

Petition

Lately, 18 August in Kazakhstan took place parliamentary election. To Parliament got only representatives of the ruling party Nur Tan, steered by the president Nazarbayev, ruling with the country incessantly for 18 years. International observers noticed many faultinesses during these elections (one ascertained it in 43 % observed election committees). In Kazakhstan the authority fights the independent press, oppositional party and non-governmental organizations. Oppositional press is closing down, Internet sites are blocked, persons actively engaged in the opposition are stopped. The fight lasts with all indications of the free thought, the independent information, the freedom of meetings.

The present authority in Kazakhstan did not assure equal chances in parliamentary election. The opposition evidences: interrupting on election meetings, confiscating of agitational materials, intimidating of participants of election meetings, the lack of the equal access to media.

The system keeps on the fear and the inspection, finally the ruling clan - family members and people from the nearest environment Nazarbayeva, control natural resources, the economy and the policy.

No elections in Kazakhstan, both parliamentary and presidential, were not recognized by the international community for free and just.

The democracy and the freedom starts from honest elections. Election returns show, how far is Kazakhstan from the democratic world. The similar electoral result obtain only such countries as: Turkmenia, Cuba, North Korea or Belorussia. On this background very oddly look aspiration of Kazakhstan to the leadership OBWE in 2009. There is still long way to the democracy in Kazakhstan.

We appeal so that it do not give its own support for the leadership of Kazakhstan in OSCE till will be in this country realized international standards in the sphere of rights of the man.

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