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NOTIFICATION OF RATIFICATION

State : Turkey.

Represented by : Mr Erdoğan İŞCAN, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary,
Permanent Representative of Turkey to the Council of Europe;

Instrument : Council of Europe Convention on Action against Trafficking in Human
Beings, opened for signature, in Warsaw, on 16 May 2005 (CETS No. 197).

Date of entry into force
of the instrument : 1 February 2008.

Date of ratification : 2 May 2016.

Date of entry into force
in respect of Turkey: 1 September 2016.

Reservations : CETS No. 197 Res./Decl. Turkey.
Declarations : (See Annex)

Notification made in accordance with Article 47 of the Convention.

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CETS / STCE No. 197

COUNCIL OF EUROPE CONVENTION ON ACTION AGAINST TRAFFICKING IN HUMAN BEINGS

opened for signature, in Warsaw, on 16 May 2005

CONVENTION DU CONSEIL DE L'EUROPE SUR LA LUTTE CONTRE LA TRAITE DES ETRES HUMAINS

ouverte à la signature, à Varsovie, le 16 mai 2005

**Reservations and Declarations
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TURKEY

Declaration contained in the instrument of ratification deposited on 2 May 2016 - Or. Engl.

Turkey declares that its ratification of the "Council of Europe Convention on Action against Trafficking in Human Beings" neither amounts to any form of recognition of the Greek Cypriot Administration's pretention to represent the defunct "Republic of Cyprus" as party to that Convention, nor should it imply any obligation on the part of Turkey to enter into any dealing with the so-called Republic of Cyprus within the framework of the said Convention.

TURQUIE

Déclaration consignée dans l'instrument de ratification déposé le 2 mai 2016 - Or. angl.

La Turquie déclare que sa ratification de la « Convention du Conseil de l'Europe sur la lutte contre la traite des êtres humains » n'implique aucune forme de reconnaissance de la prétention de l'administration chypriote grecque de représenter la défunte "République de Chypre" en tant que Partie à cette convention, et ni aucune obligation quelconque de la part de la Turquie d'entretenir avec la prétendue République de Chypre des relations dans le cadre de ladite Convention