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Migrant workers

During the last years the German Federal Government has declared the subject "Integration" to an important subject. This subject has thereby got a weight in the German domestic policy. This development is welcomed by our side. The national integration plan was decided in which also migrant's organisations were involved. The plan contains many measures for the solution of the problems which are now in the conversion phase.

Nevertheless, on the other side the changes were made in the migration and citizenship laws which intend many aggravations with the family unification and naturalisation. These were criticised by all migrant's organisations sharply. At the second integration summit the big Turkish organisations have not taken part in protest.

In Germany the integration minister speaks from the integration country Germany. We say: We must develop the Federal Republic of Germany from the integration country to a participation country. Migrants from third countries cannot still take part in the local elections. The number of the persons who take the German citizenship goes back. The political participation possibilities are very small in comparison to other European states.

The number of the migrant's youngsters who get an education place becomes less. This is alarming. Here the politicians must put basic conditions.

On the integration summit only the measures are discussed. The political discussions are not admitted there. The Turkish Community in Germany demands a regular exchange with the Federal Government. Moreover she hits the institution of a federal advisory board for integration and migration. In this advisory board representatives of the civil-social organisations and the government should sit and deal also with the integration politics.

A successful participation politic cannot be put through against the interests of the migrants. The current regulations with the family relief train which hinder practically the spouse relief train must be cancelled. The Turkish Community in Germany exerts itself of course for the fact that the people who come to Germany should learn in Germany German. The

regulation before the entry to prove German knowledge leads to human disasters.

Another problem is the attempt of the repudiation of the decisions of the European Court of Justice. Turkish citizens have almost the same rights like citizen of the European Union, if they have legally entered in the EU. Germany must accept that Turkish citizens are a firm component of the Federal Republic of Germany.

The mother languages of the migrants attract in the German educational system hardly attention. Bit by bit become mother-linguistic offers from the schools. The mother languages are a treasure for the migrant's children and may not be neglected. If the Federal Government speaks of the integration and not from the assimilation, it must promote the mother languages of the migrants. The Turkish Community in Germany asks the Federal Government to take here suitable measures.