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# IMPROVING THE LEGAL FOUNDATIONS FOR ENSURING PUBLIC SECURITY THROUGH PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS IN NEW UZBEKISTAN

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The article develops proposals and recommendations for strengthening the legal foundations of effective cooperation between the state and the private sector in ensuring public safety through the model of public-private partnership (PPP). In particular, issues of improving legislation, strengthening control and monitoring mechanisms, ensuring transparency, and diversifying funding sources in the implementation of PPP projects in the field of public safety are widely considered.

*Keywords:* security, public safety, offense, ensuring public safety, public-private partnership, and others.

Various dangers and conflicts that are increasing day by day in the world, threats to the peace and tranquility of the country, pandemics, natural and man-made disasters, improvement of the system of ensuring public safety, introduction of its completely new mechanisms and procedures, the latest modern technologies in the field brings about the need to bring their achievements. Globally, public-private partnerships are partnerships between one or more public sector entities and private sector companies aimed at using the strengths of both sectors to provide services or projects that benefit the public. It is this necessity that today, in the public safety system, by combining the resources of the public partner and the private partner, ensuring road safety and infrastructure safety in the context of public safety, and responding to emergency situations, is of urgent importance.

Research is underway around the world to implement comprehensive security measures, strengthen emergency response, and develop regular partnerships between public safety officials and private sector leaders. Therefore, using technology to facilitate real-time communication, such as special applications, hotlines or online portals, developing platforms for regular communication between public safety officials and private sector leaders, early prevention of emergency situations and effective mitigation

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of their consequences. It is becoming important to conduct scientific research related to the coordination of the activities of public security entities and the private sector, the study of the areas of public security provision based on public-private partnership and the development of the legal basis of public security provision based on it.

In our country, reforms are being carried out in the field of prevention of violations of public safety and mutual purposeful cooperation with citizens and public structures in the fight against crime, strengthening of the legal foundations of public safety. Improvement of legislation in the field of public safety in the "Concept of Public Safety of the Republic of Uzbekistan"; <sup>1</sup>development and implementation of targeted and targeted programs aimed at ensuring public safety, training of qualified personnel in the public safety system, development and implementation of criteria and key indicators that determine the status and levels of threats to public safety, public-private partnership and introduction of outsourcing mechanisms into the road safety system and the process of road infrastructure improvement, coordination of the activities of competent state bodies and public structures for public safety, and introduction of a unified centralized system of operational management, public safety determination of priority tasks such as studying the advanced foreign experience in providing security and taking measures to implement it; It is becoming important to carry out scientific research in these fields.

Systematic measures are being taken to improve public safety in our country. In particular, effective work aimed at preventing crime and fighting against it without compromise, maintaining public order, prevention of crimes and introduction of completely new mechanisms of fighting against crime has been launched. For this purpose, great attention is paid to the implementation of projects such as "Safe City", "Prosperous and Safe Neighborhood", "Safe Zone".

of the decree of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan on November 29, 2021 "On approval of the concept of public safety of the Republic of Uzbekistan and measures for its implementation" <sup>2</sup>was a logical continuation of systematic measures aimed at ensuring public safety.

In the field of public safety, the tasks defined in the concept are to ensure unconditional observance of the rights and freedoms of citizens, to create more favorable

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Decree No. PF-27 of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan dated November 29, 2021 "On approval of the concept of public safety of the Republic of Uzbekistan and measures for its implementation" //http: www.l e x. en.// National database of legislative information of the Republic of Uzbekistan (date of application 11.08.2023);

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Decree of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan dated November 29, 2021 No. PF-27 "On approval of the concept of public safety of the Republic of Uzbekistan and measures for its implementation" // Lex.uz. (Date of application: 11.06.2024).

