

**FINAL DOCUMENT
OF THE 32ND SESSION OF THE BALTIC ASSEMBLY**

The Baltic Assembly,

having convened on 28–29 November 2013 in Rīga, the Republic of Latvia, for its 32nd Session,

having discussed latest results in cooperation of the Baltic States, development of the digital single market in the region, coordination of activities in development of joint external economic policy and attraction of investments, cooperation in the field of research and innovation, a proactive and integrated approach towards the fight against organised crime and development of a joint regional tourism concept;

adopted the **Resolution** of the 32nd Session of the Baltic Assembly;

adopted the **Decision** on the Establishment and Mandate of the *Ad Hoc* Group on the Baltic Assembly Prizes for Literature, the Arts and Science;

approved the Baltic Assembly Budget Report for 2012;

adopted the Baltic Assembly Budget for 2014;

defined the following priorities of the Baltic Assembly for 2014:

- 1) competitiveness and innovation;
- 2) dynamic and effective Baltic region;
- 3) safe societies;

defined the following priorities for cooperation between the Baltic Assembly and the Baltic Council of Ministers for 2014:

- 1) enhancing cooperation in IT policy, with special focus on digital signatures;
- 2) developing a regional energy market, with emphasis on gas and electricity markets and interconnections;
- 3) improving transport infrastructure connections, with special focus on the *Rail Baltic/Rail Baltica* project;
- 4) cohesion with Nordic-Baltic cooperation, with emphasis on cyber cooperation;

decided that the 33rd Session of the Baltic Assembly will take place on 23–24 October 2014 in Tallinn, the Republic of Estonia.

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