PARLIAMENTARY EVENT AT THE COMPREHENSIVE HIGH-LEVEL MIDTERM REVIEW OF THE ISTANBUL PROGRAMME OF ACTION FOR THE LEAST DEVELOPED COUNTRIES (LDCs)

(28 May 2016, Antalya)

PROGRAMME

28 May 2016, Saturday

15:00 Welcome and Opening Statements

(Chaired by Mr. Ebubekir GİZLİGİDER, on behalf of the President of the Turkish IPU Group)

• Mr. Ebubekir GİZLİGİDER, on behalf of the President of the Turkish IPU Group, Member of the Turkish IPU Group
• Mr. Gyan Chandra ACHARYA, UN Under-Secretary-General
• Ms. Rebecca KADAGA, Speaker of the Uganda Parliament (on behalf of the LCD Countries)

15:30 Appointment of the Rapporteurs of the Outcome Report

PART I: OVERVIEW OF THE 2011-2020 ISTANBUL PROGRAMME OF ACTION (IPoA)

15:40 The Implementation of the IPoA (2011-2020): Overview of the last five years

Interactive discussion with participants (50 min)

- Accomplishments
- Lessons-learned
- Challenges

16:30 Coffee Break

PART II: ROAD MAP OF THE 2016-2020 FOR THE IPoA

16:45 Promoting the contribution of LDC and non-LDC parliaments to
the implementations of the IPoA through enhanced partnerships

Interactive discussion with participants (60 min)

-New strategies

- What strategies can work to facilitate the support of parliaments for the implementation of the IPoA?

- How can the UN system support parliaments to promote the priorities established in the IPoA?

- How to foster synergies and promote partnerships to support the common goals of the IPoA and the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development to foster poverty eradication, structural transformation and sustainable development?

- How can parliaments of LDCs and development partners support the implementation of the IPoA?

18:00 End of the event

18:30 Dinner hosted by Mr. Ebubekir GİZLİGİDER, on behalf of the President of the Turkish IPU Group, Member of the Turkish IPU Group (Venue: Beef Club)