



PARLIAMENTARY ASSEMBLY OF THE BLACK SEA ECONOMIC COOPERATION
PABSEC

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GENERAL ASSEMBLY

EIGHTH PLENARY SESSION

TUESDAY, 10 - THURSDAY 12 DECEMBER, 1996
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AGENDA

1. *Opening Ceremony*

Statements by Personalities

2. *Matters of Procedure*

- a) Adoption of the Agenda (Doc. GA 2620/96)
- b) Adoption of the Order of Business (Doc. GA 2621 /96)
- c) Examination of New Credentials (Doc. GA 2654/96)
- d) Approval of the Minutes of the Seventh Plenary Session of the General Assembly held in Baku on 11-13 June 1996 (Doc. GA 2655/96)
- e) Progress Report on the Activities of the Bureau of the Assembly and the Standing Committee (Doc. BA 2652/96)
- f) Application for an observer status by the Knesset (Doc. GA 2830/96)
- g) *General Debate:* Statements by Speakers/Heads of national delegations

3. *Economic, Commercial, Technological and Environmental Affairs*

- a) Report on the Development of Cooperation in the Field of Trade and Business among the BSEC Member Countries (Doc. EC 2384/96)
- b) Recommendation 16/1996 on the Development of Cooperation in the Field of Trade and Business among the BSEC Member Countries (Doc. GA 2385/ 96)
- c) The Follow-up of the First Inter-Parliamentary Conference on the Environmental Protection of the Black Sea (Doc. EC 2474/96)
Decision 5/1996 of the General Assembly (Doc. GA 2481/96)
- d) The state of Ratification Process of the Agreement Establishing the Black Sea Trade and Development Bank (Doc. EC 2464/96)

4. ***Legal and Political Affairs***

- a) Report on the Basic Principles of the Black Sea Convention on Combating Organised Crime and Terrorism (Doc. LC 2411/96)
- b) Recommendation 17/1996 on the Basic Principles of the Black Sea Convention on Combating Organised Crime and Terrorism (Doc. GA 2412/96)
- c) Moscow Meeting of the Heads of State or Government of the BSEC Participating States (Doc. GA 2656/96)

5. ***Cultural, Educational and Social Affairs***

- a) Report on the Guidelines for the Programme of the Protection of the Cultural Heritage in the Black Sea Region (Doc. CC 2392/96)
- b) Recommendation 18/1996 on the Guidelines for the Programme of the Protection of the Cultural Heritage in the Black Sea Region (Doc. GA 2393/96)

6. ***Financial Matters:*** Budget of the Assembly for 1997 (Doc. GA 2642/96)

7. ***Vacancies in the Assembly Bodies*** (Doc. GA 2657/96)

- a) Election of a Vice-President of the Assembly
- b) Rotation of the Presidency

8. ***The Spring Session 1997 of the General Assembly***

Date and venue

9. ***Closing of the General Assembly***

10. ***Press Conference***