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**№ SUM/OI/1301**

The Secretariat of the Conference on Interaction and Confidence Building Measures in Asia (CICA) presents its compliments to the CICA Member States and with reference to Secretariat Note No. SUM/OI/1300 of 13 October 2022 has the honour to communicate the following.

*Enclosure:  
as stated,  
on 2 p.*

The Secretariat has not received any objection from the Member States to the draft Astana Statement on CICA Transformation (SUM/2022/DRAFT/1/Rev.10 of 13 October 2022). Therefore, the aforementioned draft document shall be submitted for adoption by the Summit.

The Secretariat avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the CICA Member States the assurances of its highest consideration.

Astana, 13 October 2022

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Секретариат Совещания по взаимодействию и мерам доверия в Азии (СВМДА) свидетельствует свое уважение государствам-членам СВМДА и, со ссылкой на ноту Секретариата №SUM/OI/1300 от 13 октября 2022 года, имеет честь сообщить следующее.

Секретариат не получил возражений от государств-членов к проекту Астанинского заявления о трансформации СВМДА (SUM/2022/DRAFT/1/Rev.10 от 13 октября 2022 года). Следовательно, вышеупомянутый проект документа будет представлен на утверждение Саммита.

Секретариат пользуется случаем, чтобы возобновить государствам-членам СВМДА уверения в своем самом высоком уважении.

город Астана, 13 октября 2022 г.



*Приложение:  
упомянутое,  
на 2 л.*

**ГОСУДАРСТВА-ЧЛЕНЫ  
СОВЕЩАНИЯ ПО ВЗАИМОДЕЙСТВИЮ И  
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Азиядағы өзара іс-қимыл және сенім шаралары кеңесінің (Азия Кеңесінің) Хатшылығы Азия Кеңесінің мүше мемлекеттеріне өзінің зор ілтипатын білдіреді және, Хатшылықтың 2022 жылғы 13 қазандағы № SUM/OI/1300 нотасына сілтеме жасай отырып, келесіні хабарлауды өзіне мәртебе санайды.

*Қосымша:  
аталған, 2 п.*

Мүше мемлекеттер Азия Кеңесінің трансформациясы туралы Астана мәлімдемесінің жобасына (2022 жылғы 13 қазандағы SUM/2022/DRAFT/1/Rev.10) қатысты Хатшылыққа қарсылық білдірген жоқ. Демек, жоғарыда аталған құжат жобасы Саммиттің бекітілуіне ұсынылатын болады.

Хатшылық осы мүмкіндікті пайдалана отырып, Азия Кеңесінің мүше мемлекеттеріне өзінің зор ілтипатын тағы да растайды.

Астана қаласы, 2022 жылғы 13 қазан

**АЗИЯДАҒЫ ӨЗАРА ІС-ҚИМЫЛ ЖӘНЕ  
СЕНІМ ШАРАЛАРЫ КЕҢЕСІНІҢ  
МҮШЕ МЕМЛЕКЕТТЕРІ**



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**Chairmanship of Kazakhstan**

**DRAFT ASTANA STATEMENT ON CICA TRANSFORMATION**

We, the Heads of State or Government of the Member States of the Conference on Interaction and Confidence Building Measures in Asia (CICA), having met on 12-13 October 2022 in Astana on the occasion of the 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the CICA process,

*DECIDED TO CHART THE FUTURE COURSE OF OUR COOPERATION AS FOLLOWS:*

1. We hereby launch the structured, inclusive and transparent negotiations process of gradual, incremental and consensus-based transformation of CICA into a full-fledged regional international organization;
2. The process of transforming CICA will pursue the following major goals: defining the overarching areas of our future cooperation and strengthening the organizational and institutional base of our interaction;
3. We also envision our organization as contributing to dynamic, equitable, comprehensive and balanced economic growth, connectivity, social and cultural development of its Member States. We will strengthen our collective work within our organization in order to seek joint solutions for our common challenges of the twenty first century towards a secure and prosperous region and to pursue peaceful settlement of disputes in accordance with the UN Charter;
4. Our organization will interact and cooperate in areas of interest of all Member States with other states, organizations and fora sharing the same goals and principles for the purpose of strengthening results-oriented and consensus-based multilateral cooperation in our region;

5. As the first step of the transformation process, we decide that:

(1) The Meeting of Heads of State or Government (Summit) and the Meeting of Ministers of Foreign Affairs (Ministerial Meeting) shall henceforth be referred to, respectively, as the Council of Heads of State or Government (Summit) and the Council of Ministers of Foreign Affairs (Ministerial Council);

(2) The Executive Director of the CICA Secretariat shall henceforth be referred to as Secretary General;

(3) The Secretariat will submit to the Member States, through the Chairmanship, proposals for amendments to the relevant CICA documents for approval by the respective governing bodies;

6. The Member States will determine, when and as appropriate, the details of the transformation process, including criteria for membership, and, with a view to taking a meaningful practical step to that end, we request the Chairmanship to make proposals in 2023, with the assistance of the Secretary General and in close consultation with Member States, on a road map of necessary measures in the transformation process for consideration by the Member States;

7. We congratulate CICA on the considerable progress it has achieved in 30 years of evolution and request the Chairmanship to submit progress reports on the transformation process to the next meetings of the Ministerial Council and the Council of Heads of State or Government.