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conditions for achieving the intended goal, to implement the concepts of "Safe City", "Safe Tourism", "Prosperous and Safe Neighborhood", modern techniques and technologies, serves to form a centralized new system of managing the involved forces and means based on information and communication technologies. Also, activities of National Guard bodies to ensure public order and safety, in particular, transport safety, tourism safety, public events, public order and safety in emergency situations, conducting scientific researches on other relevant topics, patrol post, migration and citizenship registration, safe tourism, creates a basis for improving the training of qualified specialists in the fields of transport safety activities.

At the same time, the creation of a robust and effective mechanism of public safety, which is flexible to the requirements of the times, requires, in turn, the analysis of the areas and methods of public safety on the basis of public-private partnership.

A number of scientists from the Commonwealth of Independent States (CIS) countries have carried out scientific research on the wide use of public-private partnership activities, including: KAAntonova, Ye.V. Gorchakova, P. Snelson, Ye. Korovin, M. Pazdnikov, VGVarnavsky, AVKlimenko, VAKorolev studied to a certain extent <sup>3</sup>.

In the scientific literature, there are many studies of scientists devoted to the study of the issues of public-private partnership organization. In particular, the economist KAAntonova in her work entitled "Public-private partnership as a factor of socioeconomic development of Russia" calls public-private partnership - an institutional organizational alliance between the state and business, implemented on the basis of a contract between state administration agencies and private structures <sup>4</sup>.

Ye. V. Gorchakova said that "public-private partnership is a union of state agencies and private business, its purpose is to create and develop socially significant projects,

³Kabashkin V.A. Gosudarstv e nno-chastno e partn e rstvo v r e gionakh Rossiyskoy F e d e ratsii: uch e bno e posobi e / Kabashkin V. A. — M.: D e lo, 2010. P.120. ; Gorchakova E.V. Gosudarstvenno-chastnoe partnership - new paradigm Rossii, Vestnik SamGu, 2011 #1/1 (82). ; . Snelson P. Gosudarstvenno-chastnye partnership v stranax s perekhodnoy economic URL: <a href="http://www.ebrd.com">http://www.ebrd.com</a>. ; Korovin E. Credit risk projects of private-state partnership i mechanical podderjki. Vystuplenie na kruglom table "Federalnye instrumenty". podderzhki investorsov» October 10, 2006. URL: regionalism . ru / project / investproject / fed \_ instr . ; Pazdnikov M. Gosudarstvenno-chastnoe partnership: sut i ponyatie. URL: <a href="http://politmanagement.ru">http://politmanagement.ru</a>. ; Varnavsky V.G., Klim e nko A.V., Korol e v V.A. Gosudarstve nno-chastno e partn e rstvo: t e oriya i practice: three e bno e posobi e . — M.: GU-VShE, 2010. ; Djumaniyazov Umrbek Ilhamovich, "on the basis of public-private partnership some theoretical issues of corporate management development", scientific electronic magazine " Economy and innovative technologies". 2017 No. 3, May, p. 9.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>Kabashkin V.A. Gosudarstv e nno-chastno e partn e rstvo v r e gionakh Rossiyskoy F e d e ratsii: uch e bno e posobi e / Kabashkin V. A. — M.: D e lo, 2010. P.120.

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from strategic sectors of the economy to the provision of services throughout the country or its individual regions." notes that <sup>5</sup>. P. Snelson says that "public-private partnership is a relationship between the state and the private sector in order to share the risks and benefits arising from the implementation of the enterprise's activities <sup>6</sup>. " According to Ye. Korovin's definition based on his studies, "public-private partnership is a medium-term or long-term cooperation between the state and the private sector, within which the political tasks are to combine the experience of several sectors and financial risks and benefits, will be decided on the basis of distribution <sup>7</sup>.

M. Pazdnikov says that "public-private partnership is a local tool of the western market economy where the state and business are partners. In addition, partners are equal. That is why the term "public private partnership" is used <sup>8</sup>. Also, "Public-private partnership" co-authored by VG Varnavskyi, AV Klimenko and VA Korolev. In the study guide "Theory and practice" "public-private partnership - state and public property objects, as well as socially significant projects in a wide range of economic activities, implemented and implemented by state and public agencies, institutions and enterprises" "It shows a legally strengthened form of interaction between the state and the private sector in relation to the provided services," they emphasize <sup>9</sup>.

