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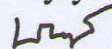
Subject/Object: Subsidiary Body on Implementation (SBI)

Dear Ms. Christiana Figueres,

Please, find in the attachment **the information about activities of Republic of Uzbekistan in the framework of Kyoto protocol** which is being implemented in accordance with Decision 29/CMP.1 (FCCC/KP/CMP/2006/10/Add.1, Decision 6/CMP.2, paragraph 1(a) and (b)) and reports of the relevant organizations of private sector on their support to implementation in the framework of adopted decision 29/CMP.1 following the national priorities and knowledge of the relevant national mandates according to point 18 of Summary table of presentation of information and opinions from Parties requested by the bodies of UN FCCC and Kyoto Protocol as for 2011.

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Sincerely yours



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Information about activities of Republic of Uzbekistan in the framework of Kyoto Protocol

Republic of Uzbekistan supports the initiatives of Secretariat aimed at capacity building in the framework of Kyoto Protocol and facilitates the presentation of information about activities undertaken on supporting this process.

In Republic of Uzbekistan in pursuance of Decision 29/CMP.1 the activities on capacity building according to Kyoto Protocol is implemented on regular basis in the result of which definite success is reached:

- Technological needs in the field of reduction of GHG emission were assessed to substantial degree;
- National strategy aimed at reduction of GHG emission was elaborated;
- Practical experience in the field of setup of institutional capacity for implementation of Kyoto Protocol was obtained;
- The platform of capacity building for implementation of state inventory of GHG on regular base is being strengthened;
- The capacity for mitigation in different sectors of economy for advancement of ecologically sound technologies, practice and processes facilitating sustainable development and reduction of GHG emission was assessed;
- Study and elaboration of national policies and measures facilitating reduction of GHG emission is carried out;
- National body on CDM projects carries out the intensive activities;
- The activities on the elaboration of legislative normative acts which will be presented to the companies implementing investment CDM projects, additional benefits and preferences is implemented;
- Development of market mechanisms of regulation of GHG emissions is being realized;
- Development of studies in the area of climate mitigation is being performed;

Main needs and gaps are defined:

- Limited access to statistical information, absence of information on the results of implementation of mitigation for different categories of sources;
- Absence of the long-term forecast for GHG emission for different scenarios of development of economy of Uzbekistan, complex research studies on the problems of mitigation;
- Lack of attention of decision-makers to the issues of reduction and increase of GHG sinks;

- Need in the new National strategy for mitigation and action plan for its realization;
- Higher modernization and technical updating of power sector;
- Setup of legal and institutional framework for the establishment of carbon financing according to Kyoto Protocol;
- Formation of national capacity for identification, Implementation and mobilization of resources for the projects on GHG reduction appropriate for CDM and other mechanisms of the carbon market;
- Improvement of national legislation on standards and normatives in the field of mitigation.

Currently, in the Executive Council of UN FCCC 11 projects of Clean Development Mechanism from the Republic of Uzbekistan with the total planned emission reduction 4 mln. 402 thous. tons of CO²-equivalent per year were registered. Realization of CDM projects is under permanent control and overall support from the part of Government of Uzbekistan and National body of CDM.

The implemented CDM projects are mainly aimed at:

- Reduction of emissions formed in the oil-and-gas sector, in “domestic wastes” sector, in the process of chemical and industrial production in the process of chemical and industrial production, construction, etc.;
- Rising of energy production;
- Realization of projects related to renewable energy sources;
- Introduction of bio-and-gas technologies.

Emission assessments in the framework of Third national inventory will be conducted for 1990-2010 including basic years 1990 and 2000 and for the last inventory period – 2010.

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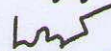
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Dear Ms. Christiana Figueres,

Please, find attached **the information about activities of Republic of Uzbekistan on capacity building in the framework of Convention** which is being implemented in accordance with Decisions 2/CP.7 and 2/CP.10 (FCCC/CP/2006/5/Add.1, Decision 4/CP.12, paragraph 1(a)) and includes such elements as the needs, gaps and learned lessons of subsidiary bodies following point 17 of Summary table of presentation of information and opinions from the Parties requested by the bodies of UN FCCC and Kyoto Protocol as for 2011.

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Information about activities of Republic of Uzbekistan on capacity building in the framework of Convention

Republic of Uzbekistan supports initiatives of Secretariat aimed at capacity building in the framework of Convention and actively facilitates the assessment of the reached progress, definition of the gaps and efficiency of the implementation of framework for capacity building.

In Republic of Uzbekistan in pursuance of Decisions 2/CP.7 and 2/CP.10 the activities on capacity building are being implemented according to Convention on regular basis in the result of which the definite success is reached:

- Strengthening of institutional and professional development;
- Setup of platform for implementation of state inventory of GHG on regular basis;
- Assessment of vulnerability of priority sectors of economy, selection of adequate adaptation measures;
- Study and elaboration of national policies and measures facilitating adaptation and climate change;
- Activities on integration of climate change to the plans of national development;
- The Uzbekistan is on the first place in region on realization of CDM-projects
- Setup of a platform for capacity building in the field of preparation of National Communications in accordance with relevant guidelines of UN FCCC and Conference of Parties;
- development of studies in the area of climate change;
- implementation of activities implying the preservation, reconstruction and development of hydrological and meteorological network of Uzbekistan;
- intensive activities on the rise of education level, public awareness ob the issues of climate change and negative consequences.

The main needs and gaps are defined by the following directions:

- formation of status of the climate change problem as priority in the framework of national political, economical and educational programs;
- strengthening the relationships among the ministries of education, non-governmental organizations and state agencies related to the issues of environment protection;
- rise of the level of understanding of climate change problems among the decision makers and policy-makers;
- organization of systematic training of specialists in the field of the up-to-date methods and approaches to the assessment of negative consequences of climate change in different sectors;
- organization of special courses for trainers on the updating of knowledge in the field of climate change;

- inclusion of issues of climate change to curriculum and tutorials of schools, colleges and higher education institutions;
- preparation of the educational, popular science and information material and training aids on the climate change issues in national language;
- rise of the use and attraction of attention to the climate change problem from the part of mass media;
- development of regional cooperation on the issues of education, training of personnel and public awareness among the interested governmental and non-governmental organizations of Central Asian countries;
- development of the single regional information network on the issues of climate change between Central Asian countries.

On the base of the platform established in the framework of preparation of the Second National Communication the preliminary activities on implementation of the Third National Communication (TNC) are being conducted.

Capacity building in the field of preparation of TNC will be carried out in accordance with relevant guidelines of UN FCCC and Conference of Parties. This Communication will be used as the source of information in elaboration of national policies and measures in the field of climate change as be applied in elaboration of measures in the area of climate change, as well as be used in elaboration of adaptation and mitigation plans in social-and-economical sectors.

The framework of capacity building in the period of preparation of TNC will be analyzed the range of issues on sector and inter sector levels by the following list of priority fields:

- preparation of plans and programs on climate change;
- implementation of vulnerability assessment and selection of adaptation measures;
- implementation of adaptation measures;
- assessment of realization of mitigation measures;
- technology transfer;
- studies and systematic observations;
- education, training and public awareness.