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THE SLOVAK REPUBLIC

The BSEC PERMIS Secretary General, Ambassador Lazar Comănescu received on 6 September 2023, Ms. Soňa Budayová, the new Consul General of Slovak Republic in Istanbul, on courtesy visit. The formal request for the renewal of the Observer status to BSEC of the Slovak Republic was submitted on this occasion by the Consul General.

An exchange of views took place in this context on the cooperation between BSEC and Slovak Republic.

While congratulating Ms. Budayová and wishing her full success in her new and important mission, the Secretary General appreciated that the collaboration with Slovakia, an active Observer State to BSEC since 1994, has been a most valuable and mutually beneficial one. He welcomed Slovakia's interest in renewing its status as BSEC Observer and expressed his full support to and confidence in the further strengthening of this collaboration.