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PUBLIC PERCEPTIONS OF TURKISH-ARMENIAN RAPPROCHEMENT

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*Keynote Speaker
Alexander Iskandaryan
Director of the Caucasus Institute*

*Moderator
Mustafa Aydın
Director of the International Policy Research Institute*

TEPAV will be hosting its sixth round-table meeting on the Caucasus with the participation of Mr. Alexander Iskandaryan, the director of the Caucasus Institute (CI). Mr. Iskandaryan will talk about the public perceptions of rapprochement in Armenia and Turkey.

Meeting Agenda

- **Public reaction to Turkish-Armenian rapprochement**
- **Recent political developments in the South-Caucasus**
- **How to move?**

Alexander Iskandaryan is the Director of CI since January 2005. Prior to becoming director, he headed the CI Research Unit. He teaches the Contemporary Studies and Area Studies courses. One of the founders of CI, Alexander Iskandaryan moved to Yerevan from Moscow to launch the institute in April 2002. Back in Moscow he directed the Center for Caucasus Studies since 1992. He has dozens of academic publications in various countries and regularly gives interviews to Western, Russian and Armenian press.