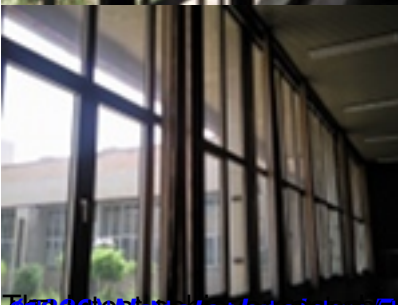
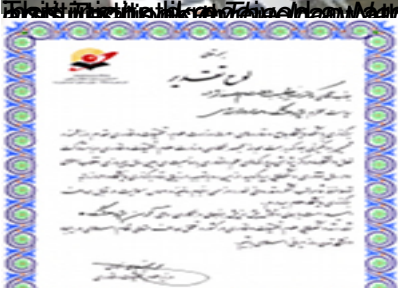




Enhancement of Research Activities at MERC during 9th Government

Four-year term of the **9th government** was accompanied with intense devotion which resulted in advancements of the scientific research institutes like **Materials and Energy Research Center (MERC)**



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