

State Youth Policy In New Uzbekistan

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Abstract: This scientific article analyzes the effectiveness of the youth work system in the Republic of Uzbekistan. The article discusses the main directions of youth policy, legal and regulatory documents aimed at supporting young people socially, economically, and culturally, as well as opportunities created for their active participation in society. The article is focused on examining the development of youth, supporting their activities, and the policies implemented in this regard.

Keywords: Youth policy, legal and regulatory documents, the role of youth in society, the system of working with youth, youth activities.

Introduction. In the process of large-scale reforms implemented in Uzbekistan in recent years, youth policy has emerged as one of the priority areas of state development. Since the share of young people in the demographic structure of our country is high (60 percent), the correct orientation of their knowledge and potential is a decisive factor in the socio-economic development of the state. Therefore, special attention is paid to the direction of work with young people in the policy of our government, and a systematic approach based on legislation, innovative mechanisms and new organizational dimensions are being implemented with great intensity.

In particular, the institutional foundations of the system have been further strengthened over the past decade, based on a new approach to youth policy. As the main practical work in this area, it can be noted that the state policy on youth has been fundamentally improved in organizational and legal terms, and the newly established Youth Affairs Agency, youth parliament and regional youth councils are effectively implementing their activities. As a result of the activities of youth leaders in the neighborhoods, youth activity in all areas is growing in our country. Also, the identification of social, economic, psychological and employment-related problems of young people (14-30 years old), analysis of their situation and support through the electronic platform "Youth Notebook" is increasingly showing its positive results.

Main part. In our country, a new stage was reached in the field of successful implementation of youth policy, strengthening their position in society, comprehensive encouragement and protection of their legal interests, based on the Decree of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan No. PF-5106 (July 5, 2017) and the resolution of the IV Congress of the Youth Social Movement of Uzbekistan "Kamolot" dated June 30, 2017. Within the framework of these decrees and resolutions, the Youth Union of Uzbekistan was established, and at the same time, June 30 was designated as "Youth Day" in our country[1].

In accordance with the Decree of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan No. PF-5106 dated July 5, 2017, the "Mard o'g'lon" State Award was established in our country in order to increase the effectiveness of state policy regarding youth. The establishment of this award is aimed at educating young people who possess such high qualities as courage, determination, selflessness, patriotism, worthy of our great ancestors. Also, in order to encourage educated, enterprising, enterprising, ambitious and selfless young men who have achieved high results in various spheres of public life, the Resolution of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan No. PQ-3402 was adopted on November 21, 2017. Within the framework of this resolution, measures were determined to establish the "Mard o'g'lon" State Award[2].

In order to further improve the housing and living conditions of young families who have always actively participated in the socio-economic life of the country and set a special example by providing them with long-term preferential mortgage loans, on September 23, 2017, the Cabinet of Ministers of the Republic of Uzbekistan adopted Resolution No. 753 "On additional measures to support young families actively participating in the social life of the country in providing them with housing"[3].

On December 28, 2017, the Law of the Republic of Uzbekistan No. O'RQ-451 "On the Establishment of the Medal "Creator of the Future"" was adopted[4].

As a result of active work on youth policy, the quality and scope of education at all levels is being improved, special attention is paid to the issue of youth employment at the national level, they are being trained in modern professions, and youth entrepreneurship is developing in various directions. At the same time, extensive work is being carried out to prevent young people from falling under the influence of various foreign ideas and crime among them.

In order to comprehensively support youth entrepreneurship, actively involve young people who want to start a business, provide them with comprehensive conditions, create and expand new jobs, as well as ensure youth employment, and implement the strategy of actions to be implemented in five priority areas of development of the Republic of Uzbekistan in 2017-2021, the Decree of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan No. PF-5466 on the State Program "Our Youth Future" was adopted on June 27, 2018[5].

Results and discussions. The rise of youth policy in Uzbekistan to a new level is an important factor in national development. Their potential is being fully realized through support for innovation, education, entrepreneurship and social activism of young people.

On August 30, 2019, in accordance with the Resolution of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan No. PQ-4433 "On measures to improve the system of attracting young people to science and supporting their initiatives", the organizational structure and composition of the Board of Trustees of the Youth Academy under the Ministry of Innovative Development of the Republic of Uzbekistan, as well as the "Roadmap" for attracting talented young people to the activities of the "Youth Academy" in 2019-2020 were approved[6].

In order to create an effective solution to social problems in the youth system, as well as to implement the tasks set at the Youth Forum of Uzbekistan organized in our country in December 2020 and in the Address of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan to the Oliy Majlis and our people dated December 29, 2020, to raise the state youth policy to a higher level, on January 18, 2021, the Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of the Republic of Uzbekistan No. 23 "On approval of the Concept for the development of state youth policy in Uzbekistan until 2025" was adopted[7].

As a factor indicating that the youth issue is taking a central place in the development of the new Uzbekistan, we can cite the Presidential Decree of the Republic of Uzbekistan No. PF-163 "On measures to increase the effectiveness of the system of working with youth in neighborhoods", adopted on September 10, 2025[8].

This decree is an important political and legal document aimed at radically improving the system of working with youth, especially at the mahalla level, and is a logical continuation of the plans outlined in the "Uzbekistan — 2030" strategy and the tasks set by the President during meetings with young people. It provides for the introduction of completely new mechanisms for the social, spiritual and professional development of young people[9].

The tasks set out in the decree reflect modern approaches to youth policy and define specific measures for working with young people in mahallas.

Presidential Decree No. PF-163 marked the beginning of a qualitatively new stage in youth policy. Radical reform of the mahalla level system, its digitization, and increasing the social and economic activity of young people will serve the sustainable development of the country.

Conclusion. In conclusion, the study, based on historical data, sheds light on the socio-economic and cultural aspects of youth life and creativity, and shows that the legal and regulatory documents adopted to widely involve young people in a physically healthy lifestyle and sports activities have been implemented in practice. The implementation of the laws adopted in the region regarding the involvement of young people in sports is confirmed by historical data.

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