

## **Makhmudzoda Makhkam**

### **Chairman of the Constitutional Court of the Republic of Tajikistan**



Makhmudzoda Makhkam Azam was born in 1957. In 1979 graduated with honor from the law faculty of Tajik State University.

From 1979 Mr. Makhmudov worked as the assistant of the department of civil law. From 1983 till 1986 he attended post graduate studies at the Tajik State University. From 1987 till 1993 he was working as assistant, senior lecturer, associate professor and professor of the department of civil law at the law faculty of Tajik State University. From 1993 till 2006 Mr. Makhmudov worked as the dean of the law faculty of Tajik State National University. In 1990 – 1995 Mr. Makhmudov served as the deputy of the Majlis of public deputies of Dushanbe city. In 2002 Mr. Makhmudov was appointed by the decree of the President of the Republic of Tajikistan at the position of the member of Majlisi Milli of Majlisi Oli of the Republic of Tajikistan of second call, in 2005 he was appointed as the member of the Majlisi Milli of Majlisi Oli of the Republic of Tajikistan of third call. In 2005 at the first session of Majlisi Milli of Majlisi Oli of the Republic of Tajikistan of third call Mr. Makhmudov was elected as the chairman of the Committee of Majlisi Milli of Majlisi Oli of the Republic of Tajikistan on observation of constitutional norms, human rights and freedoms and the rule of law.

From 2006 he was working as the deputy head of the Administration of the President of the Republic of Tajikistan, in 2008 he was appointed to the position of the 1st deputy head of the Administration of the President of the Republic of Tajikistan.

From 2004 Mr. Makhmudov was corresponding member and in 2008 was elected as the member of the Academy of Science of the Republic of Tajikistan. On May 18, 2009 Mr. Makhmudov was elected as the Chairman of the Constitutional Court of the Republic of Tajikistan. He is author of more than 200 scientific papers.

Honored lawyer of the Republic of Tajikistan, awarded with the orders of “Ismoili Somoni of 2nd degree” and “Community” and other medals. Justice of the highest qualification rank.