

## **EXPLANATORY LETTER**

### **International Scientific and Practical Assembly**

#### **"For advice to young parliamentarians and legislators!"**

#### **How to make a way of life in rural areas attractive for young people? "**

As you know, 90% of the territory of Russia belongs to rural and remote areas, where small settlements are located. These territories are home to 25 million Russian citizens. With interdepartmental responsibility for them, often there are "gaps" in the implementation of public policy. Involving Russian citizens in the development of these territories is a matter of ensuring national security in the context of preserving the cultural identity, economic independence and sovereignty of the people.

The All-Russian Scientific and Practical Congress "The Complex Social and Economic Development of Rural Areas and Small Settlements - the Basis of Russia's National Security" (hereinafter referred to as the "Congress") has been addressing this issue since 2013 under the leadership of the UN Declaration, the Constitution of Russia, and the May decrees of President Putin, State Strategy and Programs for the Integrated Development of Rural Territories of the Russian Federation.

2017 will be held in Russia under the sign of environmental protection, and therefore the tasks to improve the environmental sphere in the near future will be the main for the state and society. The current year will be not only the Year of Ecology, but also the Year of Especially Protected Natural Territories.

In the city of Moscow on May 31, June 1 and 2, 2017, the International Scientific and Practical Assembly "For advice to young parliamentarians and legislators how to make living in rural areas attractive for young people" (hereinafter referred to as the Assembly) is organized within the framework of the Congress.

#### **Objectives of the Assembly:**

- association of young scientists, parliamentarians and legislators, representatives of institutes and departments, specialists in public administration, ecology, economy, agro-industrial complex, humanitarian and educational technologies to summarize best practices to create conditions for engaging in life in rural and remote areas;
- stimulation of youth activity and attraction of it to the solution of actual problems of science and practice;
- Assistance in forming a strategic partnership of scientific, public organizations and institutions, government bodies

More than 45 media outlets have become information partners of the Congress.

**To participate in the work of the Assembly, we invite:**

- Representatives of the legislative and executive authorities (at the federal, regional and municipal levels), incl. Young parliamentarians and legislators, members of youth public chambers and a reserve of management personnel;
- representatives of scientific research institutions, higher and secondary special educational institutions;
- representatives of political parties and movements;
- representatives of student and youth organizations;
- representatives of public and non-profit organizations;
- representatives of the media.

**The Assembly is held with the assistance of:**

- Committee of the Council of Federation of the Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation for Social Policy;
- Committee of the Council of Federation of the Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation on Agrarian and Food Policy and Nature Management;
- Committee of the State Duma of the Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation for Education and Science;
- Committee of the State Duma of the Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation on the federal structure and issues of local self-government;
- Ministry of Economic Development of the Russian Federation;
- Ministry of Agriculture of the Russian Federation;
- Federal Agency for Youth Affairs (Rosmolodezh);
- Department for Coordination and Support of Organizations in the Field of Agricultural Sciences of the Federal Agency of Scientific Organizations (FAO of Russia);
- Legislative and executive authorities of the Republic of Karelia, the Republic of Karelia, the Republic of Sakha-Yakutia, the Kabardino-Balkarian Republic, the Transbaikal Territory, the Primorsky Territory, the Stavropol Territory, the Kaliningrad Region, the Rostov Region, Moscow Region, Voronezh Region, Lipetsk Region, Moscow and other subjects Russian;
- The Chamber of Young Legislators under the Federation Council of the Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation;
- leading universities of Russia;
- Association for the Development of Science and Education "Moscow Society of Naturalists" of Moscow State University. M.V. Moscow State University. M.V. Lomonosov Moscow State University.

## **PROGRAM**

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**31 May - 2 June 2017**

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#### **Day 1:**

**May 31 - Scientific and Practical Symposium**

**Young parliamentarians, legislators, scientists**

**"For advice to youth! Sustainable development of human and rural potential"**

**Presentation of projects and programs of the participants of the Assembly**

To open the Assembly is invited:

The members of the Federation Council and deputies of the State Duma of the Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation, representatives of Federal ministries and departments of constituent entities of the Russian Federation, prominent scientists, workers of science and education, representatives of Russian political parties and public organizations, Federal and regional mass media.

Joint Symposium of Young Researchers and Youth Parliamentarians, Legislators, Municipal Deputies, Public Activists.

An online connection is planned with representatives of several subjects of Russia.

The symposium is scheduled breakout sessions and a session with the participation of leading scientists and experts in various areas of science, as well as young scientists, and representatives of youth parliaments, non-governmental organizations.

To participate in the work of invited scientists, experts, university professors, graduate students, undergraduates and students.

