PROTOCOL SUMMARY

based on the Information Provided by Heads of Expert Groups of the Republic of Moldova and Pridnestrovie on the Negotiation Process

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Having considered information of the heads of expert groups of the Parties, the participants of the meeting state that specific work on overcoming existing disagreements has been done. Basic points of common interest and contradictions were marked and discussed.

At the same time, it shall be stated with regret that common view on some basic problems has not been found yet.

The necessity of additional joint work upon working papers in order to bring together the positions on principal questions, including the working-out of the concept of a "Common State", was underlined.

The Parties note that special attention should be drawn to practical realization of a number of adopted agreements, primarily of those that define principles of effective cooperation in different fields.

The agreement was reached, that existing contradictions will be overcome in the course of future negotiations on further evolvement of peaceful settlement. The Parliament of the Republic of Moldova and the Supreme Soviet of Pridnestrovie will at times hear information about the course of the negotiation process.

Chairman of the Parliament of the Republic of Moldova (signed) D. Dyakov Chairman of the Supreme Soviet of Pridnestrovie (signed) G. Marakutsa