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The President of the ECO Trade and Development Bank (ETDB), Dr. Botshekan, participated in the 6th Business Forum of the Economic Cooperation Organization (ECO), held in Shusha, Azerbaijan on 2 July 2025.

The event was jointly organized by the Ministry of Economy of Azerbaijan, the Export and Investment Promotion Agency (AZPROMO) of Azerbaijan, the ECO Secretariat, and the ECO Chamber of Commerce and Industry Confederation.

During the opening session, ECO Secretary-General H.E. Asad Majeed Khan while highlighting the crucial role of the private sector in fostering regional development, extended his thanks to Dr. Botshekan for attending the Forum and encouraged business communities to engage actively with the ETDB to benefit from its financing and development services.

The Forum successfully contributed in advancing the investment and trade activities within the ECO region, enhancing cooperation among business leaders, and supporting sustainable economic development.

On the sidelines of the Forum, Dr. Botshekan also held bilateral meetings with key stakeholders, including First Vice President of the Union of Chambers and Commodity Exchanges of Türkiye (TOBB), President of the ECO Seed Association (ECOSA), and representatives from various chambers of commerce and business circles across the ECO member states.

Dr. Botshekan is also scheduled to participate in the 17th Summit of ECO Member States, to be held in Khankendi on July 4, 2025.