National Statistics Committee of Turkmenistan

2022 Population and Housing Census in Turkmenistan

Geneva, 25 September 2018
Based on the Global program of round 2020 Population and Housing Censuses, planned by UN in the period of 2015-2024, and according to the President of Turkmenistan’s Decree #410 “About Complete Population and Housing Census in Turkmenistan in 2022” dated October 25, 2017, Population and Housing Census in Turkmenistan will be conducted 17-27 December of 2022.
At this moment...

- The organizational plan of preparation for the census and its conduction is put together
- Calendar Action Plan for preparing and conducting pilot population census is ready
- Different methods and technologies of data collection and processing, especially with the usage of tablets, have been studied
- Mapping materials of every community are being prepared
- Census program, methodology of conducting and obtaining final results is being developed.

We need...

- To conduct pilot census.
- To carry out activities that will provide full coverage of the population and good quality results, that includes preparing maps and listing of the houses.
- To carry out public awareness campaign.
- To recruit and train census staff.
PREPARATION PERIOD

2018 – 16 December 2022

- Developing laws and regulations
- Developing Program of Census, Program of final results publication, Methodological documents
- Pilot Population Census 2019 - 2021
- Updating information about borders of communities, setting up signage with street names, building, houses and apartments numbers
- Making lists of buildings and organizational plans
- Finding the premises
- Recruiting and training census staff

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17-27 December 2022

- Interviewing the respondents
- Carry out control walk through and collecting enumeration forms and other census materials

PROCESSING RECEIVED DATA, FINAL RESULTS, ITS OFFICIAL PUBLICATION AND DISSEMINATION

January 2023 – December 2024

- Making final count of the census results and its publication
- Getting ready census materials for automated processing
- Automated processing of the materials and summarizing final results of the population census
- Official publication of census final results and its dissemination
- Media support and promotion of census final results
Plan of census staff training for the 2022 Population and Housing Census in Turkmenistan

Central Level

- Central office staff, Chiefs of Statistical Departments in regions and in Ashhabad – up to 60 people
  - Training – through video lessons, dialog-based training.
  - Testing – through computer software

- Representatives of ministries and institutions, responsible for special cohorts – as required

Velayatski region (Regional Level)

- Heads and specialist of the regional statistics bodies and representatives of municipal administration – up to 300 people
  - Training – through video lessons, dialog-based training.
  - Testing – through computer software, promotional materials with tests

- Representatives of local bodies, ministries and institutions, responsible for special cohorts – as required

Etrapski district (District Level)

- Census specialist in districts, cities – up to 300 people;
  - Representatives of local bodies, ministries and institutions, responsible for special cohorts – as required
  - Training – through video lessons, dialog-based training.
  - Testing – through computer software, promotional materials with tests

- Supervisors of census stations – up to 800 people

- Instructors– controllers – up to 4000 people
  - Enumerators– up to 20 000 people
PERIOD OF INTERVIEWING – 11 ДНЕЙ
AVERAGE NORM OF PEOPLE TO INTERVIEW IN THE CITY
FOR ONE ENUMERATOR IS 320, IN THE VILLAGE – 350

TILL DECEMBER 17

PREPARATION PERIOD

Census station supervisor will define lists of houses and dwellings, where people permanently reside, and lists of non-residential premises where they could reside

15-17 DECEMBER

WALK THROUGH OF THE HOUSES

Enumerator is getting familiar with his station’s area

17-27 DECEMBER

INTERVIEWING THE RESPONDENTS

Carried out by the enumerator

28 DECEMBER - 10 JANUARY

CONTROL WALK THROUGH

Carried out by the census station supervisor and instructor-controller to cover 10% of the houses in his station

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EXECUTIVE AUTHORITIES, RESPONSIBLE FOR 2022 POPULATION AND HOUSING CENSUS IN TURKMENISTAN

- Population residing in communities located in open areas: National Statistics Committee of Turkmenistan, Municipal administration, local self-governing bodies
- Special cohorts of population residing in the closed-up areas: Ministries and institutions responsible for special cohorts of population
- Turkmenistan citizens working abroad: Ministry of Internal Affairs of Turkmenistan
Promotion of the Population Census

Promotion of the Population Census includes many types of public awareness campaigns and events, carried out in order to inform people in the country about the goals and tasks of the census and explain its national and global importance.

Set of public awareness events will be carried out by the media, culture and art institutions and NGOs with the active support of central and local governing bodies.
Promotion of the Population Census will include many types of public awareness campaigns and events, such as:

- Competition for designing the best emblem for the population census;
- Competition for developing best slogan for the population census;
- Competition for the best school composition about population census;
- Public Relations Campaign, including round tables, special projects for different target audience and census advocacy meetings explaining different issues and the importance of census results for evaluating long-term development programs and strategies and socio-economical development of Turkmenistan;
- Media campaign (television, radio and periodicals);
- Putting up advertisement posters, banners and pictures, creating means of (calendars, booklets, leaflets, flyers, souvenirs etc.).
Thank you for your attention!