



EURASIAN
PEOPLES' ASSEMBLY

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International Union of Non-Governmental Organizations
"Eurasian Peoples' Assembly"

was established on May 27, 2017 in Moscow

WE DECIDED to establish the International Union of Non-Governmental Organizations «Eurasian Peoples' Assembly».

EURASIAN PEOPLES' ASSEMBLY IS THE FOLLOWING:

- The International Union of non-governmental organizations and citizens with an active life position who share and promote the ideas and values of the Eurasian integration, the protection of peace, the strengthening of friendship, harmony, partnership and good-neighborliness between peoples;
- a platform for equal dialogue among the peoples of Greater Eurasia from Lisbon to Vladivostok;
- Institute for the development of civil society and people's diplomacy which create the conditions for the achievement of a new level of knowledge of the peoples of Eurasia for the formation of the consciousness of the Third Millennium Man who corresponds to a higher level of tasks facing all mankind;
- Space for searching the Senses of the future, new directions of development, creation and creativity, mutually beneficial cooperation for the sake of peace on Earth.
- development and implementation of programs, projects and activities related to the statutory activities of the Assembly and aimed at strengthening of the cooperation of the peoples of Eurasia;
- creation of opportunities and favorable conditions for using the resource potential of each person striving to make his/her creative contribution to the development of Eurasia.

At the Constituent Assembly elected the governing bodies of the Eurasian Peoples' Assembly:
General Council, Co-Chairs of the General Council, Secretary General, Head of the General Secretariat.

Secretary General
of the Eurasian Peoples' Assembly



Andrey BELYANINOV
Chairman of the Board of Guardians
of the Fund "The Property of Russia"

First Deputy Secretary General
Head of The General Secretariat



Svetlana SMIRNOVA
Chairman of the board
Assembly of the Peoples of Russia

Co-Chairs of the General Council of the Eurasian Peoples' Assembly



Bernard LOZE
Vice –President
of the Association
French-Russian Dialogue
(France)



Igor KHALEVINSKY
Chairperson
of the Council of the Association
of Russian Diplomats
(Russia)



Dalbir SINGH
Secretary of the Party Indian National
Congress, President of the Foundation
for Policy and Management
(India)

**In the work of the First Congress of the Eurasian Peoples' Assembly
took part by more than 2500 representatives from 67 countries**



MISSION OF THE ASSEMBLY

Formation of the consciousness of the Third Millennium Man creating and approving the co-creation of the peoples for the sake of peace and prosperity

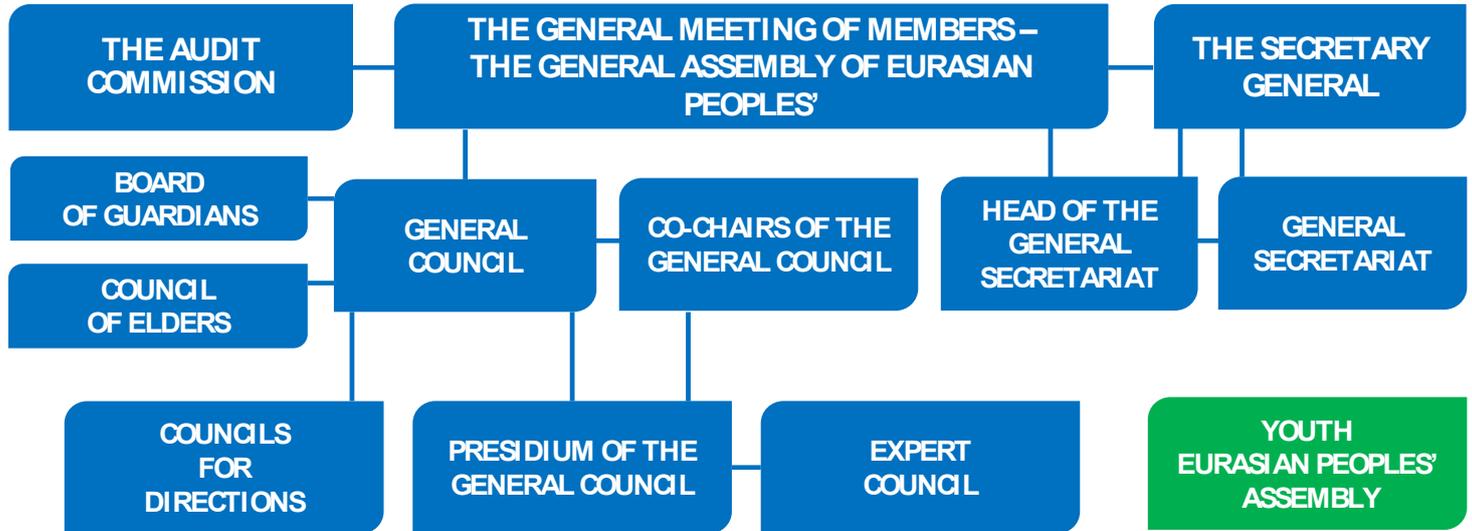
THE PRINCIPAL AIM OF THE ASSEMBLY

Formation of the public integration model of the great Eurasian partnership of peoples on the basis of spiritual and moral principles for the sake of peace and harmony through the development of multilateral cooperation and public (popular) diplomacy

