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### *Speaker Farrugia to participate in the Rome Pre-COP26 parliamentary meeting*

Speaker of the House of Representatives Anġlu Farrugia has left for Rome, Italy, to participate in the Pre-COP26 parliamentary meeting, which is being organised jointly by the Inter-Parliamentary Union (IPU) and the Italian Parliament on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> October and Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> October 2021.

COP26 is the foremost international conference on climate change and the IPU has long supported the engagements of parliaments in these events through the organisation of meetings at a parliamentary level.

The Rome meeting will be followed by the parliamentary meeting at COP26 to be held in Glasgow, Scotland, and will be co-organised with the British Group of the IPU on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> November 2021. These two meetings will bring together parliaments from around the globe to discuss parliamentary action on climate change at the national, regional, and international levels in the context of COP26.