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**Her Excellency**  
**Mrs. Sahiba Gafarova**  
**The Speaker of Milli Mejlis**  
**Republic of Azerbaijan**

**Excellency,**

On the arrival of 28<sup>th</sup> May marking anniversary of the National Day of the Republic of Azerbaijan, my colleagues at the APA Secretariat join me to convey our heartfelt congratulations and warmest wishes to Your Excellency, the government and through you to the friendly people of Azerbaijan.

On this special occasion, I am also pleased to highly appreciate your tireless and sustained efforts as a successful woman parliamentarian with a mandate in the highest parliamentary echelon serving in the capacity of Parliament Speaker and President of the Asian Parliamentary Assembly.

Let me also extend my sincere gratitude to Your Excellency for your unsparing efforts and commendable aspirations for the enhancement of multilateral parliamentary cooperation as the incumbent APA President, most particularly during your successfully laudable management of the 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> APA Plenary Sessions in Baku.

I am convinced that under your leadership, as the APA President and Chair of the NAM PN, a new chapter of fruitful parliamentary cooperation will be opened between the two parliamentary institutions setting a milestone for further development of parliamentary dimensions of global governance.

Availing myself of this opportunity, may I wish Your Excellency personal well-being and greater success in your noble endeavors.

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

**Best Regards,**

**Mohammad Reza Majidi**