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**SPEAKING NOTES OF AMBASSADOR SARIBAŞ
IN RESPONSE TO UN SECRETARY-GENERAL
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My delegation is also honoured to warmly welcome You, Secretary-General to the PC. Your presence as well as candid deliberation in this body underlines the central role of the United Nations in international relations, which also constitutes an important component of my country's foreign policy.

The current circumstances have once again displayed the unstable nature of international security environment. Contemporary threats and challenges underscore the vital role of international cooperation in ensuring comprehensive security.

OSCE and the United Nations should enhance to advocate the messages of solidarity, mutual understanding, respect and tolerance that, in our view, constitute the first line of our common defense in our age worried by unprecedented threats. Turkey, being an OSCE participating State and a temporary member of the Security Council, will continue to contribute to these efforts.

We also noted with care and interest Your comments on Kyrgyzstan and Central Asia. Furthermore we welcome the agreement for coordination of activities between CiO Special Envoy and UN Special Envoy in Kyrgyzstan.

Thank you