In particular, one of the researchers of our country, UIDjumaniyazov, in his article on "Some theoretical and methodological issues of the development of corporate management based on public-private partnership" wrote that "public-private partnership is a possible development based on the long-term strategic tasks and goals of the state within the framework of current laws. on the basis of the distribution of various economic, political, social, cultural and other risks, dangers, risks, construction of extremely socio-economic and, if necessary, politically important objects for the

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup>Gorchakova E.V. Gosudarstvenno-chastnoe partnership - new paradigm Rossii, Vestnik SamGu, 2011 #1/1 (82).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup>Snelson P. Gosudarstvenno-chastnye partnership v stranax s perekhodnoy economic URL : <a href="http://www.ebrd.com">http://www.ebrd.com</a>.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup>Korovin E. Credit risk projects of private-state partnership i mechanical podderjki. Vystuplenie na kruglom table "Federalnye instrumenty". podderzhki investorsov» October 10, 2006. URL : regionalism . ru / project / investproject / fed \_ instr .

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup>Pazdnikov M. Gosudarstvenno-chastnoe partnership: sut i ponyatie. URL: <a href="http://politmanagement.ru">http://politmanagement.ru</a>.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup>Varnavsky V.G., Klim e nko A.V., Korol e v V.A. Gosudarstv e nno-chastno e partn e rstvo: t e oriya i practice: three e bno e posobi e . — M.: GU-VShE, 2010.

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population with the private sector, or provision of social services on this basis "It is literally mutually beneficial relations with the private sector <sup>10</sup>."

Of course, ensuring public security is a direct strategic task of the state. Modernization of the public security sector today requires private capital in the system, like any other sector. In this regard, public-private partnerships will become a mechanism for introducing innovative experiences to ensure public safety, technical equipment of the sector, quality indicators on the ground and improvement of the digital system.

Public-private partnership is a more flexible legal institution that allows for the implementation of projects in various areas of public infrastructure. At the same time, there is also the principle of law that "any action that is not prohibited can be performed." It is clear from this that our national legislation does not have any prohibition on public-private partnerships in the field of public safety <sup>11</sup>.

FSAtamuratova, while studying one of the adjacent areas for personal society - public-private partnership in the health sector, "in this regard, social partnership agreements are a tripartite practice that allows taking into account the interests of labor unions, employers and state bodies in the field of health - that is, tripartism is becoming one of the main directions for the implementation of this task <sup>12</sup>.

The primary legal basis for the implementation of public security on the basis of public-private partnership was created and implemented. In particular, the Decision of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan No. PQ-4913 of December 7, 2020 "On additional measures to attract the private sector to the spheres regulated by the state", "Public safety of the Republic of Uzbekistan On the approval of the concept and measures for its implementation" Decree No. PF-27 of November 29, 2021 is one of them.

Ensuring Road Safety on the basis of the Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of the Republic of Uzbekistan No. 232 dated April 21, 2021 "On additional measures to involve the private sector in the field of road safety" starting from March 1, 2021, business entities in our country were given the right to install special automated photo

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup>Djumaniyazov Umrbek Ilhamovich, "on the basis of public-private partnership some theoretical issues of corporate management development", scientific electronic magazine "Economy and innovative technologies". 2017 No. 3, May, p. 9.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> Koldoshev N., in the field of public security in Uzbekistan development of public-private partnership / "Economics and society" №1(104)-2 2023 www.iupr.ru /https://cyberleninka.ru/article/n/

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup>F.S. Atamuratova. Peculiarities of public-private partnership in health care / Collective monograph. Models of social partnership in Uzbekistan: current situation and prospects. -Tashkent: Shafoat Nur Fayz, 2020. p. 197. URL: <a href="https://www.researchgate.net/publication/348199993\_-uzbekistonda\_iztimoij\_serikliknik\_modellari\_ozirgi\_olati\_va\_istikbollari/">https://www.researchgate.net/publication/348199993\_-uzbekistonda\_iztimoij\_serikliknik\_modellari\_ozirgi\_olati\_va\_istikbollari/</a>

