

The 47th CPR Meeting

Report

(Tehran – Wednesday, 26th July, 2000)

The 47th Meeting of the ECO Council of Permanent Representatives (CPR) was held in the ECO Secretariat on Wednesday, 26th July, 2000. The Meeting was chaired by H.E. Dr. Nasrollah Kazemi Kamyab, Director General (ECO Affairs & Multilateral Economic Cooperation), Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Islamic Republic of Iran. The Permanent Representatives/Representatives of the Islamic State of Afghanistan, Republic of Azarbaijan, Islamic Republic of Iran, Republic of Kazakhstan, Kyrgyz Republic, Islamic Republic of Pakistan, Republic of Tajikistan, Republic of Turkey, Turkmenistan and Republic of Uzbekistan and the Secretary General of ECO attended the Meeting. The list of participants is placed at **Annex-I**.

Agenda Item No. 1

Adoption of the Agenda

The CPR adopted the Agenda, as proposed by the Secretariat vide its Note Verbale No. CON/CPR-47/2000/AG(D) dated 19th July, 2000. The adopted Agenda is enclosed as **Annex-II**.

Agenda Item No. 2

Adoption of the Report of the 46th Session of the CPR

The Report of 46th Session of the Council was adopted with minor amendments in its paragraphs 6 and 11. The adopted Report is being circulated separately.

Agenda Item No. 3

Appointment and renewal of the Secretariat's posts in Category-I.

The Secretary General briefed the Council on the recommendations of the Selection Panel, which held its Meeting earlier the same day. The Council approved these recommendations as mentioned below:

1. Appointments to four posts of Directors (Reference is made to the CPR decision, as reflected in para 8 of the Report of the 45th Meeting, held on 18th June, 2000)

Dr. Mohammad Sadeqh Ayatollahi from the Islamic Republic of Iran to the post of Director (Energy, Minerals & Environment) w.e.f. 1st September, 2000;

Mr. Metin Kilci from the Republic of Turkey to the post of Director (Agriculture, Industry & Health). Mr. Kilci will assume his duties as of 15th August, 2000 to ensure the temporary responsibility regarding the post of Director (Trade) until 30th September, 2000. On 1st October, 2000 he will take over the post of Director (Agriculture, Industry & Health) from Mr. Tauqir Ahmad.

Mr. Mehmet Ali Saglam from the Republic of Turkey to the post of Director (Project Research) w.e.f. 15th August, 2000;

Syed Ejaz Hussain Shah from the Islamic Republic of Pakistan to the post of Director (Trade & Investment) w.e.f. 1st October, 2000.

2. Appointments to three posts of Assistant Directors

Mr. Ali Sabzalian from the Islamic Republic of Iran to the post of Assistant Director (Coordination). Mr. Sabzalian will assume his duties as of 1st August, 2000 to ensure the temporary replacement of Mr. Masouleh as Assistant Director Incharge of General Affairs. He will take over the post of Assistant Director (Coordination) from Dr. Imtiaz A. Kazi as of 5th January, 2001.

Syed Rizwan Ahmad from the Islamic Republic of Pakistan to the post of Assistant Director w.e.f. 5th January, 2001.

Mr. Chary Nurmuhammedov from Turkmenistan to the post of Assistant Director w.e.f. 6th October, 2000.

H.E. Dr. Abdolrahim Gavahi, the newly appointed Secretary General may propose in due time to the Selection Panel as to which of the Assistant Directors will act as Chef de' Cabinet.

3. Extensions of some of the present Directing Staff

Upon the requests put forward by the concerned Member States, it was agreed to recommend to the CPR the following proposed extensions:

- DSG Mr. Altaf Hussain Agral's tenure will be extended until 24th October, 2000;
- Consequently, Mr. Sanaullah, the newly appointed DSG will start his duties as of 25th October, 2000.
- Director Mr. Tauqir Ahmad's tenure will be extended until 30th September, 2000.
- Consequently Syed Ejaz Hussain Shah, the newly appointed Director for Trade will start as of 1st October, 2000.
- Director Mr. M. Khaghani's tenure will be extended until 31st August, 2000. Consequently, Dr. Ayatollahi, the newly appointed Director (Energy, Minerals & Environment) will assume his duties as of 1st September, 2000.

Agenda Item No. 4

Date of the next Meeting.

The CPR agreed to hold its 48th Session on Sunday, 27th August, 2000 at 1000 hours at the ECO Secretariat.

[\[Home\]](#) - [\[Back\]](#)