

# HUMAN RIGHTS ARE THE HIGHEST CONSTITUTIONAL VALUES

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**Abstract:**

This article examines human rights as the highest constitutional value. It was also shown that this view is reflected in the basic rights and freedoms of people and citizens, which are enshrined in our constitution. Also, the regulatory and legal documents in this regard were analyzed.

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In fact, one of the main tasks of a democratic state is to ensure human rights and freedoms, to protect the dignity of every person. We have set this as our goal since the preamble of the Constitution of the Republic of Uzbekistan on December 8, 1992. We can see this in the preamble of our basic law, which begins with the words "The people of Uzbekistan solemnly declare their commitment to human rights and the ideas of state sovereignty [2]". This means that our country has strengthened the realization of human rights and freedoms, raising their rights and freedoms to the level of the highest value in the way of building a democratic state.

The fact that human rights are the highest value is stated in the Universal Declaration of Human Rights adopted on December 10, 1948, which states that "All human beings are born free and equal in dignity and rights" [3], is stated. Also, the 30 articles of this Declaration recognize that the rights and freedoms of people are the highest value and call peoples, nations, in general, people of the whole world to live in the spirit of brotherhood. The main direction of our constitution is aimed at glorifying man and his life. In our main dictionary, "Democracy in the Republic of Uzbekistan is based on universal principles, according to which a person, his life, freedom, honor, dignity and other inviolable rights are the highest value.

Democratic rights and freedoms are protected by the Constitution and laws." Strengthened as [1, Article 13]. It clearly expresses the main goals and directions of the activities of the state, its bodies and officials. That is, it indicates the existence of the principle of state service for human interests in our country. Article 2 of our constitution states: "The state expresses the will of the people and serves their interests. State bodies and officials are responsible to society and citizens.

Today, the head of our state is conducting a strong social policy in our country. We can see this in the work of our first president Islam Karimov in the first years of our

independence. From the first days of independence, "Let the state serve not for the state, but for the people, the interests of every person!" It is also known to the world community that a policy consistent with human interests is conducted based on the principle of Unlike some CIS countries, history is witness to the fact that our country did not make a sharp transition to market relations, but gradually, and thus prevented a sharp deterioration of the population's financial situation.

Today, under the leadership of our president Shavkat Mirziyoyev, several reforms are being implemented to prevent poverty or to help young people, mainly women, to occupy a unique and appropriate position in society. The content of the implemented reforms is directly aimed at the realization of human rights and freedoms, by ensuring their dignity as individuals, creating conditions for a comfortable marriage for them, and ensuring the health of every person. In this regard, our President Shavkat Mirziyoyev called on the international community to cooperate in ensuring human rights, saying "... Our goal is to jointly create a fair global system that ensures the basic rights and freedoms, health and well-being of every person"[4] .

In general, the main idea of the criteria of the reforms carried out in our country is the human factor. The uniqueness of this factor is also reflected in our main dictionary. Our Constitution consists of 128 articles, and more than 30 of its articles are directly devoted to human rights and freedoms.

Our constitution incorporates almost all the principle provisions of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, and our state has undertaken a number of human rights obligations. To them, in particular, the state should carry out its activities based on the principles of social justice and legality with a view to the well-being of people and society, the state should express the will of the people and serve their interests, state bodies and officials are responsible to society and citizens. The Republic of Uzbekistan should ensure respect for the languages, customs and traditions of all nationalities and peoples living in its territory, create conditions for their development, for example, it guarantees legal protection and patronage of its citizens.

Based on the fact that human life, his life, freedom, honor, dignity and other inviolable rights are the highest value of our country, in recent years, strengthening the legislative and organizational legal framework for the protection of human rights, international standards on human rights have been incorporated into the national legislation. implementation and fulfillment of international obligations, as well as carrying out systematic work on the activation of cooperation with international organizations on issues of human rights protection.

Currently, the Republic of Uzbekistan has joined more than 80 international documents on human rights, including 6 main treaties and 4 optional protocols of the United Nations. regularly presents national reports to its committees.

