Strategic framework for development in the field of environmental protection of the Kyrgyz Republic

Institutional changes

- 2009 State Agency for Environmental Protection and Forestry under the Government of the Kyrgyz Republic;
- 2020 State Agency for Environmental Protection under the Ministry of Emergency Situations of the Kyrgyz Republic;
- 2021 State Committee on Ecology and Climate of the Kyrgyz Republic;
- 2021 Ministry of Natural Resources, Ecology and Technical Supervision of the Kyrgyz Republic;

- The foundations of the state policy in the field of environmental protection are defined in strategic development documents;
- An institutional and legislative infrastructure for the implementation of an effective environmental policy has been created;
- A number of international agreements (13 conventions) on environmental issues are being implemented.

The strategic framework

National Development Strategy of the Kyrgyz Republic for 2018-2040 (approved by the Decree of the President of the Kyrgyz Republic dated 31.10.2018 PD No. 221)

Environment, adaptation to climate change and disaster risk reduction

In the field of environmental protection, the main policy will be aimed at creating an environment favourable for human life, rational use of natural resources for socio-economic development and preservation of unique ecosystems of the Kyrgyz Republic for future generations.

National Development Programme of the Kyrgyz Republic until 2026 (approved by the Decree of the President of the Kyrgyz Republic dated 12.10.2021 PD No. 435)

Environmental sustainability and climate change

The strategic objective of the state is to create an environment favourable for human life by preserving the unique natural ecosystems of the Kyrgyz Republic and the rational use of natural resources.

Concept of National Security of the Kyrgyz Republic (approved by the Decree of the President of the Kyrgyz Republic dated 20.12.2021 No. 570).
Security in the sphere of ecology

Environmental security as an integral part of national security is a prerequisite for sustainable development of the country and acts as a basis for preserving natural systems and maintaining appropriate environmental quality.

Decree of the President of the Kyrgyz Republic dated 19.03.2021 PD No. 77 "On measures to ensure environmental safety and climate sustainability of the Kyrgyz Republic"

To consider the most important task of state bodies, local self-government bodies, economic entities, public and other organizations, citizens of the Kyrgyz Republic to effectively address the issues of improving the environment, ensuring rational use of natural resources and minimizing the negative consequences of climate change.

- National Adaptation Programme (NAP) for the four main most vulnerable sectors: health, biodiversity conservation, agriculture and irrigation, and emergencies, as well as three local adaptation plans for the southern region of the country
- Strategy and training programmes on climate change adaptation planning for capacity building are being developed
- Vision for a carbon neutral strategy by 2050
- Implementation Plan for Nationally Determined Contributions
- Plan of complex measures to improve the environmental situation in Bishkek city and Sokuluk, Alamudun districts of Chui oblast
- Project on improvement of air quality in Bishkek city

- Programme of Green Economy Development in the Kyrgyz Republic for 2019-2023, analysis was carried out and based on it, the Plan for the implementation of the Programme until 2028 was developed
- New edition of the Law of the Kyrgyz Republic "On Production and Consumption Waste", including principles of extended responsibility of producers for packaging recycling
- National strategy and Action Plan on biodiversity conservation for the next period, preparation of the Seventh Biodiversity Report for the Convention on Biodiversity
- Considering EPR recommendations, resulting in the implementation of EPR recommendations