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Good day, ladies and gentlemen.

Our Association being a business platform, to which representatives of all confessions adherent to Islamic business principles can apply, implements in the same time many social projects, in particular, related to the support of Russian and visiting Muslims. One of these projects we are now working on together with the Administration of the President of Russia – is the Center for the Adaptation of Muslims. Statistics are such that today in Russia Simultaneously resides about 4 million labor migrants, 95% of them are from the CIS countries, and the overwhelming majority are Muslims. The center will be a big social platform that will unite not only system Muslims (members of some national communities) but also non-system Muslims, about whom we know practically nothing - what they are fond of, how they live and so on. The work is enormous, but the fact that the highest administrative bodies, together with civil society organizations, develop and implement such projects, already testifies to the great success. We will have three activities: social programs, special programs and work with young people. The center will be engaged in teaching the Russian language, social adaptation, assistance in finding work, housing, permits receiving assistance, and many other aspects of life in the foreign country. We are confident that our Center will play a significant positive role in the prevention of crime among visitors and will help migrants to find their place in the social life of Russia more easily.

Thank you