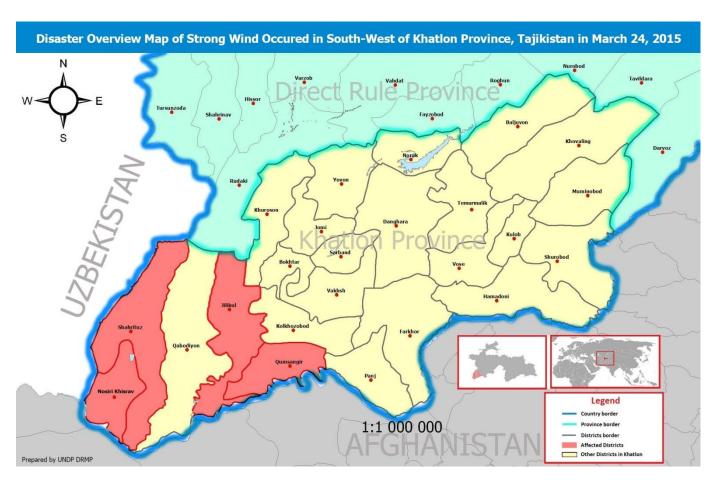


# Strong Wind in South-West of Khatlon Province, Tajikistan Situation Report № 1 March 27, 2015

#### **Situation Overview**

On 24 March, 2015 strong wind affected four districts of south-west of Khatlon Province, which began at 03:30 am and lasting until 6:40 am. Namely Jilikul, Qumsangir, Nosiri Khisrav and Shaartuz districts were hit. Severely affected areas include G. Gulmurod and 20-solagi Istiqloliyati Tojikiston Jamoats of Jilikul district and Firuza Jamoat of Nosiri Khisrav district.



# **Damage Information**

In March 25, 2015 the Commission for Emergency Situations, consisting from the representatives of regional Committee for Emergency Situations (CoES) of Khatlon Province and relevant state agencies and district-level authorities conducted rapid damage and needs assessment. The Red Crescent Society of Tajikistan also conducted needs assessment of the affected area.

The results of preliminary assessment showed that mainly the power transmission poles were collapsed; roofs and windows of private houses and social infrastructure were destroyed. According to the assessment, Jilikul and Nosiri Khisrav districts were identified as the most affected areas. The population in Firuza Jamoat of Nosiri Khisrav district, where the power transmission poles were collapsed, do not have electricity. No human casualties reported.

The information provided in the table below is based on the assessment conducted by the Regional branch of the Committee of Emergency Situations and Civil Defense, and Tajikistan Red Crescent Society.



Affected households	88 (40 in Jilikul jamoat, 14 in Jamoat of 20-solagi Istiqloliyati Tojikiston and 34 in G. Gulmurod jamoat of Jilikul district)
Kindergarten	2 (1 in Firuza Jamoat of Nosiri Khisrav district and 1 in Jilikul Jamoat of Jilikul district)
Schools	23 (4 secondary schools and 1 Volunteer Society for the Promotion of the Army and Navy (DOSAAF) in Firuza jamoat of Nosiri Khisrav district; 16 secondary schools and 1 Technical Lyceum #25 in Jilikul Jamoat of Jilikul district; 1 secondary school in Pyanj jamoat of Qumsangir district)
Social Facilities	5 (local hukumat building in Nosiri Khisrav district, 1 Place of Culture and 3 mosques in Jilikul district)
Power transmission poles	47 poles and 4 kilometers of transmission facilities in Firuza Jamoat of Nosiri Khisrav district



Affected social facility in Nosiri Khisrav district. Photo by CoES, 25 March, 2015



Affected kindergarten in Nosiri Khisrav district. Photo by CoES, 25 March, 2015

#### **Assistance Provided**

#### **Government:**

The local authorities providing support in installment of power transmission poles, in order to provide the affected area with electricity access.

### Non-governmental organizations:

The Red Crescent of Tajikistan mobilized a team to conduct rapid assessment, and based on needs rendering First aid to help affected people in affected area.

# **Needs Information**

According to preliminary information, rehabilitation of the roofs and windows of the houses, education and social facilities in Jilikul and Nosiri Khisrav districts are required.

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