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The American Turkish Society *Meet the Ambassadors Series*  
Presents a Luncheon Address by

**H.E. Ambassador Baki İlkin**  
Permanent Representative of Turkey to the U.N.

**“Turkey’s Foreign Policy in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century”**

**Wednesday, February 21<sup>st</sup>, 2007, 12:00 PM – 2:00 PM**

**The Knickerbocker Club**  
**807 Fifth Avenue**  
**Entrance on 62<sup>nd</sup> Street (5th & Madison Ave)**  
**New York City, NY 10021**

**\* Jacket & Tie Required \***

Space is Limited. Pre-registration is strictly required. To RSVP, please fill out attached form and fax, email, or mail it to The American Turkish Society by **Friday, February 16th at 5:00pm.**  
For questions, call: 212-583-7614.

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**His Excellency Ambassador Baki İlkin**, Permanent Representative of Turkey to the United Nations since December 2004, will be addressing members and friends of The American Turkish Society on issues of current importance to Turkey’s foreign policy and relations with the United Nations, such as the country’s candidacy to the Security Council, the Cyprus issue, and peace-keeping efforts, among others. He will be introduced by Turkey’s new Consul General to New York, The Honorable Mehmet Samsar.

Prior to his current post, Ambassador İlkin was the Deputy Under-Secretary for Bilateral Political Affairs at the Turkish Ministry of Foreign Affairs (2001-2004). Throughout his long and luminous diplomatic career, he served as the Turkish Ambassador to the United States (1998-2001), the Netherlands, Denmark, and Pakistan, as well as the First Secretary at the Turkish Embassies in the Soviet Union and Greece. He also held the posts of Chief of Cabinet for the President of Turkey (1983-1987); Special Advisor to the Minister of Foreign Affairs (1981-1983); Counselor at the Turkish Embassy to the United Kingdom (1977-1981); and Chief of Cabinet for the Turkish Minister of Foreign Affairs, as well as Chief of Section for Greece, Turkish Department of Political Affairs (1975-1977). Born in 1943, H.E. İlkin is a graduate of the University of Ankara.

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