













MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN

BUCHAREST CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (CCIB)

AND

ZONGULDAK CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (ZTSO), KDZ.EREĞLİ CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (KDZ TSO), ÇAYCUMA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (ÇTSO), DEVREK CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (DTSO), ALAPLI CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (ATSO), IMEAK CHAMBER OF SHIPPING KDZ. EREĞLI (WEST BLACK SEA REGION) BRANCH

This Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) has been signed by:

The Bucharest Chamber of Commerce and Industry (CCIB)

Whose head office is 4. Ion Ghica Str. District 3, Bucharest, Romania.

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Is represented by its President, **Mr. Iuliu STOCKLOSA**, residing in the aforementioned head office, from one side,

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Zonguldak Chamber of Commerce and Industry

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is represented by its Chairman, Mr. ARSLAN KELES

Çaycuma Chamber of Commerce and Industry

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is represented by its Chairman, Mr. ZEKAİ KAMİTOĞLU

Devrek Chamber of Commerce and Industry

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is represented by its Chairman, Mr. ABDULLAH BAŞOĞLU

Alaplı Chamber of Commerce and Industry

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INTRODUCTION

Considering the importance of cooperation between the two countries, as well as between the business environments of Bucharest and the Zonguldak region this MoU signed by the a/m chambers aims to strengthen and consolidate the economic and the commercial relations.

The Bucharest Chamber of Commerce and Industry (CCIB), Zonguldak Chamber of Commerce and Industry (ZTSO), Kdz.Ereğli Chamber of Commerce and Industry (KDZ TSO), Çaycuma Chamber of Commerce and Industry (ÇTSO), Devrek Chamber of Commerce and Industry (DTSO), Alaplı Chamber of Commerce and Industry (ATSO), IMEAK Chamber of Shipping Kdz. Ereğli (West Black Sea Region) Branch (IMEAK DTO KDZ EREGLI); herein after referred to as "The Parties" wishing to strengthen economic and trade ties between the Romania and Republic of Türkiye, as well as among the regions they represent, agree to sign the following Memorandum of Understanding:

- 1. The Parties shall take all the opportunities within their competence to promote, strengthen and expand trade, economic, scientific, technological cooperation and other business relations between the concerned organizations and companies/firms of both Parties.
- 2. The Parties shall hold consultations to consider both the current and prospective issues of cooperation. During these consultations, the Parties shall also work out proposals for elimination of obstacles impeding the development of bilateral economic cooperation. Recommendations necessary for promoting more effective economic co-operation between the two countries may be submitted to the respective Government, if considered desirable.
- 3. The Parties shall facilitate the exchange of information concerning economic trends and trade inquiries about their domestic markets.
- 4. The parties will exchange information to promote joint ventures and other forms of industrial cooperation in their regions among their members and the companies/firms with which they have relations.
- 5. In order to facilitate the development of commercial cooperation between Romania and the Republic of Turkey in their respective regions, the Parties will, within their means, offer and provide consultancy services, project support, legal consultancy, partner search services, participation in events and organization and other services to the relevant parties as follows. It has been agreed upon based on the areas of competence of each of the Parties.
 - 6. Conditions of holding events (trade missions, business meetings and others), provision of consultation and other services will be agreed upon by the Parties on a case-by-case basis.
 - 7. To develop and expand foreign economic activity the parties will exchange experiences and knowledge.
 - 8. Implementation of this Memorandum is based on the legislation of Romania (for execution on the territory of Romania), and on the legislation of the Republic of Türkiye (for execution on the territory of Republic of Türkiye).
 - 9. To exchange information about the economic and commercial legislation in force in the two countries and all the precautions that may contribute to the development of economic relations between the two countries.
 - 10. Each Party will assist and facilitate visits of trade, investment, and economic delegations to the other city and will render maximum help establishing of businesses contacts through mutual consent.
 - 11. Both Parties, in the interest of their members, will exchange information and publications of the

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existing laws and regulations pertaining to foreign trade and investment.

- 12. Each Party will provide information and necessary assistance to enterprises, organizations of their cities, and the members of the other Party to participate in national exhibitions, international fairs, specialized exhibitions, economic and technical fairs, conferences and similar events taking place in their respective city to expand economic cooperation.
- 13. Both Parties will share their annual event/fair calendars within their cities.
- 14. Taking into account the potential of the ports on the Black Sea in the area Zonguldak/Ereğli to be used for the sea transport of goods to Romania and back, as well as the development program of the Sulina Commercial Port, supported by the CCIB, in order to take over the goods from maritime ships on fluvial barges for transport on the Danube to and from Romania and neighboring European countries, the Parties agreed to continue the dialogue regarding this perspective cooperation. It was decided to establish a special working group for the detailed analysis of the future collaboration.
- 15. To carry out studies for mutual assistance in technical and vocational training for the personnel of both Parties and their members.
- 16. Both parties undertake not to disclose, publish or share information, documents or images related to their own activities or the activities of companies without prior agreement. Any information obtained through the activities highlighted in this Memorandum of Understanding cannot be used for any purpose other than within this framework.
- 17. This Memorandum is made and executed in the English language. All notifications, messages and documents will be prepared in English language.
- 18. This Memorandum shall take effect upon the date of its signing and remain valid until termination in a written notice by any of the Parties involved. It is the Party's initiative and responsibility to give written notice of termination and to cancel it.

19. This Memorandum was signed by the Parties in Zonguldak, on 26 of August 2024 and sealed.















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