Among the participants of the Assembly will be a competition for the best project (program) for sustainable development of rural areas.

Based on the results of the work, a collection of speeches and projects will be formed.

**Day 2:**

**June 1 - Solemn meeting dedicated to the International Children's Day**

**"Peace to the Children of the Earth. Human potential in the 21st century"**

June 1 - International Children's Day. The holiday was established in November 1949, and was first held on June 1, 1950 in 51 countries. The same day, the World Parents Day is held. It was established in September 2012 by the UN General Assembly Resolution 66/292.

It should be noted that on June 1, many countries celebrate World Milk Day. The holiday was held for the first time in 2001, initiated by the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations. In 2017, the date is celebrated for the 17th time, including in some regions of Russia. The purpose of the holiday is to inform people about the benefits of milk and dairy products for the human body, especially children's.

Within the framework of events dedicated to this memorable dates, are invited to discuss with young parliamentarians and legislators at a high level, the development of social progress - socio-cultural and humanitarian practices of rural and remote areas: human capital, quality of life, social policy, education, health:

1. Education in the 21st century
2. Development of children's and youth talents
3. Patriotism,
4. Spirituality, traditions and family values
5. Health and Sport
6. Social development
7. Culture and the national dimension
8. Infrastructure support of human development

To participate in the grand meeting are invited:

- State Duma deputies, members of the Federation Council of the Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation, the Commissioner of the President of the Russian Federation on the Rights of the Child,

- representatives of the Ministry of Education and Science of the Russian Federation, the Russian Ministry of Culture, Sports and Tourism Ministry of the Russian Federation, the Russian Ministry of Defense, Ministry of Emergency Situations The Russian Federation, the Ministry of Internal Affairs of the Russian Federation, the Federal Agency for Youth Affairs, the their government agencies, the International Children's Fund (UNICEF), the UN Information Center in Moscow, Russian Children's Fund, and other public organizations.

**Day 3:**

**June 2 - International Expert Conference**

**"Ecology and economy of rural and remote areas in ensuring national security: problems and solutions"**

To open the event, we invite:

- Representatives of the Organizing Committee for the Year of Ecology in the Russian Federation in 2017;

- representatives of the Ministry of Natural Resources and the Ministry of Economic Development of Russia.

At the conference, with the participation of young parliamentarians and legislators to discuss the key issues to be previously considered opposing - ecology and economy of rural areas:

**ECOLOGY**

1. Efficiency of nature management and environmental safety
  - Ecological and town-planning problems of settlements
  - Ecology of the Arctic
2. Problems of water resources
  - Rivers - review of the problem and solutions
  - Lake Baikal
3. Agro-industrial potential and its renewal
  - preservation of fertility and soil quality
  - forests - renewal of biogeocoenosis
4. Reducing the causes and consequences of man-made pollution

**ECONOMY**

5. Economic models of the 21st century - harmony, justice, sustainability
6. Re-equipment of production for a new technological structure
7. Prospects for the development of "green" agriculture -
  - breakthrough agricultural technologies
  - food and processing industry
  - providing related industries - energy, housing construction

## SOCIAL

8. State and municipal management in the sustainable development of Russia

9. Human development in rural and remote areas

10. Uniting international ideas

- Eurasian space as a unified system
- International participation in solving environmental problems
- Socio-cultural development

The result of the above activities of the Assembly will be:

- generalization and formation of a single register of threats to national security (RUNB) of Russia and Eurasia, in the part of rural areas and natural areas;

- the formation of a bank of research projects on the development of territories, which will be proposed to young parliamentarians and legislators for practical work and implementation in the regions.

Activities will continue in the constituent entities of the Russian Federation (among the partners of the Congress), as well as in neighboring states and territories.

### **Date and the time**

May 31 - June 2, 2017.

Registration: 9.30-10.30 hours.

Plenary session: 11.00 am.

### **Location**

The conference hall of the Federation Council of the Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation,

Moscow, New Arbat, 19

### **The format of participation**

Participation in the Assembly is free. The format of participation - full-time, interactive (online).

Among the participants of the Assembly will be a contest for the best project (program) sustainable development of rural areas. The results of the work will form a collection of speeches.

Transport costs, accommodation, meals, travel expenses – at the expense of the sending party.

**The order of participation**

Completed applications and materials for presentations are accepted until may 29, 2017 email address of the organizing Committee of the Assembly info@selo-rf.ru.

The questionnaire required days of participation in the Assembly (may 31, June 1, June 2).

According to the rules of the organization of access control in the administrative building of the Council of Federation of the Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation requires:

- A timely application was sent and the list of participants of the Assembly;
- Presentation at the entrance of the passport of the citizen of the Russian Federation or other document proving the identity.

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