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FOREIGN POLICY PROGRAMS OF THE TURKISH POLITICAL PARTIES (1983–2007)

ABSTRACT

This study, which assumed an important role in Turkish political life of political parties on foreign policy approaches, and includes between 1983 and 2007. Turkish political parties within the framework of Turkish foreign policy pursued by traditional methods and initiatives to be understood well from the foundation of the Republic of Turkey during the period until the year 2007, a brief analysis of Turkey's foreign policy is being made. In doing so, the importance of internal dynamics does not ignore.

In this study in order to establish the conceptual framework, our priority is to identify the foreign policy, political parties and the factors that are effective on political parties. Subsequently, the Turkish foreign policy in the historical process and the factors that influence this process was handled and the Turkish political parties after 1980, the outstanding foreign policy programs and government programs tried to put out. Therefore, this study aim to discuss the area previously left untouched foreign policy approaches by addressing the post-1980 Turkish Political Parties in the literature, are intended to contribute to a better understanding of Turkish foreign policy.

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