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Subject: Compliance of Visa Exemption Agreement between Bangladesh and Turkey

Please find the enclosed agreement herewith between the Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh and the Republic of Turkey signed on 12 November 1987 through a diplomatic note regarding visa exemption for diplomatic and official passport holders.

- 2. The agreement is still in force. So compliance of the agreed decision is mandatory for the governments of both the countries. We are happy to know that Turkish immigration department is always taken well care of honoring the agreement and they expect reciprocal treatment from us. But, unfortunately we have reports that some of the immigration officials working at the Hazrat Shajalal International Airport do not follow the agreed decision in case of Turkish nationals holding diplomatic and official passport.
- 3. In this circumstance, you are kindly requested once again to inform all of your immigration officials to comply the conditions laid down in the agreement for strengthening our bilateral friendly relationship with Turkey.

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