

Executive summary of the report on the state of conservation of Mausoleum of Khoja Ahmed Yasawi (Kazakhstan) (C 1103) submitted in accordance with the WHC decision 37 COM 7 B. 64

Section I paragraph 1 of the report presents the following materials:

a) Drawings of the new mosque: layout of the new mosque relative to Mausoleum of Khoja Ahmed Yasawi; size of the construction platform of the new mosque; General plan of the new mosque; improvement plan; grid layout plan; summary plan of engineering lines; second floor plan; section A-A; section D-D.

b) Final document of the Round table "Safety conditions of the Mausoleum of Khoja Ahmed Yasawi" (December 9-10, Turkestan, Republic of Kazakhstan).

c) The General plan of the city of Turkestan and attached documents: "Resolution of the government of the RK "On the General plan of the city of Turkestan, South Kazakhstan region" dated June 30, 2011 and the General plan of the city of Turkestan; main conventional signs; document "On the restriction of height of construction behind the buffer zone (not higher than 2-3 floors)" signed by the chief architect of Turkestan city A.G. Bobeev; Act concerning the construction project of a new mosque on 2000 places; letter of Minister M.A. Kul-Muhammed about the change of height of mosque minarets.

Section I paragraph 2 provides information that, according to the General plan confirmed by the governmental order, those civil works that are not a part of the preservation of monuments are not planned in a buffer zone.

Section I paragraph 3 of the report presents the following materials: the approved Management Plan (MP) - Brief Summary of the 5-year Management Plan (2014–2018) and Action Plan for Preservation and Use of the Mausoleum of Khoja Ahmed Yasawi and Other Properties of the Architectural and Archaeological Site of Ancient Turkestan in 2014–2018.

Section II gives brief information on the present condition of the Mausoleum of Khoja Ahmed Yasawi in 2013 and a summary of records of the meetings held in 2010-2013 by the Committee on Restoration and Conservation of the Mausoleum of Khoja Ahmed Yasawi.

Section III gives information on the buffer zone of the Mausoleum of Khoja Ahmed Yasawi: archaeological excavations and reconstruction works implemented and planned in 2009-2014; information on restoration, conservation and preservation of monuments and sites under implementation of the Republican State Enterprise "Kazrestavratziya" on the territory of the protection zone of the Mausoleum of Khoja Ahmed Yasawi in Turkestan city; decision "On approving of the borders of regulated construction areas, of protected natural landscape of historical and cultural monuments, of national significance located at the territory of Turkestan" made on the May 15, 2013; aerial photo-map with borders of a buffer zone and additional protection zones of the Mausoleum of Khoja Ahmed Yasawi.