INTERNATIONAL PROTECTION IN TURKEY
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Three main parts:

- ✔ Foreigners (Regular Migration, Irregular Migration)
- ✔ International Protection (Refugee, Conditional Refugee, Subsidiary Protection, Temporary Protection)
- ✔ Organization and Duties of Directorate General of Migration Management
The duties and mandate of the Directorate General of Migration Management are to:

- Carry-out activities and actions related to regular (legal) migration
- Carry-out activities and actions related to irregular (illegal) migration
- Carry-out activities and actions regarding the scope and implementation of the protection to be provided to foreigners and stateless who claim for international protection and temporary protection to be provided to those in mass influxes.
- Carry-out activities and actions for the protection of victims of human trafficking and stateless persons
- Provide secretariat services for the Migration Policies Board and implement the decisions of the Board
TYPES OF INTERNATIONAL PROTECTION

A well-founded fear of being persecuted for reasons of:

- Race
- Religion
- Nationality
- Membership of a particular social club
- Political opinion

A foreigner shall be granted subsidiary protection because if returned to the country of origin, he/she would:

- Have been sentenced to death or face the execution of the death penalty
- Face torture or inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment
- Face serious threat to himself or herself by reason of indiscriminate violence in situations of international or nationwide armed conflict

Europe (Refugee)  
Outside of Europe (Conditional Refugee)  
Subsidiary Protection

1951 Geneva Convention with geographical limitation
INTERNATIONAL PROTECTION PROCESS

APPLICATION

IDENTIFICATION

REGISTRATION AND CONTROL

INTERVIEW

DECISION

ADMISSION

REFUGEE

CONDITIONAL REFUGEE

SUBSIDIARY PROTECTION

REFUSAL

INTERNATIONAL PROTECTION ASSESSMENT COMMITTEE

REASSESSMENT

APPEAL TO ADMINISTRATIVE COURT

GENERAL PROVISIONS
International Protection Application Registration Document

International Protection Applicant ID

International Protection Status Holder ID

1 month

6 months

1-3 Years
RIGHTS AND SERVICES PROVIDED TO APPLICANTS AND INTERNATIONAL PROTECTION BENEFICIARIES

REFUGEE

SUBSIDIARY PROTECTION

CONDITIONAL REFUGEE

INTERNATIONAL PROTECTION APPLICANTS

HEALTH
EDUCATION
SOCIAL ASSISTANCE AND SERVICES
ACCESS TO LABOR MARKET
CONSULTANCY, INTERPRETATION ETC.
An international protection system ensuring human rights standards was established.

For vulnerable groups, special protection mechanisms in accordance with international standards were established.

Subsidiary protection status was firstly regulated.

In the process of international protection, various assurances and effective application methods were built.
International Protection per year

TOTAL: 216,351
TEMPORARY PROTECTION
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In the Article 91 of Law No. 6458, the actions to be carried out for:

- the reception of such foreigners who are subject to temporary protection into Turkey;
- their stay in Turkey,
- their rights and obligations,
- their exit from Turkey,
- cooperation and coordination among national and international institutions and organisations,
- determination of the duties and mandate of the central and provincial institutions and organisations

shall be stipulated in a Directive to be issued by the Council of Ministers.
Scope of the Regulation:

- General Principles and Scope of Temporary Protection
- Provisions on Temporary Protection Decision and **Termination** of Temporary Protection
- **Primary Proceedings** To Be Conducted Under Temporary Protection
- **Services** To Be Provided To Persons Benefiting From Temporary Protection
- Establishment, Management and Operation of Referral Centers and Temporary Accommodation Centers and Services To Be Provided In **Temporary Accommodation Centers**
- **Voluntary Repatriation and Departure To A Third Country**
- Cooperation and Assistance
- Miscellaneous and Final Provisions
After Temporary Protection Regulation became effective as of 22/10/2014, temporary protection provisions were begun to be implemented to:

- The citizens of the Syrian Arab Republic,
- Stateless persons,
- Refugees who have left Syrian Arab Republic and have arrived at or crossed our borders since 28 April 2011.
In the framework of International and Customary Law, Turkey provides temporary protection to Syrian nationals considering the following three factors:

- Clean acceptance to Turkey within the open border policy.
- Implementation of the non-refoulement principle without exceptions.
- Meeting basic needs of newly-arrived Syrians in Turkey.
✓ Temporary Protection» gained legal basis.
✓ «Temporary Protection Identification Document» is issued to those free of charge.
✓ This identification document;
✓ Provides such foreigners right to stay in Turkey legally,
✓ Includes foreigner identification number pursuant to the Law No. 5490 on Population Services of 25/4/2006. Temporary Protection Document shall not be deemed to be equivalent to a residence permit or documents, which substitute residence permits, as regulated by the Law on Foreigners and International Protection.
✓ This document shall not grant the right for apply to Turkish citizenship or transition to long term residence permit.
ACTIVITIES AND ACTIONS CARRIED WITHIN TEMPORARY PROTECTION

REGISTRATION PROCEDURES

✓ Registration procedures are currently on-going in 81 provinces in the coordination of Directorate General of Migration Management.
REGISTRATION PROCEDURES

☑ Registration procedures are carried out in registration centers and mobile service units, thereby biometric data including fingerprints and photographs are collected.
ACTIVITIES AND ACTIONS CARRIED WITHIN TEMPORARY PROTECTION

REGISTRATION PROCEDURES

600,000 information leaflets were distributed to encourage Syrian nationals for identification and registration procedures and to inform them about their rights and obligations.

To complete the registration of Syrian national, high-level briefing meetings were organised with governorates, particularly Istanbul.
Foreigners are provided with the following services:

- Health
- Education
- Access to labor market
- Social assistance and services
- Subscription and banking procedures
- Interpretation etc.

Excluding education and emergency health services, access to other rights by those, who do not comply with their obligations may be restricted.
TEMPORARY ACCOMMODATION CENTERS

263,229 (12.05.2016) Syrians are accommodated in 26 Temporary Protection Centers.
1. Accommodation Services
2. Health Services
3. Education Services
4. Psycho-social Support
5. Religious Services
7. Interpretation Services
8. Infrastructure Services
### Syrian Increase Annually

**Graph:**

- **2011:** 252
- **2012:** 14,237
- **2013:** 224,655
- **2014:** 1,519,286
- **2015:** 2,503,549
- **2016:** 2,746,607

**Note:** The data reflects the increase in Syrian individuals annually over the specified years.
SYRIANS UNDER TEMPORARY PROTECTION (12/05/2016)

Total

2.746,607 (100%)

Outside the Temporary Accommodation Centers
2.483,378 (90%)

In Temporary Accommodation Centers
263,229 (10%)
## SYRIANS UNDER TEMPORARY PROTECTION (12/05/2016)

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As a part of GöçNet Project, **Temporary Protection Module** was activated on **30 November 2015** and was put into service for Provincial Directorates of Migration Management in **81 provinces**.

**Activities:**
- registration updating,
- changing the city of residence etc.

**Institution:**
- Ministry of Health,
- Turkish National Police,
- General Directorate of Population and Citizenship Affairs,
- Ministry of Labor Social Security,
- Social Security Administration
The common variables of the module in GocNet:

- Name- Surname,
- Father’s and Mother’s name,
- Age,
- Sex,
- Place of birth,
- Marital status,
- Religion,
- Address,
- Nationality etc.
Thank you for your attention...