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The Secretariat of the Conference on Interaction and Confidence Building Measures in Asia (CICA) presents its compliments to the CICA Member States and has the honour to forward herewith information on the current status of Concept Papers and Action Plans on implementation of confidence building measures under priority areas of CICA dimensions, as supporting material for agenda items 4 and 8 of the Special Working Group and Senior Officials Committee meetings on 6 and 8 December 2021.

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

Nur-Sultan, 2 December 2021



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Секретариат Совещания по взаимодействию и мерам доверия в Азии (СВМДА) свидетельствует свое уважение государствам-членам СВМДА и имеет честь направить информацию о текущем статусе концептуальных документов и планов действий по осуществлению мер доверия в приоритетных сферах измерений СВМДА, в качестве вспомогательного материала для пунктов 4 и 8 повесток дня заседаний Специальной рабочей группы и Комитета старших должностных лиц 6 и 8 декабря 2021 года.

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

город Нур-Султан, 2 декабря 2021 г.

**ГОСУДАРСТВА-ЧЛЕНЫ
СОВЕЩАНИЯ ПО ВЗАИМОДЕЙСТВИЮ И
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Аталған 5 п.*

Азиядағы өзара іс-қимыл және сенім шаралары кеңесінің (АӨСШК) Хатшылығы АӨСШК мүше мемлекеттеріне өзінің зор ілтипатын білдіреді және 2021 жылғы 6 және 8 желтоқсанда өтетін АӨСШК Арнаулы жұмыс тобы мен Аға лауазымды тұлғалар комитетінің отырыстары күн тәртібінің 4 және 8 тармақтарына қосымша ақпарат ретінде АӨСШК басым салаларындағы сенім шараларды жүзеге асыру жөніндегі тұжырымдамалар мен іс-әрекет жоспарларының қазіргі статусы туралы ақпаратты жолдауды өзіне мәртебе санайды.

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

Нұр-Сұлтан қаласы, 2021 жылғы 2 желтоқсан

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

**Current status of Concept Papers and Action Plans
on implementation of CBMs under priority areas of CICA dimensions**

No.	Dimension	Priority Area	Coordinator	Co-coordinator	Concept Paper	Action Plan
1	Military-political		Kazakhstan	Turkey	The Coordinator prepared both documents and sent to the CICA Secretariat on 23 April 2021. The Secretariat sent the documents to the Co-coordinator for review on 27 April 2021. The Co-coordinator sent its proposals on the documents to the Coordinator, through the Secretariat in July 2021. A revised draft is expected from the Coordinator soon.	
2	New challenges and threats	1	New challenges and threats (general)	Turkey	Afghanistan	The Coordinator prepared both documents and sent to the Secretariat on 18 August 2021. In light of discussions on the updated CICA Catalogue of CBMs and its adoption on 12 October 2021. it is recommended to update the draft Concept Paper and Action Plan in consistency with the new structure of the Catalogue and priority areas.
		2	Combating terrorism			Coordinator and co-coordinator not appointed
		3	Security of and in the use of information and communication technologies (ICTs)			Coordinator and co-coordinator not appointed

		4	Combating illicit drugs	Iran	Afghanistan	Approved in 2008. It is recommended to update the Concept Paper. A reminder was sent to the Coordinator on 11 November 2021.	Issued for 2016-2018. It is expected that the Coordinator will update the Action Plan.
		5	Epidemiological safety, public health and pharmaceuticals		China Jordan	Coordinator not appointed	
3	Economic	1	Development of small and medium enterprises (SMEs)	Russian Federation	Kazakhstan Thailand Turkey	A draft Concept Paper for 2021-2023 was prepared by the Coordinator and approved by the Co-coordinators. The draft was circulated to the Member States on 4 November 2021 for feedback until 19 November 2021. There were no further comments received. The draft Concept Paper, as attached to Secretariat Note 14-3/732 of 4 November 2021 , will be submitted to the SWG and SOC meetings for consideration and	The Coordinator intends to produce the Action Plan once the Concept Paper is approved.

					approval at their meetings on 6 and 8 December 2021 . A comment was received from one Member State on 30 November 2021, which was forwarded to the Coordinator and Co-coordinator.	
		2	Energy security	Republic of Korea	India	Approved in 2010. The Secretariat sent a recommendation to the Coordinator to update the Concept Paper and Action Plan on 11 March and 14 April 2021.
		3	Information technology	Republic of Korea	Bangladesh	Approved in 2010. It is expected that the Coordinator will update the Concept Paper and Action Plan. A reminder was sent to the Coordinator on 11 November 2021.
		4	Tourism	Tajikistan	Sri Lanka	Coordinator prepared the draft Concept Paper and Action Plan on 28 April 2021. The Co-coordinator commented on both documents, and the Secretariat sent the comments to the Coordinator on 30 September 2021 for review.
		5	Development of secure and effective systems of transportation corridors	Azerbaijan	China India	None. The Secretariat sent a reminder to the Coordinator in March and July 2021. A draft Concept Paper and Action Plan are expected in December 2021.
		6	Agriculture	China		None. The Secretariat sent a reminder to the Coordinator in November 2021. A draft Concept

						Paper and Action Plan are expected in December 2021.
		7	Finance	China		The Coordinator prepared both documents on 10 June 2021. Following review by all Member States, the Secretariat circulated the latest version of the documents to all Member States on 7 September 2021 for feedback until 24 September 2021. There were no further comments received. The draft Concept Paper, as attached to Secretariat Note 14-9/576 of 7 September 2021 , will be submitted to the SWG and SOC meetings for consideration and approval at their meetings on 6 and 8 December 2021 .
		8	Trade and investment			Coordinator and co-coordinator not appointed
4	Environment	1	Sustainable development	Thailand		Approved in 2017. As communicated by the Coordinator on 16 March 2021, the 2017 Concept Paper, as circulated by Secretariat Note No.14-8/248emb of 4 September 2017 , remains effective.
		2	Natural disaster management	Iran	Bangladesh	None. It is expected that the Coordinator will prepare a Concept Paper and Action Plan. A reminder was sent to the Coordinator on 11 November 2021.
						The Coordinator will inform the Secretariat of the plan of activities on annual basis.

		3	Environment protection	Mongolia	Bangladesh China	The Secretariat sent a recommendation to the Coordinator in March 2021 to update the Concept paper and Action plan and a reminder on 11 November 2021. It is expected that the Coordinator will prepare a Concept Paper and Action Plan.
5	Human			Uzbekistan	China India Kazakhstan Kyrgyzstan	The Coordinator prepared both documents and sent to the Secretariat on 17 May 2021. Both documents have been circulated among Co-coordinators and renewed several times. The latest version has been sent to the Co-coordinators on 14 October 2021 by Note 16-1/689 for further review.