



人权理事会
第十七届会议

议程项目 3

增进和保护所有人权——公民权利、政治权利、
经济、社会和文化权利，包括发展权

希腊常驻联合国日内瓦办事处和其他国际组织代表团 2011 年
6 月 6 日致联合国人权事务高级专员办事处的普通照会

希腊常驻联合国日内瓦办事处和其他国际组织代表团向联合国人权事务高级专员办事处致意，并谨此附上希腊政府对具有特殊咨商地位的非政府组织“欧洲西色雷斯土耳其人联合会”在议程项目 3 下提交人权理事会第十七届会议的书面声明(A/HRC/17/NGO/32)的意见。

希腊常驻代表团谨请高级专员办事处将本照会附件* 作为人权理事会第十七届会议议程项目 3 下的文件分发。

* 附件不译，原文照发。

Annex

Freedom of the Press with regard to the Muslim minority in Thrace, Greece

The Greek Government neither intervenes in the task and work of the independent judiciary nor comments on the latter's decisions. No interference exists either in the work of Mass Media.

To our surprise, third parties, who are, ab initio and ipso facto, unfamiliar with Greece's pluralistic society, see in judicial rulings, such as the ones in the aforementioned HRC document, an encouragement to a policy of censorship or an effort to bring particular papers / dailies down to their knees. Such arbitrary conclusions serve nothing but the interests of those who draw them.

Democratic notions / values, such a freedom of press and independence of justice, are, with respect, kept vivid in everyday life throughout the country. Thrace, where Greek citizens, members of the Muslim minority, live and thrive, is no exception.
