

kinds of pressure tactics are used to tie up the enterprises hand and foot, to subordinate their will to diktat. I do not know a single case where the workers' collective has been successful in defending a sensible, economically and technically sound plan. As for the profit it would bring it in; they seize it without offering any explanation.

The integrated enterprises are a step forward in the development of the sector and our economy. However, without support, help and sensible management they will be unable quickly to stand on their own feet and to cross new frontiers. We must take their interests into account and support the new approach in word and deed.

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Some Thoughts on the Restructuring of Forestry

(Interview with Academician A.S. Isaev,
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Q. "Aleksandr Sergeevich, in the course of a speech delivered a year ago at the All-Union Conference on Problems of Forest Utilization, as Chairman of the State Committee on Forestry you delineated a rather broad circle of problems which will have to be solved by forestry in conditions of perestroika."

A. "I anticipate the question: what have we been able to accomplish in the past year? Well, in the first place it was necessary to create a new