

REFORMING THE ACTIVITIES OF THE ADVOCACY INSTITUTE IS A GUARANTEE OF ENSURING THE PROTECTION OF HUMAN RIGHTS.

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Abstract: *In this article, the quality and effectiveness of the legal assistance provided to citizens have increased as a result of the reforms and changes in the field of advocacy in our country, and at the same time, it is explained about the role of the institution in the administration of justice, as well as the fact that the legal status of the institution of advocacy is filled with a separate chapter in our updated Constitution.*

Key words: *advocacy institute, rights and freedoms of citizens, protection of legal interests, free legal assistance, strategy.*

The goal of ensuring the interests of people, their rights, and their freedoms is embodied in the center of politics run by President Shavkat Mirziyoyev. In recent years, large-scale work aimed at ensuring reliable guarantees of protection of the rights and freedoms of citizens, first of all, from criminal aggressions, as well as to prevent discrimination against human dignity and the limitation of legal interests, has been consistently carried out in our country.

As stated in the book "Development Strategy of New Uzbekistan" by the leader of our country, "The Development Strategy of New Uzbekistan envisages the effective organization of the independent legal profession. Protecting the rights, freedoms, and legal interests of citizens in judicial and investigative activities is an urgent task today" [1].

According to the 19th goal of the New Development Strategy of Uzbekistan, approved by the Decree of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan No. PF-60 dated January 28, 2022 [2], "fundamentally increasing the capacity of the Bar Institute to protect human rights, freedoms, and legal interests, as well as the qualified population and business entities tasks aimed at fully satisfying the demand for legal services,". To achieve the goal in this area, the following tasks were defined:

First, to transfer the bar institute to a full self-management system and to attract young, qualified personnel to the bar;

Second, to strengthen the accountability of the governing bodies of the bar association to the bar community;

Thirdly, the formation of the modern and institutional basis of the lawyer training system;

Fourth, the digitization of the legal profession. In other words, putting an end to excessive bureaucracy and red tape by introducing modern information technologies to the legal profession, courts, law enforcement agencies, and other state bodies establish electronic document exchange with;

Fifth, to expand the scope of free legal aid;

Sixthly, it is envisaged to provide the services of notaries and civil status deed writing agencies without hassle, including remotely and on the basis of the "one-stop shop" principle.

On July 2–5, 2022, as part of the visit of the delegation of the Oliy Majlis of the Republic of Uzbekistan to Geneva, the special rapporteur of the UN Human Rights Council on the independence of judges and lawyers, Diego Garisiya-Sayan, made the following comments at the international forum on the topic "Constitutional reform: ensuring human dignity and rights—the main goal": "It is very important to ensure the basic rights and freedoms of citizens and the independence of lawyers and judges in practice. He also emphasized that the positive reforms being carried out in Uzbekistan deserve high praise [3].

In the following years, as a result of large-scale work on the development of the legal profession and its role in ensuring the guarantees of human rights and freedoms, a new chapter called "Lawyering" was formed in the new Constitution of our country. This new chapter includes a number of articles and norms that serve to strengthen the legal system that protects human rights.

Article 141 of our new Constitution states that "The Bar Association operates to provide qualified legal assistance to individuals and legal entities. Advocacy activities are based on the principles of legality, independence, and self-management. The organization of the bar and the order of its activity shall be determined by the law", Article 142: "It is not allowed to interfere with the activity of a lawyer while he is performing his professional duties. Conditions for the lawyer to meet with the person under his protection without hindrance and to give advice are provided. A lawyer, his honor, dignity, and professional activity are under the protection of the state and are protected by law" [4].

The reflection of the new chapter on advocacy in the Constitution serves to further increase the level of citizens' access to justice, to strengthen the guarantee of receiving qualified legal assistance, and ultimately to effectively protect the rights and freedoms of every citizen.

In conclusion, it can be said that the establishment of an independent advocacy institute will undoubtedly serve to increase the quality and efficiency of legal assistance provided to individuals and legal entities, to ensure the rule of law in society, and to strengthen legitimacy.

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