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## **NEWS - EARTHQUAKE IN TURKEY**

Dear Madam, Dear Sir,

Please find below news from our Average Agent in Istanbul, Mrs. Beti PIYOSYAN regarding the earthquake happening in Turkey today:

« Please kindly note that earthquake in magnitude first of 7.7 strike the city of Kahramanmaraş and then of magnitude 6.6 and 6.4 strike the city of Gaziantep and all surroundings (South eastern part of Turkey) at early morning hours 4.17 l.t this morning 06.02.2023; affecting ten cities in the region, some deadly leveling buildings and killing people. Number of loss is not clear at the moment since rescue teams try to help trapped people.

In spite of limited information due to emergency situation at first instance reported that earthquake damaged roads, infrastructure, hospitals, airports, civil and governmental buildings at Iskenderun, Hatay, Gaziantep, Kahramanmaras, Adana, Osmaniye, Malatya, Diyarbakır, Kilis, Urfa.

As per preliminary limited information we understand that Iskenderun port area is also affected and ships directed to anchorage area, since the area is also under the effect of strong storm. Probable delays would be in all operations at ports and surroundings.

Will keep you informed of developments. »

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