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## TÜRKİYE SAYS OTS STANCE ON CYPRUS IS 'FAMILY MATTER'

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*Commenting on the recognition of the Greek Cypriot administration by several Turkic states, Foreign Minister Hakan Fidan said Thursday that it was an internal matter of the Organization of Turkic States and would not affect relations.*

Foreign Minister Hakan Fidan said on Thursday that Türkiye would maintain ties with Turkic states in the face of attempts to sever them, saying the states cooperation with Greek Cypriots was a family matter they may resolve among themselves.

He was speaking in the capital Ankara at a news conference with his Norwegian counterpart, days after several members of the Organization of Turkic States (OTS) moved to recognize the Greek Cypriot administration on the divided island of Cyprus, allegedly to secure deals with European Union countries.

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