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Meeting of BSEC Secretary General, Ambassador Dr. Victor Tvircun with ICBSS Director General, Dr. Zefi Dimadama

On 10 April 2014, ICBSS Director General, Dr. Zefi Dimadama, welcomed in ICBSS Headquarters the Secretary General of the Organization of the Black Sea Economic Cooperation, Ambassador Dr. Victor Tvircun and the Executive Manager at the BSEC Organization, Mr. Nikolaos Emirzas.

During the meeting, the two parties discussed ways to join their forces with a view to enhancing further the role of BSEC in the Black Sea region. ICBSS and BSEC explored ways of further strengthening their cooperation, through the organisation of joint actions, events and publications in fields of common interest.

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