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*Dear Sir,*

I am writing to you with the reference to the Third Sub-Regional Training Workshop for Facilitators from Central Asia, which was held in Tashkent recently.

During the above-mentioned training, my colleagues received information concerning the submission of the "Art of Miniature" to the Register of Good Safeguarding Practices of UNESCO for possible inscription in 2020 by the Republic of Uzbekistan, Islamic Republic of Iran, Republic of Turkey and Republic of Azerbaijan. We regret to find out that Tajikistan was not informed concerning the preparation of the mentioned nomination.

It's necessary to underline that the art of Persian miniature is a rich cultural heritage of Tajik people from the ancient time. The Persian miniature classical art is a part of the history of Tajik people as well and it's very important for Tajikistan to be included to the list of the countries who submitted the "Art of Miniature" to the Register of Good Safeguarding Practices of UNESCO.

In this regard, I kindly request you to guide us on the matter of being the part of this process and to join the above-mentioned countries.

Please accept, Dear Sir, the assurances of my highest consideration.

  
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