

Closing Remarks
by H.E. Mr. Khusrav Noziri, ECO Secretary General
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**Excellency Mr. Chairman,
Distinguished Ministers and Heads of Delegation,
Ladies and Gentlemen,**

I extend my deep gratitude and warm felicitations to the honourable Chair as well as other distinguished heads and members of the delegations for this constructive interaction. The Declaration adopted by this important forum opens new horizons for enhancing regional and international cooperation.

The existing cooperation within the framework of the ECO Regional Strategy for Information Society Development will continue to grow and new areas of technological cooperation will be pursued by the ECO Member States, including in the domains of space, satellite applications, regulatory cooperation, cyber security, digital markets, artificial intelligence and so on.

The ECO Secretariat, in close collaboration with member countries as well as regional and international partners would make its best to ensure smooth implementation of the decisions and recommendations made by this esteemed forum.

Closing my remarks, I once again thank the Islamic Republic of Iran for excellent hospitality and arrangements to host our 3rd Ministerial Meeting on ICT. I also thank the distinguished delegations for their kind participation.

Thank you all.