

Cuba, European Union Begin Fifth Round of Talks

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The fifth round of negotiations for a Political Dialogue and Cooperation Agreement between the European Union and Cuba, begins today in this capital with prospect to give way to political dialogue.

The Cuban delegation is presided over by Deputy Foreign Minister, Abelardo Moreno, while the community bloc's group is led by Christian Leffler, Managing Director for the Americas at the European External Action Service.

According to the national television, the chapters of cooperation and trade will be discussed during the meeting with the aim of being concluded, while the discussion on the chapter on political dialogue is expecting to begin.

As in the previous four rounds of this negotiation process opened in April 2014, the role of civil society, human rights and good governance are considered as cross-cutting themes.