

On-site training and evaluation workshop on strengthening the safety and governance of mine tailings in Central Asia

- Implemented under the UNECE Project to strengthen the safety of mining operations, in particular tailings management facilities (TMFs), in Tajikistan and Central Asia and the UNECE Project on supporting countries of Central Asia in strengthening the safety of mine tailings –

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Draft updated self-assessment and action plan by Tajikistan to integrate tailings/Natech risks and update on the progress made with establishing the inter-institutional working group on tailings safety and the prevention of accidental water pollution

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Stages of consideration of the current legislation of the Republic of Tajikistan in the field of industrial safety regulation :

1. Constitutional norms.

2. Legislative acts adopted by the Majlisi Oli (the Parliament consists of two Majlises: the Majlisi Mili and the Majlisi Namoyandagon).

3. Regulatory legal acts adopted in accordance with the competence of the Government of the Republic of Tajikistan, ministries and departments.

4. Ensuring the effective implementation of laws, resolutions of the Majlisi Milli and Majlisi Namoyandagon, decrees and orders of the President are entrusted to the Government and, accordingly, are distributed among the members of the government: ministries, state committees

Objectives of the current laws and other regulatory legal acts of the Republic of Tajikistan related to industrial safety

In the Republic of Tajikistan, the basic law that regulates the legal, economic and social foundations for ensuring the safe operation of hazardous production facilities is:



The Law of the Republic of Tajikistan "On Industrial safety of hazardous production facilities". (adopted in 2004, updated in 2005, 2007, 2008, and 2020.)

According to this Law, all hazardous production facilities are subject to accounting by registration in the State Register

Registration is made for the **purpose of:**

- assigning the object the status of an industrial object of high risk, entailing the presentation of industrial safety requirements to this object

-registration of hazardous production facilities with subsequent supervision of compliance with the requirements of industrial safety of the organization of industrial supervision

-system analysis of the state of industrial safety at registered facilities and in organizations operating these facilities, for making management decisions and regulations based on them

- providing information about hazardous production facilities and organizations operating the facilities to public authorities and management, as well as to interested organizations.

State Supervision Service for the Safe Conduct of Work in Industry and Mining Supervision under the Government of the Republic of Tajikistan

a specially authorized state body in the field of industrial safety for the purpose of implementing the state policy in the field of industrial safety



An important factor in ensuring industrial safety is the international agreements recognized by the republic in the field of safety of hazardous production facilities.

International legal acts in the field of industrial safety, which are of a bilateral nature, include such agreements as:

- Agreement between the CIS countries on cooperation in the field of prevention and elimination of consequences of natural and Man-made Emergencies(1993).
- Agreement between the CIS countries on cooperation in the field of industrial safety at hazardous production facilities (2001). On the basis of this Agreement, the Interstate Council for Industrial Safety was established, which is held annually in different member countries of the Council.
- Resolution of the Government of the Republic of Tajikistan "On the accession of the Republic of Tajikistan to the International Civil Defense Organization", dated July 15, 1997 No. 299.

The Republic of Tajikistan has signed a number of international agreements on waste management.

The Agreement "On the control of the transboundary movement of hazardous and other wastes", signed between the member states of the Commonwealth of Independent States on April 12, 1996 in Moscow.

According to this Agreement, the parties agreed to take measures to:

- management and control of import (export) or transit of hazardous and other wastes;
- to ensure the environmental safety of the transboundary movement of hazardous and other wastes, as well as to promote;
- interaction between the authorities responsible for their transportation;
- taking timely measures to respond to situations that may arise during the transportation of hazardous and other waste;
- exchange of information on the development and implementation of low-waste technologies and the minimization of such waste;
- conducting an assessment of the effectiveness for the environment of agreements and contracts on the transport of hazardous and other waste;
- monitoring compliance with the rules and regulations on the transboundary movement of hazardous wastes and their disposal;

Crisis Management Center

The Crisis Management Center of the Committee on Emergency Situations and Civil Defense under the Government of the Republic of Tajikistan was established in 1993 as a Republican Center on the basis of the Civil Defense Department, and then in 2000 the Republican Center was transformed into the Crisis Management Center of the Committee on Emergency Situations and Civil Defense under the Government of the Republic of Tajikistan.



To provide mutual assistance in emergency situations, the Republic of Tajikistan is guided by the following international treaties:

- Agreement between the Governments of the CIS member States on cooperation in the field of prevention and elimination of consequences of Natural and Man-made emergencies;
- Pursuant to the Agreement between the Governments of the Republic of Kazakhstan, the Kyrgyz Republic, and the Republic of Tajikistan on the establishment of the Central Asian Center for Emergency Response and Disaster Risk Reduction, the Central Asian Center for Disaster Response between the Kyrgyz Republic, the Republic of Tajikistan, and the Republic of Kazakhstan operates;
- Agreement between the Governments of the member States of **the Shanghai Cooperation Organization** on Cooperation in Providing Assistance in Emergency Situations;
- Agreement between the Republic of Kazakhstan, the Kyrgyz Republic, the Republic of Tajikistan and the Republic of Uzbekistan **on cooperation in the field of emergency prevention and response**;
- Protocol of the bilateral meeting **on strengthening cross-border cooperation on emergency preparedness and response** between the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan and the Republic of Tajikistan;









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Thanks for the attention!

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