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INTERNATIONAL COVENANT ON CIVIL AND POLITICAL RIGHTS  
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TURKEY: NOTIFICATION UNDER ARTICLE 4 (3)<sup>1</sup>

The Secretary-General of the United Nations, acting in his capacity as depositary, communicates the following:

The above action was effected on 9 January 2017.

(Original: English)

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9 January 2017

Excellency,

With reference to our letters dated 21 July 2016 and 14 October 2016 with regard to the State of Emergency declared by the Government of Turkey in accordance with the Turkish Constitution and the Law No. 2935 on State of Emergency, I enclose herewith the English translation of the Decision no. 1134 dated 3 January 2017.

The Decision extends the State of Emergency for a period of three months starting from 19 January 2017 at 01.00 AM.

This letter constitutes information for the purposes of article 4 of the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Güven Begeç  
Deputy Permanent Representative  
Chargé d'affaires a.i.”

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<sup>1</sup> Refer to depositary notifications C.N.580.2016.TREATIES-IV.4 of 11 August 2016 and C.N.775.2016.TREATIES-IV.4 of 21 October 2016 (Notifications under article 4 (3): Turkey).

**DECISION RELATING TO THE EXTENSION OF THE STATE OF EMERGENCY**

Decision No. 1134

Date of Decision: 3 January 2017

The decision taken on 3 January 2017 by the Council of Ministers that the state of emergency currently in force nationwide pursuant to article 120 of the Constitution and article 3 § 1 (b) of the Law on the State of Emergency (Law no. 2935) shall be extended for a period of three months, starting from Thursday, January 19, 2017, 01:00, has been approved at the plenary session of the Turkish Grand National Assembly, session no. 49 on 3 January 2017.

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10 January 2017

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