



**To the participants
of the 2nd Eurasian Conference and Symposium
RISK-2020**

The accelerated global development of science and technology, the creation and operation of new facilities and life-support infrastructures is associated with the general contradiction between the achieved pace of the development and the ability of mankind to predict, prevent and counteract the growing threats.

This contradiction can only be resolved through the analysis, regulation, management and reduction of anthropogenic, man-made and natural risks. The sustainable development of a person, society, technosphere and natural environment may only be achieved when they function together staying in the range of acceptable risks.

The basis of such approach to ensuring life support was laid at the I Eurasian Conference RISK-2019 that was held in Baku (Azerbaijan). Please allow me to express the hope that the II Eurasian Conference and Symposium RISK-2020 in Tbilisi (Georgia) will bring new theoretical knowledge and practical results to all the countries whose experts will make presentations or participate in discussions.

Georgia known for its centuries-old traditions of hospitality, advanced science and culture, will leave not only good memories of its nature, people and specialists but will also contribute to development of the agenda of the next III Eurasian Conference RISK - 2021.

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