

**Flash Floods and Mudslide in Kulyab Zone  
Khatlon Province, Tajikistan  
Situation Report № 6  
May 2, 2014**

**Situation Overview**

The affected populations of Shuroobod district, who were relocated to the tent camps of the local boarding school are receiving food assistance from the local authorities, as well as private entrepreneurs, neighboring communities, UN agencies, TRCS and German Red Cross. The Government of Tajikistan is planning to provide land spots for construction of new houses for the families whose houses were destroyed as well as for the families whose households were damaged. At the same time, the Government is considering providing additional land spots for the population of Sarichashma Jamoat, whose households are located in hazard prone areas. The land spots are located within the territory of Sarichashma Jamoat, Shuroobod district.



*Provision of food supply by WFP, Hamadoni and Vose districts, 22-23 April 2014*

**Damage Information**

The information about the damage, including killed people and livestock remain the same as reported in Situation report #5, dated April 30, 2014.

**Situation Overview by Sectors**

Situation overview by sectors remains the same as reported in the last situation report dated April 30, 2014. Key sectors where negative impacts of the event observed remain as: **Shelter, WASH, Health, Food Security, Livelihoods, and Education.**

**Assistance Provided**

As reported in the last situation report dated April 30, 2014 neighboring jamoats and district authorities, including state agencies and private entrepreneurs are providing hot meal and other food supplies for the affected population.

Below is the summary of the assistance provided by the Government, the Tajikistan Red Crescent Society as well as UN agencies.

**Government<sup>1</sup>:**

Item	Unit of measure	Amount
Tents	Piece	60
Wheat Flour	Kg.	300
Sugar	Kg.	150
Rice	Kg.	150
Macaroni	Kg.	90

<sup>1</sup> At the time of reporting, this assistance has been provided to the affected population of Shuroobod district only.

Vegetable oil	Liters	60
Fuel (diesel)	Liters	10,779

**Tajikistan Red Crescent Society:**

Item	Unit of measure	Amount
Matrasses	Piece	60
Bed linen sets	Sets	300
Blankets	Piece	60
Hygiene Kits	Kit	20
Plastic Buckets for Water	Piece	40
Water Cans	Piece	20
Shovels	Piece	40
Hoes	Piece	40
Candles	Piece	100



Provision of food parcels by Tajikistan Red Crescent Society and German Red Cross Representatives, Hamadoni, 30 April, 2014

In addition, TRCS, with financial support of German Red Cross Regional Representation in Central Asia distributed food parcels targeting 192 affected families of Hamadoni, Vose, Kulyab and Muminobod districts. Each parcel provided per family included the below food items:

Item	Unit of measure	Amount
Sugar	Kg.	10
Vegetable Oil	Liters	5
Rice	Kg.	5
Macaroni	Kg.	5
Iodized Salt	Kg.	2
Tea (green and black)	Kg.	2

The distribution of the food parcels was commenced on 30 April, 2014 by the National and local representatives of German Red Cross and TRCS in collaboration with the local authorities, covering affected families of Vose, Hamadoni, Kulyab and Muminobod districts. According to the table below, total of 192 families received food parcels in four districts:

District	Households	Jamoat	Village
Hamadoni	40	Chubek	Chubek
Vose	65	Tugarak	Chordara
Kulyab	60	Zarbdor	Beshtigirmon
Muminobod	27	Balkhobi	Garabara

### UNDP:

UNDP in Tajikistan has provided 1.5 ton of diesel to the local authorities/Committee of Emergency Situations to support debris removal from strategic road to access affected communities in Shuroobod district (Sarichashma). In addition, UNDP released non-food items from the United Nations Emergency Reserve Stock (UNERT) on April 26, 2014. The items indicated below were released and distributed to the affected population of Shuroobod district:

Item	Unit of measure	Amount
Matrasses	Piece	420
Bed linen sets (bedclothes, pillow, blankets)	Sets	420
Hygiene Kits	Kits	30
Cooking utensils	Sets	30
Plastic Buckets for Water	Piece	60
Metal Bucket for Water	Piece	30
Water Cans (plastic)	Piece	60
Wash basins (20 liters)	Piece	30
Tarpaulin	Piece	200
Candles	Piece	240
Rubber boots	Pair	200
Shoes	Pair	200

### UN World Food Programme

Following request of local authorities, UN World Food Programme distributed 37.5 tons of food items (see table below) targeting around 2,312 affected people. The food stocks were distributed to severely affected households of Hamadoni and Vose districts on 22-23 April 2014.

Item	Unit of measure	Amount
Wheat Flour	Tons	32
Vegetable Oil	Tons	1.2
Iodized salt	Tons	0.5
Pulses	Tons	3.8

### Planned actions:

**UNICEF:** As follow up to the response to emergency situation in Shuroobod district, UNICEF together with Tajik National University is planning to provide psycho-social support to the affected children in Sarichashma Jamoat. This planned initiative includes development of the modules to build the capacity of school teachers to improve their skills for rendering the psycho-social support. It also includes rendering psycho-social support directly to children and parents of the Jamoat. Tajik National University will involve professional psychologists to work together for development of the modules using **Inter-agency Standing Committee Guidelines on Mental Health and Psychosocial Support** in Emergency Settings. It is planned that the Tajik National University will coordinate this effort with the COES for better implementation and involvement of relevant stakeholders in place. The planned intervention will be implemented for the period of May- June 2014. More details on the intervention will shared in due time.

**Government:** As mentioned above, the Government is planning to provide land spots for construction of houses for the affected families in Shuroobod. The identified land spots are located in safer locations within the same district. It is reported that each family will receive 0.8 hectares of land spots. The details of the recovery plans of the Government are yet to be obtained. However, according to local COES, in addition to the land spots, initial considerations are being made on provision of construction materials to construct new houses. The construction materials are reported to be provided to the families, whose houses were destroyed, while partial construction assistance is considered to be provided to the families whose houses were considered as partially damaged. More information about the planning on recovery will be provided in due time.

#### Needs Information

No additional information has been received on the needs of the affected population. Key concerns remain the same: **WASH, Non- food Items, Livelihoods, Food Security** and health.

Based on the preliminary information received from the local authorities, **Food** support is identified as the highest priority.

Additional information on the needs of the other affected areas will be reported in due time.

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