THE GENERAL TASKS OF THE ASSEMBLY

- the development of the Eurasian Peoples' Assembly as an important tool of public diplomacy and enhancing its role in the formation of a multipolar world;
- creation of a broad communication platform for interaction of civil society institutions and authorities, unification of peoples regardless of their gender, race, nationality, religion in order to strengthen the consent and unity of the peoples of Eurasia;
- the unity of the peoples of Eurasia and the upbringing of the younger generation on the basis of fundamental spiritual and moral values common to all mankind;
- support for public and state initiatives aimed at preserving peace and harmony, strengthening friendship and interethnic good-neighborliness;
- unification of efforts for the preservation of the Eurasian continent in all the diversity of its natural, spiritual, cultural, historical treasures and the creation of safe and comfortable living conditions;
- the implementation of new interaction formats and the creation of an effective partnership between the Assembly and civil society institutions and authorities of the countries of Eurasia;
- creation of opportunities and favorable conditions for using the resource potential of each person striving to make his/her creative contribution to the development of Eurasia

STRUCTURE



Councils of the Eurasian Peoples' Assembly

Economic Council	International Cultural Cooperation Council	Council of Writers and Readers	Council "Space is the space of peace, trust and cooperation"
Business Council	Spiritual Culture Council	Council on the Russian language and languages of the peoples of Eurasia	
Council "The Future of Eurasia"	Council for the spiritual heritage of the peoples of Eurasia	Educational Council	Children's and youth Council
Council for the development of ethnotourism	Council of Composers and Music Figures	Science Council	Council "Eurasia - Territory of Health"
The Arctic Council	National Sports Council	Council "Development of the intellectual potential of the nation"	Cossack Integration Council
Ecological Council	Ancestral Culture Council	Project Activities Council	Club of Wise Men



RESOLUTION

of the 1st Congress of the Eurasian Peoples' Assembly

The 1st Congress of the International Union of Non-Governmental Organizations “Eurasian Peoples’ Assembly” was held during May 27-29, 2017 in Moscow.

The decision about establishment of Eurasian Peoples’ Assembly and the holding of its 1st Congress was adopted at the 1st Forum of the Peoples of Russia and Eurasia (Moscow, November 2, 2016). The main task of the Assembly was the promotion of unification of the efforts of civil society in the development of integration processes, consolidation of basic universal values, establishment of ideas for peacemaking and the strengthening of good-neighborly relations in the space of “Great Eurasia”. The International Organizing Committee of the Congress was formed at the Forum which included representatives of non-governmental organizations from Austria, Armenia, Belarus, Bulgaria, Germany, Israel, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Russia, Serbia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Turkey, Finland, France and Montenegro.

Over 1,500 representatives of non-governmental (non-profit) organizations, business and intellectual elites from more than 60 countries of the Eurasian continent took part in the work of the 1st Congress. As guests of honor at the Congress were representatives of government bodies from the whole range of states, international organizations, and diplomatic corps and mass media representatives.

During the speeches at the plenary sessions, as well as during over 40 panel discussions, roundtables, conferences and other dialogue venues of the Congress the participants emphasized that the unity of the peoples of the continent is becoming an urgent necessity for the further development of a multi-level integration model - a large Eurasian partnership which is being embodied more and more dynamically at various international and regional levels. A clear indication of this most important trend in the development of modern international relations was the international forum “One belt, one way” held on May 14-15 in Beijing which was designed to promote the creation of a single space

of cooperation from the Atlantic to the Pacific. It is noteworthy that among the five most important areas of such cooperation, in addition to the deepening of political cooperation, transport and logistics, trade and financial ties, the need to expand and deepen contacts between people was emphasized.

Agreeing with the Beijing Forum participants the Congress delegates also point out that in order to consolidate international peace, interethnic and inter-confessional dialogue, it is extremely important, along with the activation of mutually beneficial political and trade-economic ties, to intensify cross-border cultural and humanitarian cooperation, to use more widely the potential of people's diplomacy involving into its orbit as many non-governmental organizations and other civil society institutions as possible.

