



**Permanent Mission
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The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Azerbaijan to the United Nations Office and other international organizations in Geneva presents its compliments to the Secretariat of the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination (CERD) and, with reference to its Note Verbale Ref: 0014/12/16/05 dated 28 March 2016, has the honour to transmit herewith the updated information about the composition of the delegation of the Republic of Azerbaijan to the consideration of its combined seventh to ninth periodic reports under the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination to be held on 3-4 May 2016 within the 89th session (25 April - 13 May 2016) of CERD in Geneva:

1. H.E. Mr. Khalaf Khalafov, Head of Delegation, Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Azerbaijan;
2. H.E. Amb. Vaqif Sadiqov, Permanent Representative of the Republic of Azerbaijan to the United Nations Office and other international organizations in Geneva;
3. Mr. Oruj Zalov, Deputy Minister of Internal Affairs of the Republic of Azerbaijan;
4. Mr. Toghrul Musayev, Deputy Minister of Justice of the Republic of Azerbaijan;
5. Ms. Sevda Mammadaliyeva, Deputy Minister of Culture and Tourism of the Republic of Azerbaijan;
6. Mr. Firudin Gurbanov, Deputy Minister of Education of the Republic of Azerbaijan;

Secretariat,
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7. Mr. Namig Asgarov, Deputy Prosecutor General of the Republic of Azerbaijan;
8. Mr. Ramin Hasanov, Head of International Law and Treaties Department of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Azerbaijan;
9. Mr. Ismayil Asadov, Head of Division of International Law and Treaties Department of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Azerbaijan;
10. Mr. Nijat Mammadli, Acting Head of Division of Foreign Relations of the State Committee for Work with Religious Organizations of the Republic of Azerbaijan;
11. Mr. Tamerlan Akhundov, Head of Sector of International Cooperation Division of the Ministry of Culture and Tourism of the Republic of Azerbaijan;
12. Mr. Kanan Mammadov, Assistant to the Deputy Minister of Justice of the Republic of Azerbaijan;
13. Mr. Elchin Guliyev, Second Secretary of the Permanent Mission;
14. Mr. Elvin Ashrafzade, Third Secretary of the Permanent Mission.

The Permanent Mission would be grateful for the assistance of the Secretariat in the issuance of accreditation badges for the members of the delegation.

The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Azerbaijan to the United Nations Office and other international organizations in Geneva avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the CERD Secretariat the assurances of its highest consideration.

Geneva, 26 April 2016

