

ARMAN SHAKKALIEV**MINISTER FOR COMPETITION AND ANTITRUST REGULATION OF THE EURASIAN ECONOMIC UNION**

He was born on December 1, 1977, in Balkhash, Karaganda Region.

In 1998, he graduated from L.N. Gumilyov Eurasian University, specialty "Jurisprudence".

In 2004, he graduated from E.A. Buketov Karaganda State University, specialty "Economics".

He holds a Master's degree in Economics from the Diplomatic Academy of the Russian Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

He is a Corresponding Member of the International Academy of Engineering.

Over the years, he held senior positions in the Ministries of Finance, Economy and Budget Planning of the Republic of Kazakhstan.

Then he continued working in the technical regulation system:

- In 2008-2016 he was Director of the Kazakhstan Institute of Standardization and Certification.
- In 2016-2018 he was Director of Technical Regulation and Accreditation Department of the Eurasian Economic Commission.
- From 2018 to September 2020, he was the Chairman of Technical Regulation and Metrology Committee at the Ministry of Investment and Development and the Ministry of Trade and Integration of the Republic of Kazakhstan.

On November 6, 2020, by Decision of the Supreme Eurasian Economic Council he was appointed Member of the Board – EEC Minister in charge of Competition and Antitrust Regulation.

He is married and has five children.