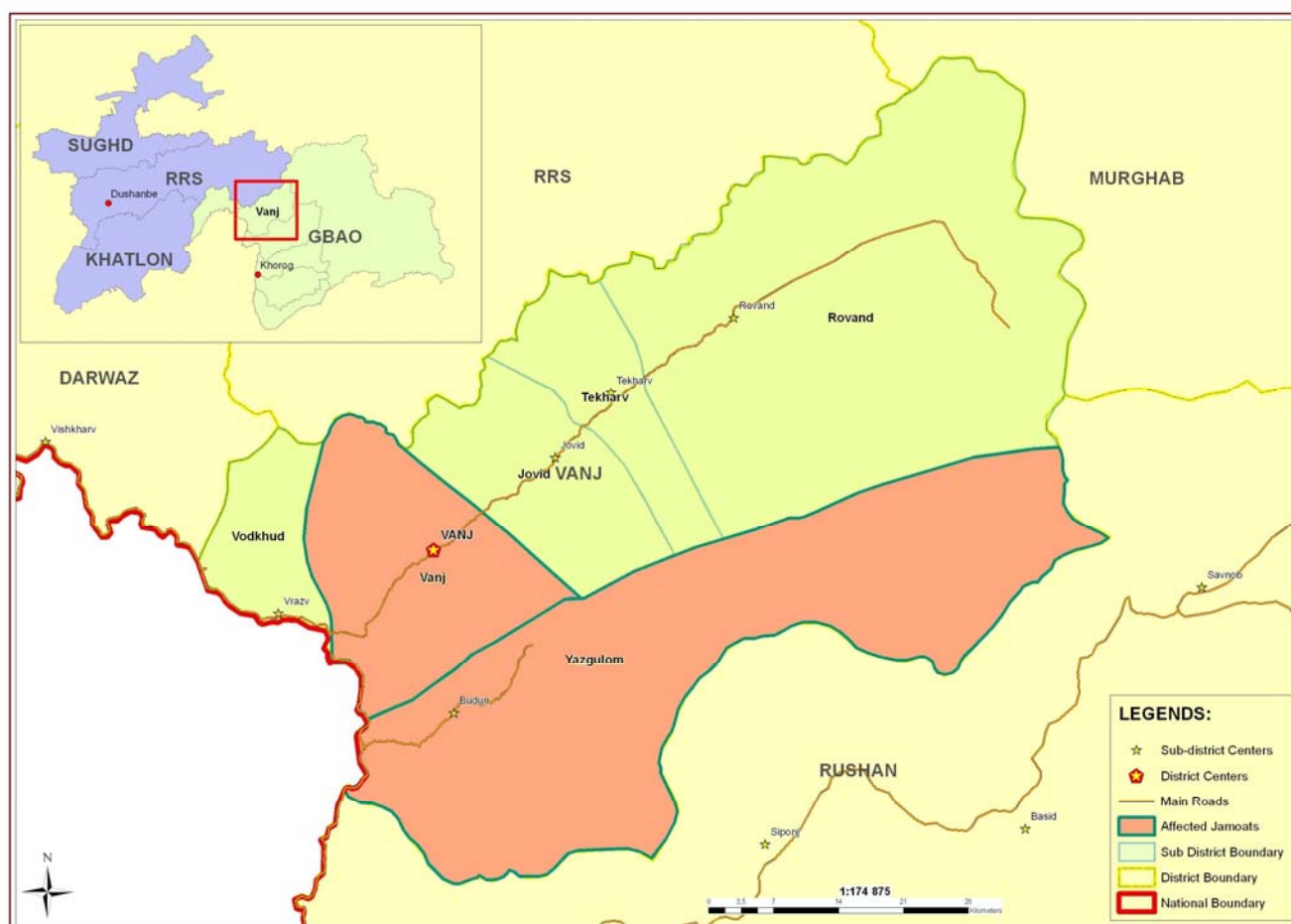


Situation report № 2
05 January 2010

Earthquake in Vanj District, GBAO
Tajikistan



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Situation overview

Damage and needs assessment is still on-going and is being carried out by representatives of Local Disaster Management Commission (LDMC), and number of REACT partners, namely: National Red Crescent Society of Tajikistan (RCST), WFP, FOCUS Humanitarian Assistance and representatives of REACT Secretariat in Dushanbe. Considering the fact that assessment has not been completed so far, figures on damage caused are slightly changing. According to the latest information received from the site, total of 140 houses (with approximately 700 residents) are considered to be fully destroyed. Another 921 homes (with 6215 residents) are partially affected.

