

ORGANIZATION OF THE BLACK SEA ECONOMIC COOPERATION

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PRESS RELEASE ON THE PARTICIPATION OF THE SECRETARY GENERAL IN THE 52nd GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF CPMR

BSEC PERMIS Secretary General, Ambassador Lazar Comanescu, participated in the 52nd *General Assembly of CPMR* which took place in Gozo, Malta on 2-4 October 2024. CPMR is an active BSEC Sectoral Dialogue Partner.

Participants were representatives (heads of regional/ local administrations, Professional Associations, Business Communities, Academia and Think Tanks, NGOs, etc.) of peripheral maritime regions from the CPMR countries, and of regional and international organizations.

The debates were focused on issues like territorial cohesion, climate, sustainable Blue Economy, energy priorities and cooperation in green energy.

In his contribution to the debates, PERMIS Secretary General, while highlighting the project and result-oriented cooperation between BSEC and CPMR, elaborated on the BSEC activities in the area of energy with focus on promoting green energy.