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of the 26th Session of the Baltic Assembly

The Baltic Assembly,

having convened on 23 – 24 November 2007 in Riga, the Republic of Latvia, for its 26th Session;

having discussed the Baltic States' contribution to the EU New Neighbourhood Policy and the common Baltic States' energy policy, as well issues related to the protection of the Baltic Sea, the labour market and labour force migration,

adopted the following documents:

Resolution on the Development of Human Resources under Conditions of Labour Migration;

Resolution on a Uniform Higher Education Policy in the Baltic States;

Resolution on Joint Air Policing of the Republic of Estonia, the Republic of Latvia and the Republic of Lithuania;

Resolution on Combating Eutrophication of the Baltic Sea;

Resolution on Combating Domestic Violence;

Resolution on the Baltic States' Culture Day;

Appeal Regarding the Development of *Via Hanseatica*;

Statement on Commemorating the Victims of Political Repressions and Genocide Committed in Ukraine in 1932 and 1933;

Decision on Making Amendments to the Regulations on the Use of Baltic Assembly Funds,

approved the Baltic Assembly Budget Report for 2006, the Baltic Assembly Budget for 2008 and the Overview of the BA Environmental Protection and Energy Committee's Contribution to Developing Baltic Energy Strategy,

defined the following priorities of the Baltic Assembly for 2008:

1. A common Baltic energy strategy (strengthening the reliability of energy production and supply, energy efficiency, energy saving);
2. Parliamentary contribution to forming democratic relations with European Union neighbours;
3. Cooperation in fighting cybercrimes; security of information space,

defined the following priorities for co-operation between the Baltic Assembly and the Baltic Council of Ministers in 2008:

1. A common Baltic energy strategy; strengthening the reliability of energy production and supply, energy efficiency;
2. Cooperation in fighting cybercrimes; security of cyberspace,

and **decided** that the 27th Session of the Baltic Assembly will take place on 4 – 6 December 2008 in Viljandi, the Republic of Estonia.

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