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AMENDMENTS TO THE RULES OF PROCEDURE OF THE PRESIDENCY OF BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA

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NOTE: Rules of Procedure of the Presidency of Bosnia and Herzegovina (“Official Gazette of Bosnia and Herzegovina”, 10/13).

Pursuant to Article V, point 2, subpoint a) of the Constitution of Bosnia and Herzegovina, Article 52 of the Rules of Procedure of BiH Presidency (Official Gazette of BiH, 10/13, 32/13 and 22/14), the Presidency of Bosnia and Herzegovina, at their 71st extraordinary session, held on 06 August 2024, adopted the following

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Article 1

In the Rules of Procedure of the Presidency of Bosnia and Herzegovina (Official Gazette of BiH, 10/13, 32/13 and 22/14), in Article 18, paragraph (3), after number 23, the following word and number shall be added “and 23 a”.

Article 2

After Article 23, a new Article 23 a) shall be added to read as follows:

Article 23 a)

(Extraordinary session by way of telecommunication devices)

1. Notwithstanding the above, the Presidency may hold an extraordinary session using telecommunication devices, due to extraordinary circumstances: force majeure, i.e. unforeseeable events; natural disasters (earthquakes, large-scale fires and floods, droughts, heavy rainfall, winds causing large-scale damages); other disasters (in coal-mines, hydrological facilities, in air-traffic, on land and water); public health crisis, such as pandemics; special circumstances and threats to the safety of the citizens and security of the state.
2. The Chair of the Presidency shall convene an extraordinary session to be conducted by way of telecommunication devices immediately as the need arises, by providing adequate notice to the cabinets of the members of the Presidency, through the Secretary General. The session may be held in this format if all members of the Presidency agree.
3. The invitation to the session as well as relevant materials shall be sent to the cabinets of the members of the Presidency, through the Secretary General, by way of telecommunication devices.
4. The members of the Presidency shall submit their responses to the Chair's Cabinet and the Secretary General, by way of telecommunication devices.
5. Invitation to the session, materials, approval for holding the session and statements made by the members of the Presidency at the session held by way of telecommunication devices shall be printed and kept in the Presidency Archives.”

Article 3

In Article 30, paragraphs 4, 5, and 6, the word “day” shall be replaced with the words “two days”.

Article 4

These amendments to the Rules of Procedure of the Presidency of Bosnia and Herzegovina shall enter into force on the eighth day after they are published in the “Official Gazette of BiH”.

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Chair of the Presidency
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