



NATIONAL BANK OF KAZAKHSTAN

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The National Bank of Kazakhstan`s delegation at the IMF and World Bank Group`s Spring Meetings

On April 20-21, 2018 the delegation of the National Bank headed by its Governor Mr. Daniyar Akishev visited Washington D.C. to participate in the International Monetary Fund and the World Bank Group`s Spring Meetings (the “Spring Meetings”).

Under the framework of the visit, the Governor of the National Bank Mr. Daniyar Akishev met with the IMF Deputy Managing Director Mr. Zhang, the IMF Middle East and Central Asia Department`s Director Mr. Jihad Azour and with Mr. Miroslaw Panek, the Executive Director of the IMF Constituency, the Republic of Kazakhstan being a member therein.

During these meetings parties held discussions on general issues of cooperation, exchanged views on the current situation in the financial markets and discussed the IMF Regional Conference for the Caucasus and Central Asia countries which will be held on May 16, 2018 in Astana in the framework of the XI Astana Economic Forum.

The delegation of the National Bank has also participated at the Plenary Session of the International Monetary and Finance Committee, the Traditional meeting of the Ministers of Finance and Central Bank governors of the states of Caucasus and Central Asia, the presentation of the IMF Regional Economic Outlook: Middle East and Central Asia.

These meetings are held on an annual basis and proved to be an efficient discussion platform for the central banks` governors and executives of the international financial organizations by offering an opportunity to deliberate on the major economies` development and other issues of regional and global dimension.

The National Bank is involved in the Spring Meetings every year with a view to exchange opinions on key matters related to the near-abroad and far-abroad central banks` operations, the latter entering into close interaction and extending cooperation with the world financial institutions.

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