The Eurasian continent, like the whole planet, needs new specific mechanisms to create joint future based on the principles of observance of the norms of international law, justice, equality and mutual respect. One of them, according to deep conviction of the delegates of the Congress should be a multi-faceted peacekeeping interaction of peoples, including interaction in the format of the newly created Eurasian Peoples' Assembly.

The very thesis about the need for broad consolidation of the peoples of Eurasia is not new. A special role in its popularization and substantive filling was played by such structures created at the national level as:

- Assembly of the People of Kyrgyzstan (established by the initiative of national cultural centers at the 1st Kurultay of the people of Kyrgyzstan on 22 January 1994);
- Assembly of the People of Kazakhstan (established on March 1, 1995 in the cadre of realization of the initiative of the President of the country N.A.Nazarbayev, voiced by him at the first Forum of the people of Kazakhstan in October 1992). At present time it is the constitutional body of the Republic of Kazakhstan and is headed directly by the President of the country - the author-founder of the idea of Eurasian integration at the present stage;

- The Assembly of the Peoples of Russia (established by representatives of a number of public organizations and the expert community on July 8, 1998 in accordance with the Concept of the state national policy of the Russian Federation approved by the Decree of the President of the Russian Federation from June 15, 1996). At its VI Congress held on July 8, 2013 the Assembly fully supported the initiatives of the Russian President V.V. Putin concerning the further promotion of multi-level integration models in the Eurasian space;

- Assembly of the Peoples of Moldova (established on March 10, 2010).

In its practical activities the newly created Eurasian Peoples' Assembly will strive to maximally widely accumulate and creatively use the experience of multi-faceted, multi-format work accumulated by the above-mentioned structures, primarily in the sphere of implementing international projects of the most varied orientation. Its priority should be peacemaking, shift of the attention vector from interethnic hatred and hostile relations between peoples who have been good neighbors for centuries, supporting active trade, economic, cultural, humanitarian and purely human contacts, for the establishment of universal human values that guide people to peaceful initiatives, spiritual harmony and international cooperation. The solution of this urgent issue lies in the effective interaction of social mechanisms, institutions and technologies that are really able to transform life together for the better, to transform the renewing countries and peoples of the continent from within, to reveal maximally the creative potential of the peoples of Eurasia.

According to the opinion of the delegates of the Congress, this centuries-old experience of interaction between representatives of different cultures and religions, refuting the “alternative” theories of the apologists about the inevitability of wars and conflicts along the line of so-called civilizational faults, should be taken as the basis of the strategy elaboration of the further development of “Big Eurasia”. Another basic principle of the Eurasian paradigm should be the realization that under the conditions of globalization it is the integration processes that can and should become the guarantors of the maintenance of peace, stability and security on a regional and global scale. At the same

time, the dynamics of implementation and the viability of these or those integration schemes and models largely depend on harmonious interaction, coordination and complementary efforts of state and non-state factors.

Recognizing the special role of civil society and public diplomacy in developing and consolidating integration on the Eurasian continent, in creating solid foundation for prosperous future for the peoples of the most populous region on the planet, the Congress participants consider the creation of the International Union of Non-Governmental Organizations “Eurasian Peoples’ Assembly “as one of the promising forms of implementing the social integration model of large Eurasian partnership.

The Eurasian Peoples’ Assembly is open to the widest dialogue and interaction with all those who share the idea of necessity for harmonious interaction, coordination and complementary efforts of state and non-state acts in order to maintain peace, stability and security on a regional and global scale.

oting the high efficiency and constructive nature of the held discussions, as well as expressing interest in the further development and expansion of the dialogue platforms of the Eurasian Peoples’ Assembly on a systemic basis, the participants of the First Congress of the Russian Academy of Sciences DECIDED:

1. To recognize the successful work of the First Congress of the Eurasian Peoples’ Assembly and express gratitude to the members of its International Organizing Committee.
2. To entrust the General Council of the Eurasian Peoples’ Assembly to formulate a program for the activities of the International Social Movement of the Eurasian Peoples’ Assembly for 2017-2020 taking into account the received proposals and projects.
3. To support the idea of holding an annual Day of Spiritual Harmony, Friendship and Cooperation of the Peoples of Eurasia which should promote the integration processes on the Eurasian continent with its cultural, religious and linguistic diversity and the common desire of the countries and peoples for interaction and good-neighborliness.

4. To establish the annual Eurasian Prize of People's Recognition for contribution and consolidation of friendship between nations and the Eurasian integration and to provide its annual delivery. The General Council of the Eurasian Peoples' Assembly shall develop and approve the Regulations of the said prize.

5. To approve and send an Appeal to the Peoples and Heads of States, to international organizations (attached).

6. To send this Resolution to all state structures and public associations of the countries of the Eurasian continent interested in the development of integration processes as well as to international organizations.

