



8th Session of the
**MEETING OF THE PARTIES
TO THE WATER CONVENTION**
10-12 OCTOBER 2018 | ASTANA | KAZAKHSTAN

Side event

OUTCOMES OF THE SUMMIT OF THE HEADS OF CENTRAL ASIAN STATES: PRACTICAL SOLUTIONS AND PERSPECTIVES FOR REGIONAL COOPERATION

**THURSDAY, 11 October | 13:30 – 14:25 | Main Room n°4
(English--Russian)**



Representatives of UN structural units, international and regional organizations, financial institutions and representatives of state bodies of Central Asian states who participate in the Meeting of the parties to the Water Convention shall attend the side event organized by EB IFAS. The guests of the side event shall have the opportunity to visit photo-exhibition showing the Aral Sea region from various aspects including socio-economic and environment. In addition to the photo-exhibition the visitors can watch video clips exploring new challenges in saving the Aral Sea.

Convenor: The International Fund for saving the Aral Sea

Programme

13.15 – 13.30 Registration of participants

**Moderator Mr. Bolat Bekniyaz,
Director of the Executive Board of
IFAS in RK**

**13.30 – 13.35 Welcoming speech Mr.
Gyuzgeldy Baydzhannov, Chairman of
the Executive Committee of IFAS**

**13.35 – 13.40 Address of the
representative of the Republic of
Kazakhstan delegation**

**13.40 – 13.45 Address of the
representative of the Kyrgyz Republic
delegation**

**13.45 – 13.50 Address of the
representative of the Republic of
Tajikistan delegation**

**13.50 – 13.55 Address of the
representative of the Turkmenistan
delegation**

**13.55 – 14.00 Address of the
representative of the Republic of
Uzbekistan delegation**

**14.00 – 14.05 Ms. Dinara Ziganshina –
Deputy Director of SIC ICWC
14.05 – 14.10 Mr. Batyr Mamedov –
Head of the Secretariat ICSD
(Ashkhabad)**

**14.10 – 14.15 Mr. Iskandar Abdullayev
– Director of the Regional
Environmental Centre for Central
Asia**

**14.15 – 14.25 Summarizing the
outcomes**

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