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and video recording software and technical means of violation of traffic rules on highways. According to paragraph 4 of this decision, 50 percent of the amount of fines collected from traffic violations recorded by means of special automated photo and video recording software and technical tools belonging to business entities for 1 year from the date of launch, 1 year after launch After that, 25 percent will be allocated to the account of the business entity. Also, on the basis of Resolution No. 588 of September 20, 2021 of the Cabinet of Ministers of the Republic of Uzbekistan "On Additional Measures to Maintain Public Order in Neighborhoods", In order to maintain public order and prevent encroachments on citizens' property, certain "Public Control Centers" were leased to business entities on the condition of installing video cameras as an experiment, and the procedure for organizing the activities of "Electronic Surveillance Centers" was established based on them. According to paragraph 3 of this decision, up to 6 square meters of the land plots around the houses and their buildings are given to business entities for the placement of "Electronic monitoring facilities", and the rest is for conducting business activities for a period of five years based on the "zero" rate of rent. provided for rent.

Our research shows that organizations have a dual interest in pooling their resources to ensure public safety. Not only the private sector, but also the state is interested in this.

believes that one of the main problems in the development of public-private partnership is that "Private partners are not eager to implement the project because they take responsibility for the main risks." <sup>13</sup>Of course, agreeing with this opinion, it can be noted that the introduction of effective systems of support for the protection of the interests of public-private partnership into the legislation will also give a positive result in the rapid development of this sector and the wide involvement of private investors.

It should be recognized that the issue of public safety is a political strategic task of the state. Ensuring public safety is considered a comprehensive system, which includes political, socio-economic, legal and other complex organizational measures that are determined by the state to protect society from threats and are constantly being improved.

In our opinion, the analysis of the areas and methods of public safety on the basis of public-private partnership originates from the main directions of the state policy in this field.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup>E.V. Egorov, I.S. Minina. Pravovoe regulirovanie gosudarstvennochastnogo partnertsva v Rossii i za rubezhom.https://cyberleninka.ru/article/n/pravovoe-regulirovanie-gosudarstvennochastnogo-partnerstva-v-rossii-i- za-rubezhom/viewer

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The Law of the Republic of Uzbekistan "On Public-Private Partnership" outlines the main directions of the state policy in the field of public-private partnership, which are as follows:

- > stimulating economic growth and ensuring stable development of the Republic of Uzbekistan;
- ➤ development, approval and implementation of state programs in the field of public-private partnership;
- ➤ to support the formation, restoration, use, and maintenance of the existing social infrastructure;
  - improving the quality of social infrastructure use and service;
  - improve the quality of public services and expand their free access;
- reation of conditions that ensure the attraction of financial resources of the private sector, including foreign investments;
- ➤ state support for scientific research, introduction of modern methods and technologies for the development and improvement of the institutional and legal basis of <sup>14</sup>public-private partnership.

Today, on the basis of public-private partnership, health care, higher, secondary, secondary and preschool education, organization of road traffic and a number of other areas are being implemented in our country.

Based on the main directions of the state policy in the field of public-private partnership, which areas of public safety can be implemented on the basis of public-private partnership?

to further strengthen law and order and to fight against new forms of crime requires setting priorities for public safety in our country.

It is worth noting that the following ways of ensuring public safety can be effectively implemented on the basis of public-private partnership:

- > further improvement of the security system in transport and tourism facilities;
- > organizing the activities and mutual cooperation of competent state bodies and public structures in the organization of traffic;

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>14</sup>The Law of the Republic of Uzbekistan No. ORQ-537 of May 10, 2019 "On Public-Private Partnership" // National database of legal documents, 05/11/2019, 03/19 No. /537/3113; 01/23/2021, No. 03/21/669/0060; National database of legislative information, 04/21/2021, No. 03/21/683/0375; 07.06.2022, No. 03/22/775/0477; 07/03/2023, No. 03/23/850/0439; 03/23/880/0905 dated 11/29/2023; 02/22/2024, No. 03/24/911/0142. (Date of application: 11.06.2024).

