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Western Balkans Enlargement NOW!

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Western Balkans Leaders' Summit

8 December 2022, Vienna

Programme

08:15 **Registration**

09:00 **Opening remarks by Ms. Iratxe García Pérez** MEP, S&D Group President

Moderators: **Mr. Andreas Schieder** MEP, Co-Chair of Global Progressive Forum (GPF) and
Ms. Isabel Santos MEP, EP Rapporteur on Albania

09:15 **The future of EU enlargement in the aftermath of the Tirana Summit**

Mr. Nermin Nikšić MP, fmr Prime Minister, Leader of Social Democratic Party, Bosnia i Herzegovina (SDP)

Mr. Peda Grbin MP, Leader of Social Democratic Party of Croatia (SDP)

Mr. Albin Kurti, Prime Minister of Kosovo, Leader of Levizja Vetevendosje (LVV)

Mr. Milo Djukanovic, President of Montenegro, Leader of Democratic Party of Socialists (DPS)

Mr. Rasko Konjevic, fmr Deputy Prime Minister, Leader of Social Democratic Party of Montenegro (SDP)

Mr. Dimitar Kovacevski, Prime Minister of North Macedonia, Leader of Social Democratic Union of Macedonia (SDSM)

10.25 **Open exchange between MEPs and invited guests**

10.55 **Adoption of the Summit Declaration**

11.00 **Cooperation of progressive forces in an enlarged Europe**

Mr. Taulant Balla, Chair of the SP Parliamentary Group, Socialist Party of Albania (SP)

Mr. Nebojša Novaković MP, Democratic Party (DS), Serbia

Ms. Marinika Tepic MP, Opposition Leader in the Serbian Parliament, Party of Freedom and Justice (SSP)

Mr. Tonino Picula MEP, S&D Group Foreign Affairs Coordinator

11.25 **Open exchange between MEP-s and invited guests**

11.55 **Closing remarks by S&D Vice-President Mr. Pedro Marques** MEP

12.15 **Press point**