Residents of the fully destroyed houses are currently evacuated to local mosques, schools and houses of neighbors and relatives. According to Ministry of Health several medical points, including Vanj Central District Hospital have been damaged, nevertheless are still operational, except of District Health Center (outpatient clinic), which is seriously damaged and non-functional.

Secondary schools # 4, 5 and music school # 1 in Vanj district center have been damaged, however assessments indicated that premises can still be used.

Blocked section of Dushanbe-Khorog road, due to the rockfall has been cleaned and transport communication restored.

Mr. Oqil Oqikov, Prime Minister and Mr. Haibullo Latipov, Chairman of CoES were on sight today coordinating disaster assessment. During the LDMC meeting chaired by Prime Minister a decision was taken that following the completion of the assessment, new land spots will be allocated to families whose houses are fully destroyed.

The LDMC is chaired by District Head, Mr. Jonov Narzullo, and is currently located in the building of the Vanj district Hukumat. All the relevant civil services are currently mobilized and involved in response operations.



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Damage information

#	Description	Quantity	Unit	Comments
1	Fully damaged houses	~ 140	house	~ 700 people
2	Partially damaged houses	921	house	6,215 people
3	Partially damaged medical points	5	building	Currently operational
4	Completely destroyed medical points	1	building	District Health Center
5	Partially damaged schools	3	building	
6	Other administrative & social buildings damaged	30	building	
7	Telephone lines destroyed	2	km	
8	Wire palls destroyed	13	pcs	

Needs Information

On January 4, 2010, Committee of Emergency Situations and Civil Defense has requested assistance in the form of:

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| – Winter tents | 200 pcs |
| – Kitchen sets | 150 set |
| – Hygienic sets | 600 set |
| – Warm clothes | 600 set |
| – Blankets | 600 pcs |
| – Bedding sets (linen, mattresses) | 600 set |
| – Food items : flour, oil, rice, sugar | not specified |

During the meeting of LDMC, chaired by the Prime Minister with the participation of various state and REACT representatives, government strongly requested assistance in reconstruction of homes for families which are left homeless.

Response provided and committed

- Government of Tajikistan has provided 25 MT of basic food commodities: flour (5 MT), rice (5MT), sugar (5MT), macaroni (5MT) and vegetable oil (5MT);
- Red Crescent Society of Tajikistan has distributed 7 spring/autumn tents and 25 sets of non-food items. In addition, tomorrow morning (6 January 2010) following items will be transported from Dushanbe to disaster site:
 - Bedding for 73 families;
 - Winterized tents - 47;
 - Hygiene kits - 73;
 - Kitchen sets – 73;
 - Second Hand clothes;
 - Water cans – 73;
 - Stoves (wood, gas) – 73;
 - Candles – for 73 households;
- 50 winterized tents have been released from UN Emergency Reserve and is expected to reach Vanj on 05 January 2010;
- UNICEF will deliver following items, to disaster site, tomorrow, 6 January 2010:
 - Blankets (baby)– 250 pcs;
 - Blankets (adult) – 250 pcs;
 - High protein biscuits– 250 boxes;
 - Bed linen (adult) – 250 pcs;
 - Bed linen (baby) – 250 pcs;
 - Therapeutic spread – 50 boxes;
 - Basic emergency health kit – 2 units;
 - Water purification tablets – 100 packs;
- GTZ has committed to allocate Euro 10,000 for purchase of relief items. Currently local procurement of relief items is on-going, which are expected to be dispatched on 06 January.



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Аломатҳои шартӣ:

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- The map shows the administrative divisions of Tajikistan. The regions are labeled as follows: Dushanbe (capital), Gorno-Badkhiya Autonomous Oblast (GBAO) in red, Sughd, Northern Tajikistan (NTC), Vajkhanb (VMKB), and Khujand. The GBAO region is highlighted in red.

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Рӯи 2 январи соли 2009 соати 7:15 дар ноҳияи Бамчи Тоҷикистон заминҷунби ба амал омад.
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Ҷамоати Бамч: Усқорғ, Пайш анбеобод, Пиш хун, Даштироғ, Роҳар ва Ҷамағ

Ҷамоати Ябғулум: Андарбағ, Буди, Мотравн, Дашти Ябғулум ва Зайч

Аз он ҷумла зиёда аз 1000 хонаи шахси зарари гуногун дида 98-тои он бо 583 нафар истиқоматкунанда барои зиндагӣ қорношоям гаштаанд. Инчунин 3 мактаби таҳсилоти ҳамагонӣ, 2 дармонгоҳ 30 биноӣ мадани маишӣ, 3,2км роҳи нақлиёт, 2,3км хати алоқа зарар дида, як сар моли қалони шохдор ва 24моли майданӣ шохдор талаф ёфт тааст.

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