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- improvement of road safety system and road infrastructure based on public-private partnership;
- > creation of optimal conditions for the flow of transit and internal state transport, development of the road system of national and local importance, taking into account the creation of favorable conditions for the safe movement of vehicles;
- > introduction of modern warning systems for traffic and pedestrian stop and start, organization of new types of crossings for pedestrians, comprehensive improvement of road infrastructure;
- > establishment of a separate traffic lane and modern bicycle lanes for public and special transport;
- ➤ further improvement of the system of reporting and providing information to the population about possible or actual emergency situations and fires;
- > such as the lighting of residential areas at night and the expansion of video surveillance coverage.

There are several areas of public safety based on public-private partnerships. These areas play an important role in establishing effective cooperation between the public and private sectors, optimal use of resources and improving security. In our opinion, the following can be cited as the main areas of public safety on the basis of public-private partnership:

first of all improving the efficiency of cyber security on the basis of public-private partnership;

secondly, development of the healthcare system based on public-private partnership.

thirdly, increasing the efficiency of ensuring transport security on the basis of public-private partnership;

fourthly, ensuring fire safety on the basis of public-private partnership;

*fifth*, effective provision of security in public places based on public-private partnership;

sixthly, development of emergency prevention system based on public-private partnership;

from the seventh increase the effectiveness of video surveillance and monitoring based on public-private partnership;

from the eighth development of public order system on the basis of public-private partnership;

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*ninth*, increase the efficiency of regional and local security on the basis of public-private partnership;

and thirdly, improving the efficiency of data management and protection on the basis of public-private partnership.

We will analyze these directions.

In fact, *cyber security is considered* one of the main areas of public security, and in this area, cyber security solutions and services provided by the private sector, data protection and measures against cyber attacks, improvement of legal norms in this regard is one of <sup>15</sup>the important issues. In particular, development of digital skills among the population, organization of public-private partnership mechanisms involving large IT enterprises in the field of public safety is one of the urgent issues.

As a result of the complex measures taken to support the private sector *in health care* in our country, the necessary conditions were created for further increasing the number of non-state medical institutions and expanding the types of medical services provided by them. Public-Private Partnership in the field of health care is a mutually concluded public-private partnership agreement for the purpose of attracting private investment and/or management expertise and sharing and/or allocating risks and responsibilities., is a legally formalized mutually beneficial cooperation between a public partner and a private partner aimed at improving the quality of medical services, as well as solving social and infrastructural problems in the health sector. <sup>16</sup>

of private medical institutions in protecting the health of the population, strengthening security measures in medical institutions based on the introduction of public-private partnerships in the health sector, prompt and effective response in the

<sup>15</sup> For information: the following can be included in the national legislation in the field of cyber security, the Law of the Republic of Uzbekistan "On Cyber Security" No. ORQ-764, adopted by the Legislative Chamber on February 25, 2022, by the Senate on March 17, 2022 approved// lex.uz.; Law of the Republic of Uzbekistan dated December 11, 2003 No. 560-II "On Information" // lex.uz.; Law of the Republic of Uzbekistan dated August 20, 1999 No. 822-I "On Telecommunications"// lex.uz.; Decree of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan No. PF-6079 dated October 5, 2020 "On approval of the Digital Uzbekistan - 2030" strategy and measures for its effective implementation // lex.uz.; Decree of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan No. PQ-4452 dated September 14, 2019 "On additional measures to control the introduction of information technologies and communications, and improve the system of their protection" // lex.uz. and others. (Date of application: 12.06.2024).

