

## ORGANIZATION OF THE BLACK SEA ECONOMIC COOPERATION

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## PRESS RELEASE ON THE PARTICIPATION OF THE BSEC PERMIS IN THE 12th GREEN ENERGY INVESTMENTS FORUM

BSEC PERMIS Deputy Secretary General Ambassador Dimitrios Rallis and Executive Manager Ambassador Ashot Kocharian participated in the 12<sup>th</sup> Green Energy Investments Forum held in Athens under the auspices of BSEC on 8 October 2025.

Present in this year's Forum were also representatives of Academic Centers and SDG Hubs Chairs participating in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Conference of the UNAI (United Nations Academic Impact) Sustainable Development Goals Hubs on "Strengthening Efforts to Implement the 2030 Agenda" held in Athens in parallel during the same days.

In his address Ambassador Rallis emphasized that BSEC attaches particular importance to encouraging Green Energy investments in the BSEC Region. It was underlined that investments in Green Energy are crucial for the modernization of the energy sector to achieve the UN SDG 7 Goal, the economic growth, job creation and increasing energy security.

The hope was expressed that intensification of efforts in promoting Green Energy Investments with involvement of more BSEC Members and partners including the BSEC Green Energy Network (BSEC-GEN) would definitely contribute to reach assigned purpose and that new innovative approaches and strategies will be needed for achieving more concrete targets and goals.