

“The Political and Administrative Borders Changing of Georgia based on “The map of the Republic of Georgia” compiled by Ivane Javakhishvili in 1922

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Annotation

The work considers “The Political and Administrative Borders Changing of Georgia based on “The map of the Republic of Georgia” compiled by Ivane Javakhishvili in 1922. The study specified the territory and borders of Georgia prior to the Sovietization and after it.

Georgia’s old and new borders marked on the map are of great interest. The new boundary shows the condition of 1922 year, following the Soviet period. Neither on this map not in other works Ivane Javakhishvili talks about what he implies in the old borders, though it is evident that this is the Pre-Soviet boundary until 1921 – i.e. before the period when historical Tao, Zaqatala, Lore , Karaia represented the parts of Georgia.

According to cartometric – geographical terms, the work presents detailed analysis of Georgia’s borders, along with this the comparison of research results has been carried out: 1) At the boundary line on Soviet topographic maps, the maps of 100,000; 50,000 and 25,000 scales are used; 2) According to Ivane Javakhishvili’s work (“The borders of Georgia in terms of historical and contemporary issues”).