

STATEMENT OF CONSENT WITH THE THIRD SAKHALIN INDIGENOUS MINORITIES **DEVELOPMENT PLAN**

 b) Социально-экономическое и культурное развитие. Повышение качества жизни и жизнедеятельности коренных малочисленных народов Севера Сахалинской

области путем реализации планов социально-экономического развития,

разработанных с учетом культурных особенностей. Культурное возрождение,

экономическая устойчивость предприятий, осуществляющих традиционное

хозяйствование, и улучшение социальных условий будут рассматриваться как целевые направления для поддержки. Будет сделан акцент на долговременное

с) Подготовка к созданию независимого фонда. Помощь в подготовке коренных

малочисленных народов Севера Сахалинской области к возможному созданию независимого фонда развития коренных малочисленных народов.

d) Раскрытие ииформации о воздействии проекта на окружающую среду.

Обеспечение своевременного, объективного и полного предоставления сообществу коренных малочисленных народов Севера Сахалинской области

информации о существующем и (или) потенциальном воздействии проекта «Сахалин-2» на окружающую среду и о мерах, принимаемых для предотвращения

и (или) минимизации любого возможного негативного воздействия.

виле, в каком они предоставлены нам в ходе данной конференции. Учитывая вышесказанное и принимая во внимание широкую общественную поддержку

По поручению участников конференции данный документ подписывает:

4. Мы одобряем и утверждаем содержание и принципы третьего «Плана содействия развитию коренных малочисленных народов Севера Сахалинской области» в том

выраженную Плану, мы даем наше согласие на реализацию третьего «Плана содействия развитию коренных малочисленных народов Севера Сахалинской области» и подписание трехстороннего соглашения между партнерами.



Заявление о согласии с третьим «Планом солействия развитию коренных малочисленных народов Севера Сахалинской области» (далее – План) и на подписание трехстороннего соглашения для его реализации

Мы, уполномоченные участники конференции от коренных малочисленных народов Севера Сахалинской области, настоящим подтверждаем, что:

- 1. Мы уверены в том, что реализация второго «Плана содействия развитию коренных малочисленных народов Севера Сахалинской области» прошла В ходе строительства и начала производства по проекту «Сахадин-2» негативное
- Несмотря на недочеты, имевшие место в процессе реализации, мы признаем тот сфере развития потенциала.
- 2. Консультации, посвященные содержанию и формату третьего «Плана содействия развитию коренных малочисленных народов Севера Сахалинской области» на 2016 – 2020 годы, были проведены в соответствии с высокими действующими российскими и международными стандартами. Консультации проводились во всех семи районах традиционного проживания и традиционной хозяйственной деятельности коренных малочисленных народов Севера Сахалинской области и включали в себя встречи с местным населением и представителями администраций муниципальных образований. Данные встречи проводились в ходе двух раундов: в периоды февраль 2015 года и октябрь 2015 года. Обсуждения не носили принудительный характер, проводились своевременно, предоставляя нам возможность и время для последующего обсуждения проблемных аспектов, и сопровождались соответствующей информацией тносительно второго и третьего Планов, необходимой нам для формирования нашей собственной независимой оценки Плана.
- 3. Мы осознаем задачи третьего «Плана содействия развитию коренных
- малочисленных народов Севера Сахалинской области»:
 а) Развитие потенциала. Более активное участие коренных малочисленных народов Севера Сахалинской области в управлении своей деятельностью. Развитие потенциала может включать как развитие лидерских качеств и технических
- навыков (например, в области бухгалтерского учета, подготовки отчетов, разработки бюджетов, традиционных видов экономической и культурной деятельности, бизнеса-планирования, получения водительских удостоверений),









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SAKHALIN INDIGENOUS MINORITIES DEVELOPMENT PLAN (SIMDP)









2016-2020

REQUIREMENTS OF INTERNATIONAL STANDARDS: FREE, PRIOR AND INFORMED CONSENT (FPIC)

WORKING GROUP FOR THE SIMDP3

- Nine members, seven of them are SIM representatives

THE FIRST ROUND OF CONSULTATIONS IN THE FRAMEWORK OF SIMDP3 DEVELOPMENT

- All districts of traditional Sakhalin Indigenous Minorities (SIM) residence

FINAL EVALUATION OF SIMDP2

- Participation of an independent expert, sociologist and SIM representative
- Public opinion survey

THE SECOND ROUND OF CONSULTATIONS IN THE FRAMEWORK OF SIMDP3 DEVELOPMENT

- Presentation of draft SIMDP3 in all districts of traditional

SPECIAL SIM CONFERENCE

- 52 delegates from all districts of traditional SIM residence
- Amending and approval of the Plan by majority (29 delegates)

PUBLIC CONSENT (approval)





Мыгун Ф. С.

