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**Dear ladies and gentlemen, participants and guests!**

I want to thank everyone for active participation in today's meeting of the Kazakhstan-Korean Business Council.

For many years our meetings serve as a platform for discussing strategic issues and problems in the sphere of economic cooperation. Such dialogue between business communities becomes more important nowadays in the light of serious global changes affecting virtually all aspects of life.

Kazakhstan today provides a new opportunity and great potential - for both large companies and medium-sized businesses. The geopolitical situation, social and political stability, investment and tax climate are the key factors for the expansion of the presence of Korean companies in our country.

Meanwhile, the experience of the Republic of Korea, which is the locomotive of innovative developments on the international arena, represents interest to business communities in Kazakhstan.

I hope that this business council will give a new impulse to the development of bilateral relations, and the issues that have been discussed today will be shaped into implemented projects that will become mutually beneficial for both the society and business communities of Korea and Kazakhstan!

Allow me to wish all of you great success and inspiration in generating new ideas and forging new ties.

**Thank you for the attention!**