

DICHIARAZIONE CONGIUNTA

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and

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Europe office of the Speciale Representative for
Combating Trafficking in Human beings*

Considering the following premises:

- the victims of serious exploitation and trafficking in human beings are the persons of all ages and gender, exploited in the market of the prostitution, in forced labour, in domestic work, in begging, in forced illegal activities, in illegal adoptions and even for the purposes of organ harvesting;
- Trafficking in human beings for the purpose of the exploitation and/or reduction or maintenance in slavery or in servitude of the same persons represent a serious violation of fundamental human rights, recognized by international, european and national legislation;
- the protection and security of the victims, investigations and the prosecution of crimes, condemnation of the traffickers represent counter measures of the strategy to combat trafficking in human beings which, to be effective, can only be achieved by following a multidisciplinary approach, based on multy agency dimension and on the protection of the human rights of victims of the trafficking in human beings and slavery;
- these phenomenon however hidden, are increasingly widespread in national and international contexts and call in field the responsibility of institutions, civil society and local communities;

Jointly declare

- to collaborate in the field of training activities organized in Italy involving actors engaged in combating trafficking in human beings and the assistance of victims;
- jointly raise of awareness and information of the phenomenon of the trafficking in human beings and serious labour or sexual exploitation;
- to facilitate jointly the relations with actors who operate in the Italian territory and in OSCE Countries whose object is the identification, protection and assistance of victims of trafficking in human beings
- and counter of victims of trafficking.

All operational details to make effective this declaration will be manage by relevant offices through the specific agreements.

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