<sup>16</sup>"STATEMENT ON PUBLIC-Private Partnership in Health Care" approved by the Decree of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan No. PQ-4290 of April 16, 2019 // National database of legal documents, 04/17/2019 year, No. 07/19/4290/2959; 02/19/2020, No. 07/20/4606/0176; National database of legislative information, 08.10.2021, No. 06/21/6320/0940, 30.11.2021, No. 06/21/26/1111; 07.07.2023, No. 06/23/108/0460; 07/13/2023, No. 06/23/109/0469. (Date of application: 12.06.2024).

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event of an epidemic or pandemic, improving security technologies and infrastructures, institutional and the issue of creating legal mechanisms is still relevant.

Ensuring safety in public transport systems, road safety monitoring, taking safety measures in buses, trains, subways and airports is one of the important areas of public safety. Development and establishment of regulations for penalty areas, improvement of their operation taking into account the introduction of public-private partnership mechanisms, introduction of public-private partnership mechanisms into the road safety system, meeting world standards of road safety It is important to create a system of transportation, development of transit, passenger and cargo transportation, development of rules for expansion of public-private partnership in this field.<sup>17</sup>

In recent years, despite the fact that systematic measures are being implemented in the field of fire safety and fire prevention, unpleasant incidents related to fires are occurring in the household life of the population and in the activities of *business entities*. The occurrence of unpleasant events shows the need to revise the mechanisms established in the legislation on state fire control, to implement strict measures aimed at increasing the fire safety culture of the population and business entities, and to improve the legal norms related to the field. <sup>18</sup> is doing. Based on this, in our opinion, implementation of fire prevention measures on the basis of public-private partnership, installation and updating of fire alarm systems, training on fire safety will serve the development of the industry.

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<sup>17</sup> For information: the following can be included in the national legislation in the field of ensuring transport safety on the basis of public-private partnership, the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan dated November 29, 2021 No. "On measures to increase" // National database of legislative information, 01.12.2021, No. 06/21/27/1116; 01/16/2024, No. 06/24/10/0031; Resolution No. PQ-3127 of July 11, 2017 "On measures to further improve the road safety system" // Collection of legal documents of the Republic of Uzbekistan, 2017, No. 28, Article 645; National database of legislative information, 01.12.2021, No. 06/21/27/1116, 04.04.2022, No. 07/22/190/0268; Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers No. 377 of May 19, 2018 "On measures to further improve the road safety system of the Republic of Uzbekistan" // National database of legal documents, 22.05.2018 -y., No. 09/18/377/1258, 04.06.2019, No. 09/19/457/3235; 05/07/2024, No. 09/24/266/0329. (Date of application: 12.06.2024).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>18</sup> For information: the following can be included in the national legislation in the field of fire safety on the basis of public-private partnership, the Law of the Republic of Uzbekistan "On Fire Safety", the Decree of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan "O On the introduction of a qualitatively new system of prevention and elimination of emergency situations and fire safety in the Republic of Uzbekistan" No. PF-5706 dated April 10, 2019 and "On some documents of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan Decree No. PF-125 of August 2, 2023 "on amendments and additions" // Lex.uz.; No. 615 of the Cabinet of Ministers of November 23, 2023 "In connection with the introduction of a qualitatively new system of fire safety" of the Cabinet of Ministers "On approval of the regulation on state fire control" of October 4, 2013 "On Amendments and Additions to Resolution No. 272" // National Legislative Information Base, November 24, 2023, No. 09/23/615/0889. (Date of application: 12.06.2024).

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President Shavkat Mirziyoyev said, "Ministers should not only spend state funds, but also take the initiative and attract private investments. For example, through public-private partnership, it is possible to easily bring investments of up to 1 billion dollars a year in the fields of agriculture, water, forestry, and transport <sup>19</sup>. In fact, it is important to involve the private sector in taking *security measures in public places* such as public events, sports competitions, fairs and concerts.

On the basis of public-private partnership, real-time situation monitoring is being implemented by installing high-quality video surveillance systems in public places to ensure effective security in public places. However, there are problems with the application of new technological innovations and digitalization. In this case, effective cooperation between the public and private sectors will be used to monitor security in streets and parks, in city centers, and use IoT (Internet of Things) sensors, facial recognition technologies, and volunteer patrols, application of d procedures, organization of emergency service systems in public places, installation of rapid signaling facilities serves to ensure a high level of security in public places.

