## The Secretariat of the Congress of Leaders of World and Traditional Religions

The Secretariat of the Congress of Leaders of World and Traditional Religions is the working body of the Congress (during the I Congress of Leaders of World and Traditional Religions, held on September 23-24, 2003, the participants decided to establish a working body of the Congress - the Secretariat).

The Secretariat ensures activities in the intervals between sessions of the Congress of Leaders of World and Traditional Religions. Head of the Secretariat of the Congress of Leaders of World and Traditional Religions is the Chairman of the Senate of the Parliament of the Republic of Kazakhstan.

The members of the Secretariat are representatives of the leaders of the world religions participating in the Congress, among them representatives of Islam, Christianity, Judaism, Buddhism, Taoism, Shintoism, Hinduism, international organizations.

The Secretariat meets annually and considers issues related to the implementation of decisions of the Congress of Leaders of World and Traditional Religions, ensuring the preparation of the sessions of the Congress, agreeing on key topics, the global agenda, work regulations, draft final documents of the Congress (Declarations, Appeals), coordinating interaction with international structures on issues of interfaith and intercivilizational dialogue.

More information about the work of the Secretariat of the Congress is available on the website <a href="https://religions-congress.org/ru/page/o-sekretariate">https://religions-congress.org/ru/page/o-sekretariate</a>