

**THE KRAKÓW DECLARATION
OF PARTNERSHIP AND CLOSE COOPERATION
AMONG
THE SUPREME AUDIT OFFICE OF THE CZECH REPUBLIC,
THE SUPREME AUDIT OFFICE OF POLAND,
AND THE TURKISH COURT OF ACCOUNTS.**

The Supreme Audit Office of the Czech Republic,
represented by Mr Miloslav KALA, President,

The Supreme Audit Office of Poland,
represented by Mr Krzysztof KWIATKOWSKI, President,

The Turkish Court of Accounts,
represented by Mr Seyit Ahmet BAŞ, President,

hereinafter referred to as "the Parties"

TAKING INTO ACCOUNT the existing friendly cooperation among the Parties and the common values that they share;

CONSIDERING the willingness of the Parties to strengthen close relations among them;

RECOGNISING the important role of constant development of professional and effective state auditing and the independence of Supreme Audit Institutions as a fundamental element of a democratic state;

WILLING to establish and develop a regular dialogue on international issues of mutual interest;

DECLARING to strengthen the relations already existing, in the forum of the European Organisation of Supreme Audit Institutions – EUROSAI and the International Organisation of Supreme Audit Institutions – INTOSAI, as well as multilateral and bilateral cooperation;

CONVINCED that this Declaration of Partnership and Close Cooperation will provide the basis for new initiatives in the area of cooperation among the Parties;

HAVE AGREED THE FOLLOWING:

Article 1

The Parties declare their willingness to continue and develop their friendly multilateral and bilateral cooperation.

Article 2

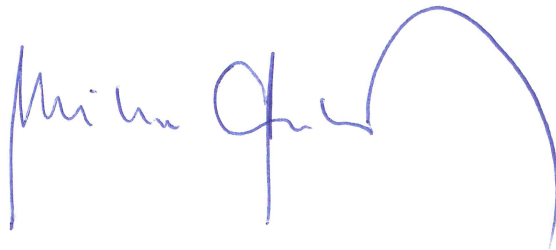
The Parties will exchange their experience in the field of auditing and support one another in the process of improving the independent state auditing.

Article 3

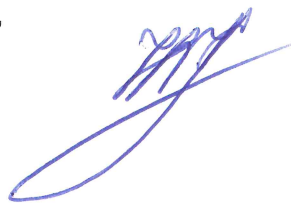
The Parties will strive to communicate effectively within their capacities to the benefit of the international community of SAIs.

Signed in Kraków on 13 July 2017.

for the Supreme Audit Office of the Czech Republic,
Mr Miloslav KALA, President,



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