The Congress participants express hope that its decisions will give a new impetus to the development of people's diplomacy and the consolidation of friendship between the peoples of the Eurasian countries.

The participants of the Congress express their gratitude to the bodies of state power and administration, international organizations, business structures, civil society institutions, the mass media of the Eurasian countries for their assistance in its preparation and conduct. Special gratitude goes to the host party, primarily to the Council for the President of the Russian Federation for international relations, the Federation Council and the State Duma of the Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation, the Federal Agency for the Commonwealth of Independent States, compatriots living abroad and for international humanitarian cooperation, the Federal Agency for Nationalities Affairs, the Government of Moscow, the Public Chamber of Russia Federation.

*Adopted at the First Congress
of the Eurasian Peoples' Assembly
(Moscow, May 28, 2017)*



APPEAL

to peoples and heads of states, international intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations

We, the participants of the First Congress of the Eurasian Peoples' Assembly, representatives of non-governmental organizations of 60 countries appeal to all peoples and heads of states, international intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations with a firm belief in the aspiration of all peoples to keep the peace and the call to do everything in their power to preserve humanity.

The peace can only be achieved together, by organizing the wide public discourse on the most complex and controversial issues of our time, based on the realization of the need for the consolidation of the peoples of the

Eurasian continent in the interests of strengthening friendship and all-round creative cooperation between the countries and peoples of the region and the planet as a whole.

Eurasia is the largest continent on Earth, which is washed by all the oceans of the world. Great treasures of world culture were created here, the world's major religions, philosophical and socio-political teachings, recognized throughout the world, arose on Earth. Our common goal is to preserve and develop this cradle of the world civilization.

We believe that the 21st century should be the era of the creation of a peaceful and secure future, the assertion of cultural diversity, interethnic and inter-confessional dialogue, and the development of a new integration model for a large Eurasian partnership from the Atlantic to the Pacific should be based on this foundation.

We are confident that the 21st century is meant to be the century of great and prosperous Eurasia, sustainable and a just world order based on the principles of compliance with international law, justice, mutual respect, wide trade, economic and cultural-humanitarian cooperation designed to ensure the welfare of all countries and peoples of the Eurasian continent.

We strongly believe that the preservation and strengthening of such a fragile peace is a key link in solving the entire set of problems which humanity is currently confronted with. This is the ultimate goal and the basic condition for the survival of civilization. This is the most urgent task for the whole world community today.

The world is suffering from mankind! And now it does not suffer abstractedly, it appeals for urgent real action in its defense.

The peace is achievable, but it is necessary to fight for it even more consistently and purposefully. A global peacekeeping process is necessary, in which national and international non-governmental (non-profit) organizations and other institutions of civil society should play an increasingly active role. The need for such a large-scale

peacekeeping activity is conditioned by the realities of a modern, rapidly changing world in which the changes affect the basic foundations of interpersonal, public and interstate relations and give rise to fundamentally new approaches to the self-organization of human being and society.

Today's agenda urgently requires switching attention to the priority solution of such problems as spiritual and moral education and the education of the population, especially the youth; to the statement in the mass consciousness of the principles of a healthy lifestyle; to ensuring progressive socio-economic development and growth of well-being without excessive pressure on the environment; to maximum disclosure of man's resource potential, his intellectual, spiritual and physical perfection.

Guided by the interests of creating a benevolent, constructive Eurasia without wars and conflicts, preserving and consolidating world peace, we, representatives of non-governmental (non-profit) organizations, scientific and creative intelligentsia, business community of more than 60 countries, established the International Union of Non-Governmental Organizations "Eurasian Peoples' Assembly".

Its goal is to become a broad debate platform, not just for discussing the urgent tasks of peacebuilding in Eurasia, but also for determining the priority steps in this direction. And we would like to do these steps together.

In this regard, we appeal to all peoples and heads of states, international intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations with the appeal:

1. To unite efforts for the sake of peace and life on Earth.
2. To prevent the escalation of the threat of nuclear war.
3. To unite efforts in the fight against international terrorism, religious extremism and any other manifestations of a destructive, misanthropic ideology.

4. To deploy a broad-based cross-border social movement for peaceful, creative Eurasia.

We express our confidence that only by joint efforts the solution of these tasks is achievable.

We call for the creation of harmonious and benevolent cooperation to unite our efforts and create a happy future.

The Eurasian Peoples' Assembly is open to the wide dialogue and interaction with all those who share the idea of the need for harmonious interaction, coordination and complementary efforts of state and non-state acts in the preservation of peace, stability and security on a regional and global scale.

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