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## To the Ministry of Education, Culture and Sport of Ajara. Mr. Gia Abuladze,

We are writing in regard of Sinop Biennale, which takes place in August 2012 in Sinop Turkey, and we would like to offer you to participate with the project within the frame of the Biennial.

For this purpose, we can offer you a historical library as a venue for a photography exhibition from the photo archives of Batumi and Tusheseti Region. The historical photo exhibition can cover the Soviet period, which will attract a great attention of audience. The project concept draft has been prepared by Ana Riaboshenko, who I had collaborated in several projects in past, and I can recommend her expertise as relevant to this project. The concept idea envisages bringing the Photo Exhibition of Batumi archive which will represent the Soviet period of Ajara people and environment; in addition to the old photos, the resent Batumi photos captured by young photographers from Ajara will be shown during the exhibition.

These will show the differences between the past and present of the Region, described through the individual stories of the Ajarian citizens.

We will appreciate if you can confirm your participation in Sinop Biennial until end of April, so that we can start the preparations. If the Minister of Education, Culture and Sport of Ajara decides to come, we have to inform the Mayor of Sinop.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require further comment or information!

Yours Sincerely,

Mahir Namur President, European Cultural Association

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