

## Academician Isa Habibbayli

## Interview by Academician Isa Habibbayli to "Yeni Safak" newspaper

ANAS First Vice-President, MP, Academician Isa Habibbayli within the glorious victory gave an extensive interview to the Turkish newspaper "Yeni Safak" entitled "Nakhchivan Corridor - New Silk Road". The interview was published in both print and electronic versions of the newspaper. Academician Isa Habibbeyli gave information on the recent history of Karabakh, the settlement of Armenians there in the early 19th century, the essence of the Nagorno-Karabakh Autonomous Region, artificially created by the Bolshevik government in 1923. He stressed that the victory led by Supreme Commander-in-Chief Ilham Aliyev is one of the most glorious events in the history of Azerbaijan.

Academician Isa Habibbeyli noted that the Azerbaijani-Turkish unity and brotherhood have reached an unshakable level, which can serve as an example for the history of mankind in the Great Patriotic War. Calling the corridor to Nakhichevan a new Silk Road for Azerbaijan and Turkey, Academician Isa Habibbeyli emphasized the strategic importance of this road. At the same time, the creation of the Nakhichevan transport corridor means the introduction of Azerbaijani-Turkish relations, additional opportunities for international cargo and passenger transportation. The beginning of the construction of the Baku-Tbilisi-Kars railway from Kars to Igdir and Sadarak-Diluju to Nakhichevan, which has been on the agenda for a long time, shows that the Nakhichevan corridor will open the way not only to fraternal Turkey, but also to Europe.