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The importance of improving the activities of non-governmental youth organizations in Uzbekistan

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Abstract: This article examines the role of non-governmental youth organizations in implementing state youth policy in Uzbekistan, the legal framework for their activities, the classification of non-governmental non-profit organizations participating in the implementation of state youth policy, and issues of improving their activities.

Keywords: State policy towards youth, non-governmental non-profit organization, public organization, program, civil society institution, Youth Union of Uzbekistan, support organization, foundation.

Introduction: Currently, increasing the social activity of young people, strengthening their strong civic positions is considered one of the important priorities of the state youth policy in Uzbekistan. Usually, measures in this direction are implemented by ensuring the active participation of young people in various public organizations, youth parliaments, advisory councils under legislative bodies, and student self-government bodies.

In our country, the cooperation between state and non-state organizations in implementing state youth policy is regulated by the Constitution of the Republic of Uzbekistan, the laws of the Republic of Uzbekistan “On Public Associations”, “On State Youth Policy”, “On Non-Governmental Non-Profit Organizations”, “On Improving the Effectiveness of State Youth Policy and Supporting the Activities of the Youth Union of Uzbekistan”, and a number of laws and by-laws, such as the Law “On the State Program “Youth - Our Future” [1].

RESULTS

The Law of the Republic of Uzbekistan “On the Fundamentals of State Youth Policy in the Republic of

Uzbekistan" was adopted in 1991, and due to the need to adopt this law in a new edition, in 2015 a special working group was established consisting of specialists from relevant ministries and departments, deputies, experts from research centers and representatives of civil society institutions, a new edition of the Law was developed, and on September 14, 2016, the Law "On State Youth Policy" was adopted [1]. Articles 19, 20, 21 of this law serve as a legal basis for the network of non-governmental organizations working with youth, and specifically address the issue of the participation of non-governmental non-profit organizations, the media and youth non-governmental non-profit organizations in the implementation of state youth policy.

In addition to youth non-governmental non-profit organizations, a number of large non-governmental non-profit organizations are carrying out work aimed at ensuring the implementation of state programs and various territorial action plans aimed at implementing state youth policy in the country.

These organizations also perform a number of priority tasks, such as "developing and implementing state programs, territorial and other programs in the field of state youth policy, implementing state youth policy, including measures aimed at raising a healthy and well-rounded young generation, increasing its role and activity in society, and improving legal awareness and legal culture" [2].

In order to implement the requirements set out in the law and strengthen social partnership between state bodies and civil society institutions, a number of measures are being implemented to educate young people as comprehensively mature, spiritually mature, independent-thinking individuals with their own life position and firm beliefs. It is noteworthy that such programs, which play an important role in coordinating work to ensure the rights and interests of young people, are being further improved by introducing the technology of implementing additional measures for young people in each organization system based on joint agreements between ministries, departments, and organizations [3].

Within the framework of the application of these software technologies, systematic measures are being implemented to further increase the legal culture and activity of young people in building a democratic state and developing civil society, to educate young people with a broad outlook and deep knowledge, to create the necessary conditions for social protection of young people, acquisition of modern professional skills, employment and involvement in entrepreneurial activities, to organize systematic work to realize the creative and intellectual potential of young people, to

support talented young people, to widely involve young people in physical education and sports, to promote a healthy lifestyle among young people, to prevent crime and delinquency, to educate them in the spirit of loyalty to national values and interethnic harmony, and to effectively use information media and modern information and communication technologies [3] in raising a harmonious generation.

The number of non-governmental non-profit organizations protecting the rights and interests of young people is increasing year by year. The activities of these organizations are aimed at increasing the political awareness, legal culture and social activism of young people, as well as comprehensive support for talented young people, and other similar areas [4].

In addition to these organizations operating in the regions, 26 [5] civil society institutions established on the basis of the Youth Union of Uzbekistan have been operating as supporting organizations in implementing the main areas of activity of the Youth Union of Uzbekistan in a number of areas such as ensuring youth employment, improving their scientific and creative potential, developing entrepreneurial skills, and so on.

In general, the participation of non-governmental non-profit organizations in the implementation of state youth policy in the Republic of Uzbekistan is regulated by a number of regulatory legal acts. The Law of the Republic of Uzbekistan "On State Youth Policy", which clearly defines the participation of non-governmental non-profit organizations in this area, is the most important legal basis in this regard. According to the law, non-governmental non-profit organizations participating in the implementation of state youth policy in Uzbekistan can be classified into three groups:

1. Non-governmental non-profit organizations participating in the implementation of state youth policy in certain areas of their activity;
2. Mass media;
3. Non-governmental non-profit organizations participating in the implementation of state youth policy in all areas of their activity (Youth NGOs) [6].

The Youth Union of Uzbekistan can be cited as the largest non-governmental non-profit organization participating in the implementation of state youth policy in all areas of its activity. An analysis of the organization's structure and areas of activity shows that with its establishment, a completely new stage has begun in the field of participation of non-governmental non-profit organizations in the implementation of state youth policy in our republic. The establishment of organizations established under the Youth Union of Uzbekistan and operating in clearly defined areas is a

clear proof of our idea.

CONCLUSION

Taking into account the above, the issue of increasing the number of independent organizations specializing in specific areas of state youth policy and clearly defining the sources of financing for such organizations in legal documents is becoming more urgent than ever. In particular, it is possible to achieve effectiveness in the field of state youth policy by strengthening cooperation with international organizations in financing the activities of organizations and further increasing the number of non-governmental non-profit organizations implementing socially significant projects of a local nature based on the capabilities and conditions of the regions, as well as by developing and implementing effective mechanisms for their targeted support by the state.

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