**ON THE START OF THE OPEN INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION**

**FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF CONCEPT DESIGN**

**OF THE CATHEDRAL MOSQUE OF KAZAN AND SURROUNDING AREA**

On April 1, on the eve of the first day of the Ramadan holy month, at a briefing to be held in the building of Tatmedia JSC, the Open International Competition for the Development of Concept Design of the Cathedral Mosque of Kazan for 10,000 visitors will be launched. It is expected that the laying of the first stone will take place in May as part of the events dedicated to the 1100th anniversary of the adoption of Islam by the Volga Bulgaria.

Both Russian and foreign companies can participate in the Competition. Applicants can unite in creative groups. The involvement of professional teams from the Republic of Tatarstan is welcomed.

Competitive works will be held until **July 6, 2022.**

The winner will be announced **on July 8, 2022.**

To participate in the competition, no later than **April 15, 2022,** fill out and send an application to: **submission@igelek.tatar**

The competition will consider the UNESCO Recommendations concerning international competitions in architecture and urban planning.

**Competition schedule.**

**On April 1, 2022** is the beginning of call for applications for participation in the Competition

**On April 15, 2022** - application deadline

**On April 18, 2022** - meeting of the Competition Commission for the selection of finalists

**On May 9-11, 2022** - seminar for Finalists

**On July 1, 2022** - deadline for Competitive Proposals accepting

**On July 6, 2022** - meeting of the Jury to select the Winner

**On July 8, 2022** - announcement of the Competition Winner.

The winner will be recognized as the author of the best competition proposal, selected by a vote of the competition Jury. Following the results of the Jury meeting, the Winner and two finalists will be paid in the appropriate amount:

* The first place – **2,500,000 rubles;**
* The second place – **1,000,000 rubles;**
* The third place – **500,000 rubles.**