Relevant Articles of the Decree-Law no. 677

Institutions and organizations which have been closed and excluded:

ARTICLE 3 – (1)

a) The associations listed in Annex (6)

b) Media organs listed in Annex (7)

which have membership to, affiliation or connection with the terrorist organizations or structures, formations or groups determined by the National Security Council to carry out activities against the national security have been closed.

(2) Movable properties and all kinds of assets, claims and rights, documents and instruments belonging to the associations and media organs closed within the scope of the first paragraph shall be deemed to be transferred to the Treasury free of charge. Immovable properties of these institutions and organizations shall be *ex officio* registered in the title deed in the name of Treasury being free and clear of all kinds of restrictions and right of encumbrance. Any right or claim cannot be demanded from the Treasury on account of any kind of liabilities of such institutions and organizations. All actions pertaining to such transfer shall be performed by the Ministry of Finance by means of receiving necessary assistance from all institutions.

(3) Private health institution specified in the list given in Annex (8), foundations specified in the list given in Annex (9) and associations specified in the list given in Annex (10) have been excluded from the relevant lines of the lists (I) and (III), which are enclosed with the Law no. 6749. The provisions set out in Article 2 of the Law no. 6749 shall be deemed to revoke along with all effects and consequences thereof in respect of institutions and organizations falling into the scope of this paragraph as from the date of 23 July 2016. The actions in respect thereof shall be performed by the relevant authorities namely the Ministry of Interior, the Ministry of Finance, the Ministry of Health or the Directorate General of Foundations.

Measures with respect to the exams

ARTICLE 4 – (1) Those who are held in the penitentiary institutions as a detainee or convict for being a member of a terrorist organization or due to offences committed within the framework of the activities of these organizations cannot take the central exams to be held throughout the country or the exams to be held by or for all kinds of formal and non-formal educational institutions and the public institutions and organizations inside or outside the

penitentiary institutions during the period when the state of emergency prevails and they are placed in the penitentiary institutions.

Restriction with respect to claims for damages

ARTICLE 6 – (1) Within the scope of the decree-laws enacted under the state of emergency declared upon the Decision of the Council of Ministers dated 20/7/2016 and no. 2016/9064, the institutions and organizations closed for having membership to, affiliation, or connection with terrorist organizations or structures, formations or groups determined by the National Security Council to carry out activities against the national security may under no circumstances claim compensation for being closed.

Transfer of the power of trusteeship

ARTICLE 7 – (1) The powers vested in the trustees taking office in the companies in respect of which it was decided that a trustee be appointed pursuant to Article 133 of the Code of Criminal Procedure dated 4/12/2004 and no. 5271 for having membership to, affiliation, or connection with terrorist organizations before the entry into force of this Decree-Law shall terminate on the date when this Decree-Law is issued without seeking for a decision rendered by a judge or a court or a request, and the management of the companies shall be immediately transferred by the trustees to the Saving Deposits Insurance Fund.

Tenders to be rendered invalid

ARTICLE 8 – (1) In respect of the municipalities where a mayor or acting mayor has been appointed pursuant to Article 45 § 2 of the Municipal Law dated 3/7/2005 and no. 5393 and their affiliated institutions and in respect of partnerships more than 50% capital of which belongs to these municipalities; in case where the Security General Directorate reports that the contractors, which are parties to all kinds of goods or service procurement contracts and the contracts pertaining to construction works signed in pursuance of the Public Procurement Contract Laws dated 5/1/2002 and no. 4735, have affiliation or connection with the terrorist organizations or in case where it is determined that there has been an infringement of the municipal interest to a great extent due to these contracts, they shall be unilaterally terminated *ex-officio* by the mayor or the acting mayor.

(2) In these circumstances specified in this article, performance bond and, if any, additional performance bonds shall be recorded as revenue without the need for making a formal protest.

Any payment of penalty, compensation or under any name whatsoever shall not be made with respect to the tender.