



Supreme Soviet of Ukraine membership badge, pin back, 9th Convocation, #556, 1975.

Silver gilt, enamels; measures 31.6 mm in width, the flagpole is 27.1 mm tall. The reverse shows raised late-style Moscow Mint logo, engraved serial number 556 (corresponding with the electoral district of the member), and raised writing in Ukrainian specifying the IX Convocation (the latter feature is unique to Ukrainian Supreme Soviet badges). This 1975 convocation of the Ukrainian Supreme Soviet had 570 members.

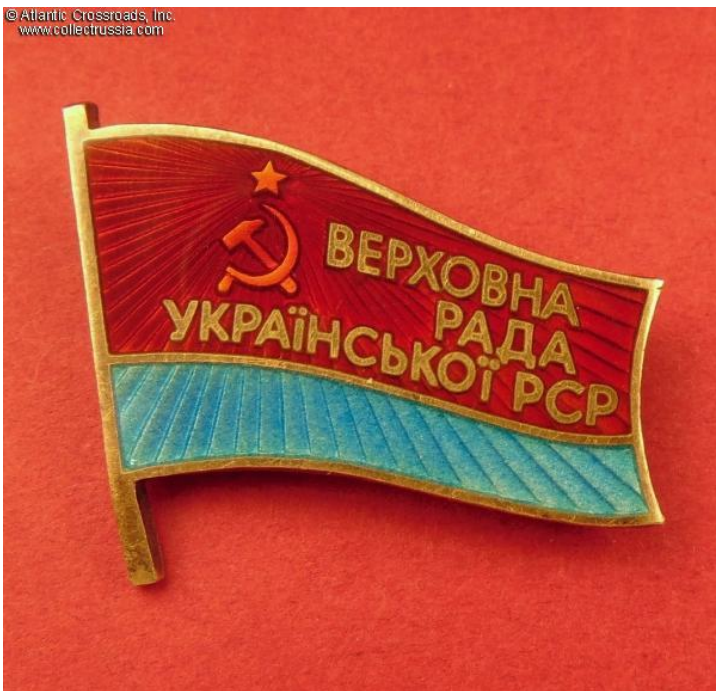
In excellent condition. The enamel is essentially perfect, showing a nice luster and having only some tiny contact marks that are practically unnoticeable to the naked eye. The gilt on the reverse is fully preserved although partly obscured by attractive silver patina. The pin attachment is intact and fully functional.

/See A. Mekhonoshin, Breast Badges of the Highest Offices of Government, 1917-1991, fig. 22.2.5/

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