

**Recommendation CM/RecChL(2014)6
of the Committee of Ministers
on the application of the European Charter for Regional or Minority Languages by Denmark**

*(Adopted by the Committee of Ministers on 24 October 2014
at the 1210th meeting of the Ministers' Deputies)*

The Committee of Ministers,

In accordance with Article 16 of the European Charter for Regional or Minority Languages;

Having regard to the instrument of ratification submitted by Denmark on 8 September 2000;

Having taken note of the evaluation made by the Committee of Experts on the Charter with respect to the application of the Charter by Denmark;

Bearing in mind that this evaluation is based on information submitted by Denmark in its fourth periodical report, supplementary information given by the Danish authorities, information submitted by bodies and associations legally established in Denmark and on information obtained by the Committee of Experts during its on-site visit;

Having taken note of the comments made by the Danish authorities on the contents of the Committee of Experts' report,

Recommends that the Danish authorities take account of all the observations and recommendations of the Committee of Experts and, as a matter of priority:

1. apply a structured approach for the implementation of the undertakings chosen under the Charter, in co-operation with the German speakers;
2. increase the level of radio broadcasting and provide television broadcasts in German, in co-operation with the German speakers;
3. take measures to increase awareness and appreciation of German as a minority language of Denmark.