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Involvement of student volunteers in the organization of I European Games to be held from June 12 to June 28 in the Baku and other related issues have been discussed in the meeting.

Stressing historical importance of I European Games to be organized in the Azerbaijan, Mikayil Jabbarov minister of education stated that, main part of successful organization of the games belong to the the volunteers. Students have a special role related to this matter. Involvement of the student volunteers in organization of large-scale events in the different countries of world and coordination of this work play significant role. Representing public interests, this activity is useful for the students to develop their skills, obtain work experience, be acquainted with new people.

Minister stated that, there is a tradition on involvement of the volunteers in the international events regularly organized in the Azerbaijan. To benefit this experience during I European Games, as well as coordination of voluntary activity are important issues.

Leaders of higher educational institutions who made a speech in the meeting pointed that, there is a great interest to participation of the students in the I European Games as volunteer.

Volunteer students will be trained and be divided into 3 groups conditionally according to participation time, duty functions and service places. The first group will take part in the opening ceremony on June 12 and closing ceremony on June 28. Usage of second group's support is envisaged during European Games entirely from June 1 till June 30. The third group will join in the preparation works.

Coordinating representative will be appointed in the educational institutions in order to ensure interaction with Operation Committee on Baku European Games (OCBEG) and coordination of this activity.

It should be noted that I European Games is multi-sport event for the athletes from 49 countries that surround this continent and will be held first time in every four years. Azerbaijan is entitled to organize I European Games.