INTERNATIONAL POLICE COOPERATION ON COUNTER-TERRORISM (CT) IN TURKEY

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Presentation Plan



- Counter Terrorism (CT) Units in Turkish National Police(TNP)
- Terrorism in Turkey
- Cooperation Activities carried out by TNP
- Cooperation Activities with Central Asian Countries

Counter Terrorism Units in Turkish National Police (TNP)



Intelligence Department of TNP (IDB)

- Collects information in entire country
- Conducts analysis & produces intelligence
- Supports Counter-Terrorism Department

Counter-Terrorism Department of TNP

 Carries out CT investigations and operations along with prosecutors

Special Operations Department

 They are deployed in CT operations as special raid teams.

Terrorism in Turkey - I



Al Qaeda is threat for Turkey by its terrorist attacks.

In 2003 Istanbul bombings, (61) people died.

Between 1993 and 2003, Turkish Hizbollah conducted many assasinations in Turkey.

Turkish Hizbollah has (19) associations in Europe for propaganda, recruitment and financing.

Terrorism in Turkey - II





DHKP/C still is also threat for Turkey, they seek to conduct assasinations of the statesmen.

DHKP/C is active in Europe with its associations.



PKK is still conducting terrorist attacks in Turkey.

PKK carries on recruitment and financing activities through its associations abroad (esp. in Europe)



General Assessment of Cooperation CICA INTERPOL **ECO SECI NATO UNITED OTHER NATIONS** UNODC **ECO-DCCU** INCB COUNCIL OF PFI **EUROPEAN CCPCJ OSCE EUROPE** UNION JICA CND **POMPIDOU** EUROPOL **AG SUDOST HONLEA GROUP EMCDDA BUDAPEST SUBCOM PROCESS** EU **STABILIZATION**

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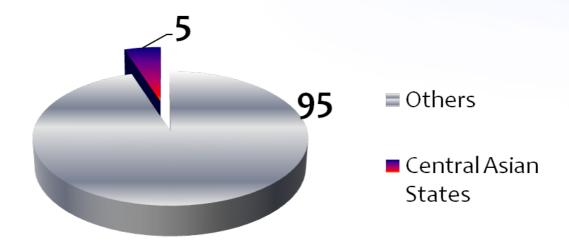
General Assessment of Cooperation



- UN Security Council, Counter Terrorism Committee in 2010.
- Meetings with CT Coordinators of UN Security Council Members in Istanbul.
- Conference on "Prevention of Terrorism: Prevention Tools, Legal Instruments and Their Implementation" in collaboration with UN and European Council.
- Southeast European Law Enforcement Center (SELEC) Counter Terrorism Coordination is conducted by Counter Terrorism Department of TNP.



- Security Cooperation Agreements
 - with (83) countries, (100) agreements
 - (5) of them with Central Asian States
- (12) UN agreements



Security Cooperation Agrements

Training Activities on CT

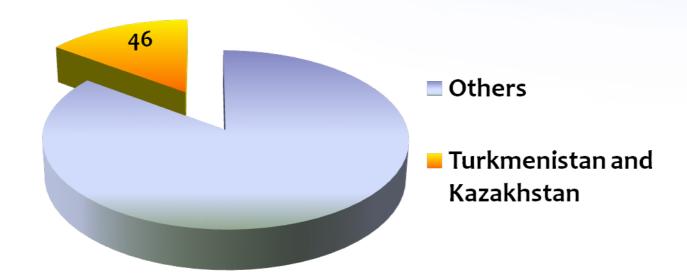
- with over (80) countries, in (334) training programs to (5717) foreign participants
- last year; from (30) countries, (2.425) foreign participants
- (25) training programs to (395) participants from Central Asian States





Police Academy

- (311) police students from (18) country is studying in Police Academy.
- -(46) students from Kirghizstan and Turkmenistan



Foreign Students in Police Academy



Bilateral Meetings

- (598) bilateral meetings were held. (Since 2009)

Exchange of Information

- (5.027 letters) information exchange (Since 2009)

Need to improve CT Cooperation with Central Asian States.

Particularly with bilateral meetings and exchange of Information

 Conference on Interaction and Confidence-Building Measures in Asia (CICA)

Economic Cooperation Organisation (ECO)
 Meetings

- OSCE Missions
 - (24) police officer, (4) of them in Kirghizstan



UN Missions

- UNODC officer in Uzbekistan
- UN Assistance Mission in Afghanistan (UNAMA)

Cooperation with Afghanistan

- Vardak Procincial Reconstraction Team (PRT),
 (15) Special Operations Officers, (10) trainers.
- Training of Afghan National Police in Turkey,
 (6) month training, (492) trainee.
- (3) CT Training program with (53) trainee.

Contact with us



- Within the body of TNP;
 - Intelligence Academy (ISAK) with (8) training programs,
 - Counter Terrorism Academy (TEMAK) with (16) training programs,

makes establishing cooperation easier.

- If your agency wants to contact TNP on CT issues, please don't hesitate to contact us. We are authorized as a contact point on CT issues in TNP.
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