

ORGANIZATION OF THE BLACK SEA ECONOMIC COOPERATION

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PRESS RELEASE ON THE PARTICIPATION OF THE BSEC PERMIS SECRETARY GENERAL IN THE BLACK SEA CONFERENCE

BSEC PERMIS Secretary General Ambassador Lazar Comanescu participated in the Black Sea Conference organized in Oslo on 8 October 2024 by East Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Norway (EAST CCI), and dedicated to economic and business opportunities in the Black Sea region.

Participants were CEOs and other representatives of Norwegian business community. In addressing the conference as keynote speaker, the PERMIS Secretary General, welcoming the interest of the Norwegian entrepreneurs towards the BSEC and the Black Sea area, made a presentation of the structure and functioning of BSEC and elaborated on its activities and objectives for the years to come.

He highlighted in this context the adoption, in December 2023, of the updated BSEC Economic Agenda and the approval in June 2024 of the mechanism for its implementation. Ambassador Comanescu also referred to the importance BSEC attaches to partnership and interaction with other international/regional organizations and actors. In this context, he encouraged a direct interaction between EAST CCI of Norway and BSEC Business Council, respectively BSTDB.