Prepared by the Legal Committee of the Baltic Assembly

RECOMMENDATIONS

Of the Baltic Assembly for the Regulations of the Juridical Bureau of the Baltic States and for the Legal Assistance Agreement

The Legal Committee of the Baltic Assembly, having discussed the Draft Regulations of the Juridical Bureau of the Baltic States (see Protocol of the 18 May 1992 meeting of the delegations) prepared by delegations of lawyers from the republics of Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania, as well as having considered the draft of the trilateral Legal Assistance Agreement developed by delegations of lawyers from the republics of Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania (see Protocol from 26 May 1992), have reached the following conclusions:

- 1. To recommend the Governments of Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania to form National Divisions of the Bureau in accordance with the Regulations of the Juridical Bureau of the Baltic States, and to afford material-technical and financial provision thereof with the goal of beginning their operation in the second half of 1992.
- 2. To propose that the delegations of lawyers of the republics of Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania elaborate on the part of the Legal Assistance Agreement concerning adoption as well as the part regarding taking persons into custody upon receipt of the demand for their extradition, and thereafter refer to their respective Governments for the signing of the trilateral Legal Assistance Agreement.

The Baltic Assembly is confident that as the aforementioned recommendations are implemented, cooperation of the Baltic States in the legal sphere shall assume an increasingly concrete character.

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