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Uzbek transcript:

Umuman O'zbekistonda bag'rikenglik eng yuksak qadriyatlardan hisoblanadi. Shuning uchun turli millat vakillari bo'lganliklari uchun, ular hammalari hamjihatlikda yashaydilar. Ayganimdek juda ko'p ruslar mavjud Ozbekistonda. Umuman o'zbeklar, qozoqlar, turkmanlar, tojiklar hammalari hamjihatlikda yashaydilar. Umuman rus tili ta'siri haliyam juda katta. O'zbekistonda juda ko'p rus maktablari mavjud. O'zbekistonda hatto Tojik maktablarini haliyam uchratish mumkin. Va har bir millat vakillari uchun madaniy markazlar mavjud. Masalan, rus madaniy markazi, qozoq madaniy markazi, turkman madaniy markazi, tojiklar uchun markazlar juda ko'p bo'lib, umuman barcha millat vakillari hamjihatlikda istiqomat qiladilar. Barcha millat vakillari uchun... barcha millat vakillari teng huquqqa egalar, teng ta'lim huquhi, teng tanlov huquqiga egalar, siyosiy huquqlari ham teng.

English translation:

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In fact, tolerance is considered to be one of the great values in Uzbekistan. That's why, because there are various nationalities, they all live peacefully. As I said, there are many Russians in Uzbekistan. In fact, Uzbeks, Kazakhs, Turkmen, Tajiks, all live in consent. In fact, the influence of Russian is still very big. There are many Russian schools in Uzbekistan. One can still see even Tajik schools in Uzbekistan. And there are cultural centers for the representatives of each culture. For example, Russian culture center, Kazakh cultural center, Turkmen cultural center, cultural center for Tajiks, many of them, and representatives of all nationalities coexist. For all national groups... all nationalities have equal rights, equal rights for education, equal rights for choosing, equal political rights.

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