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COOPERATION WITH FOREIGN COUNTRIES IN FINANCING INNOVATIVE ACTIVITIES IN UZBEKISTAN

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ABSTRACT

In this country, too, in the first years of the transition to a market economy, there was a significant decline in innovation activity. The Agency is a specially authorized state body that ensures the implementation of a unified state policy in the field of legal protection of intellectual property and protection of their rights in the country and the state registration and control of organizations that manage property rights on a collective basis. At the same time, it not only analyzes the practice of foreign countries, but also establishes and implements close cooperation with them and international organizations on the development of innovation.

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INTRODUCTION

The Republic of Uzbekistan is also a country with unique experience in the implementation and development of innovation. In this country, too, in the first years of the transition to a market economy, there was a significant decline in innovation activity. In particular, funding for research and development in 2000 in Kazakhstan, Russia and Uzbekistan amounted to 30-33%

compared to 1990. This figure was 16-18% in Armenia, Georgia, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan and Moldova. [1]

This situation has also led to a reduction in the number of employees working in this field. In particular, the figure for 1991-2002 experienced a decline in many countries, such as in Uzbekistan - from 5686 to 3542 (38%), in Armenia - from 4362 to 2234 (49%), in Belarus - from 6388 to 4225 (33%), in Kazakhstan - from 5045 to 3631 (28%), In Kyrgyzstan - from 1319 to 803 (39%), in Russia - from 134 176 to 102 419 (24%). [2]

This country has had its impact on innovation activity. For this reason, our government has taken a number of measures to develop innovative activities and create favorable conditions for this.

In particular, the development of innovation in the independent country was based on the Decree of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan dated August 7, 1992 "On state support for the development of science and innovation."

Adoption of the Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of the Republic of Uzbekistan No. 31 of January 19, 1998 "On the development of international scientific and technical relations, state support of scientific programs and projects on grants from international and foreign organizations and foundations" has opened a wide range of programs and projects on various grants with international and foreign organizations and foundations, as well as their state support.

On the basis of the Resolution of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan dated August 7, 2006 No. PR-436 "On measures to improve the coordination and management of science and technology development", the Committee for Coordination of Science and Technology Development under the Cabinet of Ministers was established and it is operating effectively today.

Adoption of the Decree of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan No. PD-3860 of March 14, 2007 "On additional measures to stimulate the modernization, technical and technological re-equipment of production", and its development has played an important role in creating a comprehensive and effective system of incentives for businesses to regularly modernize, technically and technologically re-equip production, provide it with advanced modern equipment that will increase production of high quality, competitive, export-oriented products.

According to the Resolution of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan dated July 15, 2008 No. PR-916 "On additional measures to encourage the introduction of innovative projects and technologies in production", the Republican Fair of Innovative Ideas, Technologies and Projects is held annually.

Effective implementation of the State Program "Year of Youth", approved by the Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of the Republic of Uzbekistan dated August 7, 2008 No 173 "On improving the activities of state specialized secondary schools with in-depth study of certain disciplines", and Resolution of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan No. PR-805 dated February 29, 2008, in order to further improve the activities of state specialized secondary schools with in-depth study of certain subjects in the country, the following types of in-depth study of certain subjects of state specialized secondary schools have been established in the country:

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- specialized schools with in-depth study of certain subjects (20% of subjects);
- specialized boarding schools with in-depth study of certain subjects (40% of subjects);
- boarding schools specialized in football.

These will serve as an important factor in the training of young, qualified personnel who will make a worthy contribution to the development of innovation in the future.

Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of the Republic of Uzbekistan dated May 20, 2009 No 144 "On additional measures to encourage the implementation of innovative projects" is aimed at creating a system of additional incentives for the implementation of innovative projects in the country.

In order to ensure the implementation of the Resolution of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan dated May 24, 2011 No. PR-1536 "On the establishment of the Intellectual Property Agency of the Republic of Uzbekistan", the Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of the Republic of Uzbekistan of June 8, 2011 No. 166 was accepted "On measures to organize the activities of the Intellectual Property Agency of the Republic of Uzbekistan." According to him, the Intellectual Property Agency of the Republic of Uzbekistan will be established. The Agency is a specially authorized state body that ensures the implementation of a unified state policy in the field of legal protection of intellectual property and protection of their rights in the country and the state registration and control of organizations that manage property rights on a collective basis.

The Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Uzbekistan and the Government of Brazil on Technical Cooperation, signed on 28 May 2009 in Brazil, entered into force on 9 June 2011 and aims to promote technical cooperation in the following important areas:

- a) education;
- b) health;
- c) nature protection;
- d) utilities;
- e) water resources management;
- f) science and innovation technologies;
- g) agriculture;
- h) energy;
- i) telecommunications;

j) And other areas determined by the parties.

In addition, the main goal of the project "Support in the field of innovation policy and technology transfer" for 2010-2015 in cooperation with the UN of Uzbekistan is to support the development of innovation infrastructure in Uzbekistan through the UN Development Program. The total cost of the project is USD638,566.

Uzbekistan pays special attention to the development of relations with foreign countries in the field of innovation. In particular, on October 10, 2008 at a meeting of the CIS Council of Heads of State in Bishkek, the heads of state declared 2010 the Year of Science and Innovation in the CIS. On November 14, 2008, the CIS Council of Heads of State approved the Strategy for Economic Development of Cooperation for the period up to 2020, which includes innovative cooperation.

Furthermore, on May 19, 2011 in Minsk, the Governments of the CIS countries signed the Agreement "Information for the innovative activities of the CIS member states." The main purpose of this Agreement is to create an information infrastructure of innovation activities in the CIS countries and increase the efficiency of innovation integration processes through the rapid and reliable access of participants in innovation activities.

In turn, the Concept of Innovative Development of the Republic of Uzbekistan for 2012-2020 has been developed in our country on the basis of the project of the United Nations Development Program (UNDP), as in the CIS countries, according to which the following general results are expected.

Targets of innovative development of the economy for 2012-2020 [4]

Indicators	2010 (report)	Forecast parameters	
		2012-2015	2016-2020
The share of expenditures on scientific and technical work relative to GDP, in %	0,2	1,0	3,0
Share of high-tech industries (relative to the total volume of GDP, in%)	1,3	15,0	31,0
Share of innovative products (relative to the total volume of GDP, in%)	2,9	15,0	22,0
The share of expenditures on innovation activities (relative to product	0,4	2,8	5,0
The share of exports of innovative products in total exports, in %	5,76	15,0	28,0
Percentage of student enrollment in natural sciences and engineering	28,7	40,0	45,0
Number of patents, annually registered in foreign patent offices by residents of Uzbekistan, in one.	8***	1000	1300

The data in this table show that in the future, Uzbekistan pays great attention to the comprehensive development of innovation activities, and the implementation of the developed Concept is expected to achieve high results.

In general, Uzbekistan pursues a comprehensive and promising policy on financing and development of innovation. At the same time, it not only analyzes the practice of foreign countries, but also establishes and implements close cooperation with them and international organizations on the development of innovation. This is an important factor in the development of the innovation sector, as confirmed by the table data analyzed above.

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