



**Project Document UNDP**  
**Country: Republic of Kazakhstan**

**Project name:** **DIPECHO VIII: Strengthening the Resistance of Urban and Rural Communities in South-Eastern Kazakhstan to Seismic Threat**

**UNDAF outcome:** By 2015, communities, and national and local authorities will use more effective mechanisms and partnerships to promote environmental sustainability and enable them to prepare for, and respond and recover from natural and man-made disasters.

**Expected CO outcome:** National authorities and communities are better prepared to respond to natural and man-made disasters.

**Expected output:** Government capacity enhanced in its preparedness for and response to disasters at community level, and in leading and participating in international and regional disaster management partnerships.

**Implementing partner:** The Emergency Situations Committee, of the Ministry of Internal Affairs of the Republic of Kazakhstan (ESC MIA)


**Responsible partner:** UNDP Kazakhstan

Short description:

The primary focus of **DIPECHO VIII: Strengthening the Resistance of Urban and Rural Communities in South-Eastern Kazakhstan to Seismic Threat** is to support and develop innovative approaches to disaster preparedness at local and national level, and to assist the Government of Kazakhstan in strengthening the seismic-risk preparedness system, as well as developing practical methods of involving the public and private sector in seismic-risk management and disaster risk reduction - for nationwide replication by state authorities. This will be achieved through the following activities: 1) strengthening rural and urban communities' preparedness for earthquakes and their involvement in country DRR mechanisms; 2) engaging the private sector in Disaster Risk Management and earthquake preparedness and linking their initiatives with national disaster management authorities; and 3) further replication and integration of achieved results nationally and regionally - within Government programmes and strategies, and in co-operation with other DRR actors.

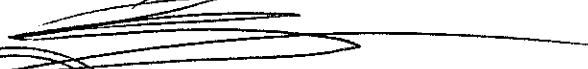
Programme period:	2010-2015	Total budget:	USD499,503
Key result area (Strategic plan)	Environmental sustainability	Total resources required:	USD499,503
Atlas Award ID:	00083224	Total resources allocated:	USD499,503
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Management arrangements:	National (NIM)	o UNDP (parallel)	

Agreed Emergency Situations Committee, MIA RK  
Date:

  
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Agreed by UNDP:  
Date:

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