

**SPEECH
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**Dear conference participants!
Ladies and Gentlemen!**

First of all, I would like to express my gratitude to the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime and Government of the United States of America for inviting delegation of Agency for State Financial Control and Combating Corruption of the Republic of Tajikistan to participate in conference and for warm hospitality.

We are pleased to take part in such a high-level event, which allow us to discuss

current issues and problems in the field of anti-corruption, as well as establish cooperation and friendly relations with the anti-corruption authorities of the state parties to the United Nations Convention against Corruption.

Distinguished participants!

As you know, corruption is considered one of the global problems of the modern world and, as a political and social phenomenon has a negative impact on all spheres of public life, including public administration, economic security, people's well-being, and ensuring respect for human and civil rights and freedoms at the transnational level.

Nowadays anticorruption efforts are being shaped in new forms simultaneously within human civilization developments. However, despite the fact that the world community has realized and recognized the negative consequences of this

phenomenon for the development of society, it has still not been able to counteract it at a sufficient level.

It must be emphasized that the Republic of Tajikistan, as an active participant in the global anti-corruption process, has taken all necessary measures to ensure the implementation of the requirements of the UN Convention against Corruption in the country.

In particular, the adoption of comprehensive laws and State anti-corruption programs;

- regular analysis of corruption risks and state anti-corruption expertize of regulatory legal acts and their drafts;

- criminalization of corruption acts in criminal and administrative legislation in accordance with the requirements of the Convention;

- wide coverage of anti-corruption activities of government bodies through

the media;

- mandatory anti-corruption propaganda and educational work among various segments of society;

- improving the social status of civil servants and declaring their assets;

- carrying out reforms in the areas of education, healthcare, taxation, customs, etc.;

- process of introducing e-government;

- carrying out all types of government payments and services by non-cash method;

- simplification of registration of activities of business entities;

- ensuring transparency when considering cases in court.

Also establishment of the National Anti-Corruption Council;

- a specialized body for state financial control and the combating corruption;
- public commissions on prevention of corruption at the regional, city and district levels;
- involvement of all sectors of society and government institutions in collective fight against this negative phenomenon, is a sign of the formation of an anti-corruption culture among our community.

Dear Colleagues!

It should be noted that the unstable situation of the modern world in the context of increasing global threats and dangers has increased the importance of strengthening and expanding international relations and called the need to combat corruption at the international level.

Therefore, our country carries out full cooperation in this area with international and regional organizations, and also continues to conduct effective activities

under framework of signed agreements and memorandums of understanding with a number of bordering and region countries in this area.

In conclusion, I would like to once again express my gratitude to the organizers of the tenth session of the Conference of States Parties to the United Nations Convention against Corruption for organizing such an important and timely event, and I also express our country's willingness to cooperate with international organizations in the field of combating corruption.

I wish all participants of the Conference fruitful work.

Thank you for attention!