Bulgaria

General Debate

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Bulgaria welcomes the review of the organizational structure of the Registry and in particular the merging of existing units within the structure of the Registry with similar and overlapping functions related to the same or similar subject; the prevention of repetitive and contradicting practices; and the insurance of budgetary savings.

Cooperation with the Court is essential, and notably in the field of identification, freezing and seizing assets of the suspects in order to prevent that these persons resort to the legal aid of the ICC which is a financial burden for the budget of the Court and, in addition, in case of conviction, the property and means of the sentenced persons can be used for the reparation of victims.