

## ЖЕНЩИНЫ В УПРАВЛЕНИИ И ПОЛИТИКЕ WOMEN IN POLITICS AND MANAGEMENT

Работа посвящена теме женщин в политике. В последнее время количество женщин, занимающих высокие правительственные посты в самых разных странах мира, возросло, и в процессе работы над исследованием были выделены причины этого явления, в частности, определены некоторые сугубо женские качества характера, позволяющие им добиваться успеха в сфере государственного управления.

Recently the number of women in the field of management and politics has increased. In early days women were far from the sphere of politics, but during the centuries the situation has been changing, and in the world history there have been many famous women-politicians (Cleopatra, Elizabeth the Great, Margaret Thatcher etc.). And now many countries have got women as the president or the Prime-Minister. Women have some features of character, which make them so different from men-politicians.

Deputy Dmitry Vydrin in his article "Women, glamour and politics" states that nowadays modern political system has grown to the state when two main women's qualities become necessary [1]. Using these qualities, women can overcome any man, even if he is one of the best politicians.

The first quality is that they have inborn wisdom and centuries-long experience, therefore women never admit anything even if they are under the pressure of facts and arguments. The Deputy proves that any woman is sinless, faultless and pious. Speaking about women in politics, he mentions that they also have a wonderful skill of making everyone but themselves be guilty for their own sins. Moreover, they can blame the whole world for their own casual mistakes.

Speaking about another special women's feature, which makes them absolutely invincible, Vydrin says that today women-politicians understand the main thing that glamour and policy are almost the same. The difference is negligible: glamour is exaggerated consumption, and politics is an exaggerated promise. Therefore, only that person, who can easily, naturally and presentably consume will be able to promise easily, naturally and presentably as well.

These features helped some women to get high positions. For example, there were some changes in the Russian government not long time ago. Tatiana Golikova became the head of Public Health and Social Development Ministry on September 24, 2007. She was the Deputy Minister of Finance. In the past she was in charge of the elaboration of the country's budget. For this work she was awarded with an order for 'Service to the Motherland'. Elvira Nabiullina became the head of the Economic Development Ministry. At first she worked as the assistant chief of Economic Reforms Department, later she became the head of this department [2]. Yulia Timoshenko is the most famous Ukrainian politician, the leader of block 'BYuT' and one of the leaders of "the Orange Revolution". After the last elections, she became the most successful politician. Her block won the number of voices almost twice as large as at the previous elections. In 2005 Timoshenko became The Prime Minister. Angela Merkel, the famous German politician and the leader of HDS, became the Federal Chancellor in 2005, when her block won the elections.

Nowadays the number of women in politics is increasing. But, despite this fact, the word "woman-politician" still sounds unusual for the greatest part of people. The reason is that people's views are changing slower than the situation in politics, and it is difficult for many people to get used to the active role of women, who won the right to vote only some decades ago.

In the future the role of women in politics is going to increase. It is natural, because in modern life a woman has ceased to be just a housewife. The main thing is that they do not only take part

in political life, but also have tremendous influence on national progress.

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