to hear from you soon.

Kærlig hilsen


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