

# Asian Parliamentary Assembly



## The 14<sup>th</sup> Plenary Session

Baku, Azerbaijan  
20-24 February 2024



## Annotated Agenda

### 1. Adoption of the Agenda

Participants are requested to consider the items included in the draft Agenda and adopt it.

### 2. Election of the Bureau

The Bureau of the 14<sup>th</sup> APA Plenary is comprised of the following:

Chairperson: Azerbaijan

Vice- Chairs: Bahrain, Iraq, Qatar, Russian Federation

Rapporteur: To be elected based on geographic distribution

### 3. Remarks by APA President, H.E. Speaker of Milli Majlis of Azerbaijan

The new APA President will address the 14<sup>th</sup> APA Plenary

### 4. Report of the Chairperson of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Executive Council

The Chairperson of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Executive Council will present his/her report.

### 5. Report of the Secretary General on the work of the Organization

APA Secretary General will present his latest views and proposals on the work of the Organization and its activities.

### 6. General Debate: Statements by Head of Delegations on “Fostering regional cooperation for sustainable development in Asia”

Head of Delegations are requested to address the theme of the 14<sup>th</sup> APA Plenary as well as other topics of their interests.

## 7. Meeting of the Standing Committees

Parallel with debates undergoing in the Plenary Hall, each Standing Committee shall hold its meeting to consider relevant documents.

## 8. Meeting of the Drafting Committee on Baku Declaration

Parallel with debates undergoing in the Plenary Hall, Drafting Committee on Declaration shall hold its meeting.

## 9. Presentation of Reports of the Chairpersons of Standing Committees:

Standing Committee on Economic and Sustainable Development

Standing Committee on Budget and Planning

Standing Committee on Social and Cultural Affairs

Standing Committee on Political Affairs

Chairpersons of each Standing Committee is called upon to present its report for the adoption of the Plenary.

## 10. Confirmation of the next APA Vice Presidents for 2024

The Plenary will consider and endorse the Vice Presidents of the 14<sup>th</sup> Plenary and the Chair of four Standing Committees: The Parliaments of Iraq, Qatar and Russian Federation, nominated for APA Vice- Presidency and the Chair of the SC on Political Affairs, Budget and Planning and Social and Cultural Affairs for 2024. Bahrain nominated for APA Vice- Presidency and the Chair of the Standing Committees on Economic and Sustainable Development for 2024 -2025.

## 11. Adoption of APA Observer status of ASGAP

The Head of delegation of Qatar submitted a letter addressed to the APA Secretary General by the President of Association of Secretaries General of Arab Parliaments requesting an Observer status. The EC approved the Observer status of this Association. Based on decision of Executive Council, the 14<sup>th</sup> Plenary is called upon to endorse this request.

## 12. Adoption of the Report of 14th Plenary Session

## 13. Any other matter

Participants may raise any topic relevant to APA activities for the attention of the Plenary.

## 14. Closing