He also carried out a number of works to ensure the basic rights and freedoms of people and citizens. In particular, on June 22, 2020, the Decree of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan No. 6012 on "Approving the National Strategy of the Republic of Uzbekistan on Human Rights" was adopted. In the National Strategy of the Republic of

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Uzbekistan on Human Rights, approved on the basis of this Decree, a number of tasks aimed at ensuring human rights and freedoms were defined. The most important aspect is that through this strategy, a strong social policy is being implemented in today's pandemic conditions. In particular, to ensure the protection of the rights of disadvantaged and disadvantaged groups of the population in accordance with the principle of "leaving no one behind" of the UN Sustainable Development Goals, persons who need special protection of the state and society, including citizens of the Republic of Uzbekistan improving the quality of social support and services for disabled persons; Freedom of religion, speech and opinion, access to information, non-discrimination, ensuring gender equality, equal access to quality education and health services for all, social integration of the elderly, children, youth, women, the tasks of solving the issues of further improvement[5] of the practice of law enforcement in the fields of protection of the rights of persons with disabilities and migrants were put forward.

In addition, a number of regulatory and legal documents were adopted in order to ensure and protect the basic rights and freedoms of people and citizens. These include the Codes of the Republic of Uzbekistan on Criminal, Criminal-Procedural, and Administrative Responsibility aimed at ensuring and protecting personal rights, "On the openness of the activities of state authorities and management bodies", "Guarantees of obtaining information" and freedom", "On principles and guarantees of freedom of information", "On freedom of conscience and religious organizations", "On combating human trafficking" we can quote the laws.

In order to ensure the political rights of the citizens of the Republic of Uzbekistan to participate in the management of society and state affairs directly and through their representatives, legal frameworks were also improved. "On public associations in the Republic of Uzbekistan", "On non-governmental non-commercial organizations", "On trade unions, guarantees of their rights and activities", "On political parties", Laws such as "On social partnership" serve to realize the rights of citizens of the Republic of Uzbekistan to join trade unions, political parties and other public associations, participate in public actions, and cooperate with state bodies.

The Law "On Appeals of Individuals and Legal Entities" serves to ensure the constitutional right of each individual to apply directly to the competent state bodies, institutions or representatives of the people with applications, suggestions and complaints. especially the fact that it provides for electronic appeal as a form of submitting an appeal has made a significant contribution to easing the burden of citizens.

In particular, by the Decree of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan dated December 28, 2016, appeals of individuals and legal entities in the structure of the Public reception of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan, public receptions of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan, virtual reception of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan, office of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan creation of the service for monitoring and coordinating work with

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in this regard. If we take into account that the majority of our employed population is currently working in small business and private entrepreneurship, which produces a significant percentage of the gross domestic product of our country, we will understand more deeply how necessary and necessary reforms are in this regard. And the continuation of the reforms in this regard and the further support of their activities in the conditions of the pandemic is an indication of the fact that an opportunity will be created for the realization of human rights under any conditions.

It should be noted that our country has a strong social policy, taking into account that human rights are the highest value, and consistently continues reforms aimed at protecting them with legal grounds under any circumstances.

Our main council paid great attention to the social rights of a person, and especially recognized the rights such as work, free choice of profession, work in fair working conditions, protection against unemployment, rest, and receiving social security at a special constitutional level. In order to ensure these rights, several legal bases have been created.

In our constitution, the right of every person to use qualified medical services is noted, with a special emphasis on such an invaluable gift as human health. It is certainly not a secret to anyone that our state is carrying out a number of tasks in order to protect people and their health in today's pandemic.

It is known that one of the most important conditions for the development of any society and state is the quality of education. Therefore, in our basic law, it was determined that everyone has the right to education, free general education, freedom of scientific and technical creativity, and the right to use cultural achievements is guaranteed by the state.

Most importantly, the adoption of the new Law "On Education" on September 23, 2020, guaranteed the educational opportunities of people and citizens based on the requirements of the time. In particular, the introduction of 8 forms of education in this law strengthened the educational opportunities of every person.

Thus, today human rights are such a value that all peoples and countries strive for it as they strive for light and wisdom. Human rights are such a measure and a standard, it acts as an assessment of the state, its existing legal system, legislation, legal order, their level of development and democracy, quality indicator.

The Constitution of Uzbekistan enshrines the principles of accumulated positive experience in international human rights. In our country, human rights are considered a high value, and practical activities aimed at fulfilling the obligation to respect, protect and observe them are being strengthened.

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