



## **COMMISSION ON INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS**

### **SECOND MEETING**

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

#### **PLACE AND ROLE OF TURKIC COUNCIL, TURKPA AND TURKSOY IN DEVELOPING RELATIONSHIPS AMONG TURKIC-SPEAKING STATES.**

1. Turkic Council, TURKPA and TURKSOY play significant role in the field of enhancement multilateral cooperation in the Turkic world, which continue their activities in developing relationships among Turkic-speaking states based on strengthening relations leaning on historical, cultural and linguistic commonality, including preservation and transfer the values of importance to the future generations.
2. TURKPA reiterates that its primary goal includes developing inter-parliamentary cooperation among its members by means of parliamentary diplomacy, promoting political and economic dialogue between its members and creating favourable political climate for elaboration and implementation of different initiatives aimed at strengthening regional and global security.
3. TURKPA reaffirms its commitment to the norms and principles of international law reflected in the Charter of the United Nations, as well as other universally recognized principles and norms of international law, such as sovereign equality, territorial integrity, inviolability of state borders, non-interference in the internal affairs of each other and inadmissibility of threat or use of force.
4. TURKPA considers that institutionalized interaction between all dimensions of the cooperation process of Turkic-speaking countries will enforce the relations with international organizations and other countries on a long-term basis.
5. Commission recommends the Assembly the following actions aiming at enhancing cooperation between three organizations:

- i) *to develop* joint initiatives between three organizations in the economic, social and cultural fields through mutual involvement in their activities;
- ii) *to discuss* the possibility of elaborating framework agreement between TURKPA, Turkic Council and TURKSOY aiming at shaping an integrated approach in economic, political and cultural cooperation among Turkic-speaking states;
- iii) *to intensify* interaction between the secretariats of three organizations through exchange of information and documentation;
- iv) *to seek* a consolidated approach towards developing contacts with Turkmenistan and Uzbekistan with their further involvement in the activities of the Turkic Council and TURKPA;
- v) *to improve* coordination activities between three organizations regarding cooperation with the international organizations on addressing the priority issues of economic, political and cultural cooperation;
- vi) *to consider* possibility of joint activities with the Turkic Council on observation of elections in the member countries;
- vii) *to urge* member states to hold consultations in the field of foreign policy both at governmental and parliamentary levels;
- viii) *to make* institutions newly established by the Turkic Council operational and contribute to existing intergovernmental efforts;
- ix) *to organize* the international youth forum in 2013 in the Republic of Azerbaijan, as the continuation of the forum on the role of young leaders in the development process of interstate relations organized by the TURKPA International Secretariat on 15-16 October 2012 in Istanbul.