*Emergency situations* based on public-private partnership creates convenient opportunities for *prevention*, monitoring and response. Today, a number of emergency measures are being implemented by emergency authorities for natural, man-made and environmental emergency situations. In particular, the mass media include preventive exits, the system of sending messages on personal mobile communication devices.

In our opinion, such measures are not effective enough. The decision of the Cabinet of Ministers of the Republic of Uzbekistan No. 299 dated April 12, 2019 "On measures to implement the Sendai Hadli program for disaster risk reduction in 2015-2030 in the Republic of Uzbekistan" <sup>20</sup>was adopted. lib, the issue of introduction of public-private partnership mechanisms in the implementation of emergency-rescue and other special property localization measures is determined by the decision. Using GIS technologies to monitor natural disasters, earthquakes and floods in the prevention of emergency situations on the basis of public-private partnership, organizing rescue services in cooperation with private companies and providing them with modern technologies, fires

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>19</sup>Address of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan Shavkat Mirziyoyev to the Oliy Majlis and the people of Uzbekistan // <a href="https://raqobat.gov.uz/">https://raqobat.gov.uz/</a>. (Date of application: 12.06.2024).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>20</sup>Resolution No. 299 of the Cabinet of Ministers of the Republic of Uzbekistan dated April 12, 2019 "On measures to implement the Sendai Hadli program for disaster risk reduction in 2015-2030 in the Republic of Uzbekistan" // Legal documents National database of information, 12.04.2019, No. 09/19/299/2928; National database of legislative information, 05.04.2022, No. 09/22/153/0266; 05/29/2023, No. 09/23/215/0299 (Application date: 06/17/2024)

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and floods in public places and other emergency situations, it is advisable to implement measures related to the installation of rapid warning signal systems.

This process allows for increased public safety and rapid emergency response, while rapid information exchange and monitoring systems help identify and respond to risks.

Another area of public security on the basis of public-private partnership is video surveillance and monitoring, as well as maintaining public order, as well as regional and local security. In this regard, it is important that the decision of the Cabinet of Ministers of the Republic of Uzbekistan No. <u>588</u> of September 20, 2021 "On additional measures to maintain public order in neighborhoods" was adopted.

**This decision is the Republic of Uzbekistan** It was adopted in connection with the implementation of the decision of the President of December 7, 2020 <u>PQ-4913</u> " On additional measures to attract the private sector to the spheres regulated by the state".

It is envisaged to lease some public control centers established by the "Roadmap" to attract the private sector to the state-regulated fields to business entities, on the condition of installing video cameras as an experiment, and to organize the activities of electronic surveillance centers based on them.

Republic of Uzbekistan In accordance with the Decree of the President No. <u>PF-6243</u> dated June 8, 2021, land plots are allocated to the state organization with the right of permanent use in the implementation of public-private partnership projects and projects aimed at achieving socially beneficial goals.

the decree, conducting an experiment on the organization of electronic monitoring centers on the basis of public control centers of the Ministry of Internal Affairs, the National Guard, the Ministry of Neighborhood and Family Support, the Ministry of Information Technology and Communications Development, and local executive authorities from October 1, 2021 to October 1, 2022 His proposal was approved.

By decree, as an experiment, the following are defined:

- ➤ electronic surveillance facilities are placed up to 6 square meters of land plots. The plots of land around the houses and their buildings will be leased for five years on the basis of the "zero" rate of rent, regardless of the duration of the experiment;
- lessor self-governing bodies of citizens, lessee legal and natural persons who rent public control facilities established at citizens' gatherings in the prescribed manner, as well as auction organizer "Center for Organization of Electronic Online Auctions" DUK;

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- business entities whose premises are provided on the basis of a lease agreement are determined by holding an electronic competition on the electronic trading platform "E-auction";
- the lease agreement, the buildings of the residences will be left to the self-management bodies of citizens based on the property rights, the remaining property and equipment will be freely disposed of by the business entity, <sup>21</sup>etc.

