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## RESOLUTION

### on defence cooperation

The Baltic Assembly

**proceeding** from its previous resolutions on the development of Baltic unity and mutual cooperation,

**feeling responsible for** securing peace and stability in the region ,

**acknowledging** the necessity of strengthening mutual cooperation in defence and security issues, including voluntary formations

**expresses** full support to the efforts made by our governments and their subordinated structures on coordinating joint activities in the field of defence and security clearly manifested in formation of the BALTBAT which has already demonstrated itself on the international arena,

**recommends** the Baltic Council of Ministers to take additional measures for improving cooperation in security and defence matters, extending the cooperation from air surveillance and sea border control to the land forces and their weapons, communication systems etc. up to the formation of the Baltic structures coordinating the national defence forces, and to report to the Baltic Assembly on the progress concerning the preparation of a defence agreement between the Baltic States.

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