

## RESOLUTION

## On the Cooperation of the Baltic States to Eliminate Accidents and Emergencies of Transboundary Impact

The Baltic Assembly

taking into consideration that adequate cooperation among the Baltic States to eliminate accidents and emergencies of transboundary impact may prevent harmful effects on the environment and people,

**regarding** that the current cooperation at sea and on land is not sufficient in order to eliminate serious transboundary accidents and emergencies (oil spills, industrial and nuclear accidents, fires in forests and bogs, accidents of the means of transport carrying passengers by air, sea, railway and road),

**recommends** to the Governments of all the Baltic States to draft and sign a trilateral cooperation agreement and to implement a programme on the cooperation of the Baltic States to eliminate accidents and emergencies of transboundary impact.

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