In addition, on the basis of public-private partnership, installation and use of surveillance cameras in the fields of video surveillance and monitoring, maintenance of public order and regional and local security, development of monitoring systems of public places, patrols of private security companies services, implementation of rapid response to public order incidents, implementation of security measures at the local level, improvement of security infrastructure in neighborhoods and rural areas, as well as technology solutions for managing and protecting information related to public safety by the private sector The implementation of such measures will serve the effective development of public security.

Based on the above, it is advisable to implement the following in order to improve the spheres of public safety:

First, cyber security solutions and services provided by the private sector in the field of cyber security, which have attracted large IT enterprises in the field of data protection and implementation of countermeasures against cyber attacks, development of digital skills among the population, and provision of public safety organization of public-private partnership mechanisms;

secondly, on the basis of public-private partnership, to strengthen security measures in medical institutions, to respond quickly and effectively in cases of epidemics or pandemics, to create institutional and legal mechanisms for improving security technologies and infrastructures;

thirdly, to develop and establish regulations for penalty areas, to improve their operation taking into account the introduction of public-private partnership mechanisms, to create a system of public-private partnership mechanisms that meets world standards for ensuring road safety, transit, passengers and development of cargo transportation;

fourth, on the basis of public-private partnership, installation and renewal of fire alarm systems, conducting fire safety training;

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>21</sup>https://www.norma.uz/oz/konunchilikda\_yangi/hususiy\_sektor\_mahallalarda\_jamoat\_tartibini\_saqla ydi

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fifth, using IoT (Internet of Things) sensors, facial recognition technologies, and volunteer patrol programs to monitor security in streets and parks, in city centers, in effective cooperation between the public and private sectors;

sixth, organization of emergency service systems in public places, installation of rapid alarm facilities;

seven inches, d using GIS technologies to monitor natural disasters, earthquakes and floods in the prevention of emergency situations on the basis of public-private partnership, organizing rescue services in cooperation with private companies and providing them with modern technologies, fires in public places, water installation of rapid warning signal systems for floods and other emergency situations;

eight inches, d video surveillance and monitoring, maintenance of public order and regional and local security based on public-private partnership installation and use of surveillance cameras in the areas of security, development of monitoring systems of public places, patrol services of private security companies, implementation of rapid response to public order violations, implementation of local level security measures, neighborhood and rural areas improvement of security infrastructure;

ninthly, it is appropriate to develop and adopt the draft decree of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan "On measures to develop public-private partnership in the field of public safety".

In this case, it is necessary to approve the draft "Regulation on public-private partnership in the field of public safety " and provide its model as follows:

- Chapter 1. General rules;
- Chapter 2. The procedure for implementing the public-private partnership project in the field of public safety;
- Chapter 3. Tendering procedure for the right to conclude a public-private partnership agreement in the field of public safety;
- Chapter 4. Conclusion of an agreement on a public-private partnership project in the field of public safety;
- Chapter 5. Rights and obligations of the parties to the agreement on the public-private partnership project in the field of public safety;
- Chapter 6. Provision of land plots where the object of the public-private partnership agreement is located and (or) necessary for the implementation of activities in the field of public safety;

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Chapter 7. Provision of buildings and structures or their parts, rooms of public security entities for long-term purposeful use;

Chapter 8. Equipping competent bodies in the field of public safety with modern technologies, equipment and techniques;

Chapter 9. Trust management of competent bodies in the field of public safety;

Chapter 10. The procedure for granting ownership rights to infrastructure in the field of public safety;

Chapter 11. Monitoring of implementation of public-private partnership projects;

Chapter 12. Final Rules.

In conclusion, the development of the above-analyzed areas of public safety through public-private partnerships will enable the integration of public and private sector resources and the optimal implementation of public safety services. This is an important factor in creating comprehensive public security systems and ensuring peace in society.