

The relations between the Republic of Azerbaijan and Canada

Brief information on diplomatic relations:

The diplomatic relations between the Republic of Azerbaijan and Canada were established on August 10, 1992. The Embassy of the Republic of Azerbaijan to Canada was opened in September, 2004. The Embassy of Canada to Turkey is concurrently accredited to Azerbaijan.

Inter-Parliamentary relations:

Canada-Azerbaijan Inter-Parliamentary Friendship Group was established at the Parliament of Canada, and Azerbaijan-Canada Inter-Parliamentary working group functions at Milli Majlis accordingly.

May 25-26, 2010 - Sabir Rustamkhanli, The head of Azerbaijan-Canada Inter-Parliamentary working group at Milli Majlis paid a working visit to Canada.

May 14-16, 2012 - the delegation of the New Azerbaijan Party visited Canada.

April 2-7, 2013 - the Canada-Azerbaijan Inter-Parliamentary Friendship Group led by Barry Devolin, the head of the group at the Parliament of Canada visited Azerbaijan.

May 18-20, 2015 - The head of Canada-Azerbaijan Inter-Parliamentary Friendship Group at the Parliament of Canada Barry Devolin visited Azerbaijan to participate at World Forum on Intercultural Dialogue.

Humanitarian cooperation:

Since 2006, Azerbaijan constantly participates at Niagara International Music Festival and the days of Azerbaijani Culture and Art are held in the frame of the Festival every year.

April 19, 2013 - The jubilee concert dedicated to the 90th year anniversary of the National Leader of Azerbaijan Heydar Aliyev took place at Canadian National Gallery in Ottawa.

September 12-14, 2014 – “Azerbaijan film festival” took place in Montreal.

October 24-25, 2015 – The concert of the chairman of Azerbaijan Composers’ Union, the People’s artist Firangiz Alizada titled “Oyan!” (Awakening) was organized in Toronto, Canada.

Contractual-legal basis:

4 agreements have been signed between the Republic of Azerbaijan and Canada.