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United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change Conference of the Parties 29 Kyrgyzstan: Sustainable Development of Mountainous Areas Pavilion (F8, Blue Zone) Side Event "Climate risk management for disaster resilience of rural communities"

November 16, 2024, Baku, Azerbaijan, 14:00 – 15:15

Online participation: To participate online, please register using the following link: <u>link</u> After registering, you will receive a confirmation email with details on how to access the conference. Registration is required only once, and the provided link will grant you access to all events at the Pavilion "Kyrgyzstan: Sustainable Mountain Development" throughout its entire duration November 13-21, 2024.

Concept Note

The Cabinet of Ministers of the Kyrgyz Republic, through the Ministry of Emergency Situations, is implementing a targeted policy for climate change adaptation and mitigation. Special attention is given to understanding disaster risk and the vulnerability of the local population in order to develop more effective policies and practical measures for climate change adaptation and mitigation. This understanding not only allows for more accurate prioritization of actions, but also provides more sustainable and targeted support to the most vulnerable population.

The Kyrgyz Republic deploys a comprehensive approach to climate risk management, which includes (1) activities aimed at improving understanding and assessment of risk, modelling and implementation of risk management methods both at the level of strategic planning and budgeting and in practical measures at the local level, (2) integrating anticipatory action practices into local disaster preparedness and response systems to reduce the humanitarian impacts of forecasted hazards before they occur, or before their most acute impacts are felt, with particular attention to vulnerable populations, which also partly meets the objectives of a shock-responsive social protection system, and (3) development of a system for monitoring, analysis and visualization of climatic and environmental hazards.

The United Nations World Food Programme, with support from the Government of Switzerland, is providing technical assistance to the Ministry of Emergency Situations of the

Kyrgyz Republic to strengthen climate risk management and develop analyses and tools that enable decision-makers to better target their responses, improve disaster preparedness, and enhance response planning and climate adaptation.

On November 16, 2024 in the pavilion of the Kyrgyz Republic, the Ministry of Emergency Situations of the Kyrgyz Republic will present information and share experience in adapting the localized index-based disaster risk assessment model and its implementation in the climate risk management system and the integration of anticipatory action practices into local disaster preparedness and response systems.

Venue: Pavilion "Kyrgyzstan: Sustainable Development of Mountainous Areas" (F8, Blue Zone) Blue Zone COP29 UNFCCC, Baku Stadium, Azerbaijan

Key Speakers:



Daur Sakyev, Head of Department on analysis and forecasting of the Department of Monitoring and Forecasting at the Ministry of Emergency Situations of the Kyrgyz Republic



Madina Amanova, Deputy Head of Department on analysis and forecasting of the Department of Monitoring and Forecasting at the Ministry of Emergency Situations of the Kyrgyz Republic



Sergey Makarov Programme Director Climate risk management in Central Asia Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH German Corporation for International Cooperation

Time	Activity	Presenter(s)
14.00	Opening speech	Deputy Minister of Emergency Situations of the Kyrgyz Republic
14.10	Moderator	Vladimir Grebnev, Regional Climate Change Specialist, Regional Environmental Centre for Central Asia
14.20	Adapting the localised, index-based disaster risk assessment model into National Disaster Risk Management Frameworks for enhanced strategic planning and building resilience	Daur Sakyev, Head of Department on analysis and forecasting of the Department of Monitoring and Forecasting at the Ministry of Emergency Situations of the Kyrgyz Republic
14.30	Anticipatory Actions: From response to disaster risk mitigation	Madina Amanova, Deputy Head of Department on analysis and forecasting of the Department of Monitoring and Forecasting of the Ministry of Emergency Situations of the Kyrgyz Republic
14.40	Video demonstration - gabion production workshop	
14.45	Approaches and results of climate risk assessment in selected transboundary basins of Central Asia	Sergey Makarov Climate risk management in Central Asia Programme Director Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH/ German Corporation for International Cooperation
15.00	Discussion	Moderator: Vladimir Grebnev
15.15	Closing remarks	Deputy Minister of Emergency Situations of the Kyrgyz Republic