



## The New Structure of Turkish Beekeeping

#### **Turkish Beekeeper Associations**

Turkey has **tamamında** in **79** of them Turkish Beekeeping Association was founded in 2003



### All City Beekeepers Associations are managed by





Since 2003, Turkish Agriculture Ministry has given some responsibilities to the Central Turkish Beekeepers Association

Every beekeeper who has at least 30 colonies has to register to their city's Beekeepers Assoc.

Being a member of a Beekeepers Assoc.
Give you some advantages:

### Advantages:

- You can have Insurance, devlet destekli kredi imkanı,eğitim, kovan başı destekleri, ana arı desteği, üretilen kaliteli bala destek, projeli yatırımlara ekipman ve tesis hibesi automatically for your all colonies especially against to transportation accident in Migratory Beekeeping
  - You can send your honey bee samples to Agriculture Administry Apiculture Research Ins. And Hacettepe University or for laboratory analysis (diagnosis diseases or chemical analysis, pollen analysis of honey) (FREE)
  - You can join lots of seminars or education courses organised by Merkez Birliği Beekeeping Assoc.
  - You can take loan from the Bank without any risk (T.C. Ziraat Bankası) for developing your apiary
  - When you want to buy Queens for your colonies its

### When you are a member;

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You have an ID card and beekeeper ID number:

TRCity Code+işletme kodu (inek ve arı)apiary code+member no.

#### NOW;

- Turkish Central Beekeepers Assoc.+Turkish Agriculture Ministry+ Orman ve Su İşleri Bakanlığı+Hacettepe University ve diğer üniversiteler have worked together since 2003
- %98 of beekeepers are registered for now
- All beekeepers have plagues contains barcode number for each colonies (pasif-3 yavrulu7 çerçevenin altına düşerse ve aktif olma durumunu ekle!!!!!!)Haber vermezse destek alamaz...
- Begin to use barcode system gives a big oppurtinity to follow colonies and honeys from hive to honey jar
- Our new aim is entegration of the Honey Bee



# In Turkey

- 4.2 million migratory beekeeping colony(75% of total honey bee colonies)
- Turkish Beekeepers go to 3 different geographic location every year and transport their colonies 2000 km
- They also produce 85% of pine honey production of the world





#### Thank you for your attention...