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Statement

by the Permanent Representative of Tajikistan,

Ambassador Nuriddin Shamsov at the 879th Permanent Council Meeting

(Vienna, 8 September, 2011)

on outcomes of the Quadrilateral Meeting and the CIS Summit

(Dushanbe, 1-3 September, 2011)

Mr. Chairman,

The Quadrilateral Meeting of the President of the Republic of Tajikistan, Mr. Emomali Rahmon, the President of the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan, Mr. Hamid Karzai, the President of Russian Federation, Mr. Dmitry Medvedev and the President of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan, Mr. Zardari took place on September 2, 2011 in Dushanbe.

During the talks held in a friendly atmosphere and mutual understanding, the Heads of the State discussed most topical regional issues.

Four Presidents reviewed further action to combat drug trafficking, extremism and terrorism. Summit focused on situation in Afghanistan, counterterrorism and drug trafficking in the region. A final document adopted by four presidents following the Summit qualified terrorism and the drug trade as a serious threat to peace and stability in the region.

Four leaders declared their readiness to step up efforts, including through the Shanghai Cooperation Organization and the Collective Security Treaty Organization.

Joint Statement by the Presidents of the Republic of Tajikistan, the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan, the Russian Federation and the Islamic Republic of Pakistan has been adopted upon closure of the event. The Statement stressed further development transit transportation and transport corridors, promotion regional development and attraction more foreign investment for joint projects. In particular, the Forum focused on implementation joint railway and road projects connecting Central Asia with Afghanistan. Four Presidents noted prioritized “CASA-1000” power transmission line project and expressed their readiness to speed up construction works.

Islamic Republic of Pakistan proposed to hold the next four-party meeting in Islamabad.

On 1-2 September 2011 President Dmitry Medvedev paid official visit to Tajikistan. During visit Tajik-Russian talks on bilateral economic, trade, military and humanitarian cooperation, as well a wide scope of regional and international issues have been discussed.

Tajik-Russian bilateral negotiations focused in particular on ways to maintain stability in the region and strengthening cooperation within the Commonwealth of Independent States, Shanghai Cooperation Organization, Collective Security Treaty Organization and the Eurasian Economic Cooperation Organization.

Mr. Rahmon Mr. Medvedev signed Bilateral Border Cooperation Agreement and Joint Declaration following their talks.

On 3 September, 2011 the Commemorative CIS Summit took place in the capital of Tajikistan which adopted a package of documents on further cooperation within the CIS and the Agreement to commemorate the Commonwealth’s nations participation in the Great Patriotic War of 1941-1945.

During the Summit participants reviewed the draft Assessment Report under the title “the CIS Achievements in Past 20 Years and Future Objectives”, as well discussed “the Action Plan on the Implementation the Relevant Concepts for CIS development”.

In 2012, the rotating presidency of the CIS will go to Turkmenistan and the next meeting of the CIS Heads of State will take place in Ashgabat.

I thank you Mr. Chairman,