«26» ноября 2015 г.

полномоченных представителей



SAKHALIN INDIGENOUS MINORITIES (SIM)

Approximately 4,000 representatives of SIM reside on Sakhalin. It is about 0.7% of the island's population. They are representatives of the four main SIM ethnic groups: the Nivkh, the Uilta (Orok), the Evenk and the Nanai.

Seven municipalities of Sakhalin Oblast are officially recognised as the areas of traditional residence and traditional economic activities of the Sakhalin Indigenous Minorities. Okha, Nogliki, Tymovsk, Alexandrovsk-Sakhalinsky, Poronaysk, Smirnykh districts, and the City of Yuzhno-Sakhalinsk.



THE NIVKH (Nivkh means human and Nivkhgu means humans). The Nivkh people live on Sakhalin Island and the lower Amur River (Khabarovsk Krai). The population of the Nivkh in Sakhalin is 3,091. Native language is Nivkh.

THE UILTA (also known as the Orok or Orochens) are among Russia's smallest ethnic minorities, indigenous inhabitants of Sakhalin Island. The population is 430. The minority name Uilta is derived from the word ula, which means a reindeer. Customary economy of the Uilta is multi-sector subsistence farming based on hunting, fishing and reindeer herding. Before the beginning of XXI century they had no written language.

THE NANAI (main self-designation is Nanai, Nani – local, people of this place, earlier Golds). The Sakhalin Nanai people are back-settlers from the Amur. Their population is 205. Main traditional occupations are fishing and hunting.

THE EVENK (main self-designation is Evenk). Name Evenk became official in 1931, earlier Tungus. The Evenk people of Sakhalin are a small branch (numbering 323) and have been closely associated with the Uilta. The traditional trades of the Evenk are reindeer herding, hunting, fishing, making articles of wood, bone and metal.

SAKHALIN INDIGENOUS MINORITIES DEVELOPMENT PLAN (SIMDP / PLAN)

Sakhalin Indigenous Minorities Development Plan is a programme jointly implemented by Sakhalin Energy (the operator of Sakhalin-2 project), Sakhalin Oblast Government and the Regional Council of the Authorised Representatives of the Sakhalin Indigenous Minorities (RCAR). SIMDP is renewed every five years and will last for the entire duration of the Sakhalin-2 project.

On 16 December 2015, in Moscow Sakhalin Energy, the Regional Council of Authorised Representatives of the Sakhalin Indigenous Minorities and the Sakhalin Oblast Government signed a cooperation agreement on implementation of the third SIMDP for 2016 – 2020.

KEY OBJECTIVES OF SIMDP IN 2016–2020

CAPACITY-BUILDING: implies leadership training and technical skills enhancing (e.g., for accounting, reportwriting, budget preparation, traditional economic and cultural activities, business planning), and heightened cultural and ethnic self-awareness.

SOCIAL, CULTURAL, AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT: cultural revival, economic viability of traditional economic enterprises, and improved social conditions will be targeted areas for support. Long-term strategic planning with the concept of sustainable development as an objective will also be emphasised.

INDEPENDENT FUND PREPARATION: assisting Sakhalin's Indigenous Minorities to prepare for the eventual establishment of an independent Indigenous Minorities development fund.

PROJECT ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS DISCLOSURE: providing timely, objective and complete information to the Sakhalin Indigenous Minorities' community of the actual and/or potential impacts of the Sakhalin-2 project on the environment, and the measures taken to prevent and/or minimise any potential negative impacts.

During ten years of SIMDP implementation (2006–2015) Sakhalin Energy has supported over 550 projects in the spheres of capacity building, education, healthcare, linguistic studies and preservation of indigenous languages, support of traditional economic activities and preservation of indigenous traditional culture. These projects have amounted to more than 97 million roubles. They were developed by indigenous public organisations, individuals, enterprises and communities, and were approved for further financing by indigenous representatives.

2016 - 2020 GOVERNANCE STRUCTURE

GOVERNING BOARD

INTERNAL

MONITORING

- Regional Council of the Authorised Representatives of the Sakhalin Indigenous Minorities (RCAR) – 3 representatives
- Sakhalin Energy 2 representatives
- Sakhalin Oblast Government 2 representatives
- Russian Association of Indigenous Peoples of the North, Siberia, and
- the Far East (RAIPON) 1 representative
- SIM representative to the Oblast Duma 1 representative
- SIM representatives (who are not members of RCAR) 2 representatives
- Public Chamber of Sakhalin Oblast 1 representative

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

- RCAR 2 representatives
- Sakhalin Energy 2 representatives
- Sakhalin Oblast Government 2 representatives

SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT FUND

Seven SIM representatives elected at public meetings in each of seven districts of traditional residence

- Capacity building
- Culture
- Healthcare
- Sports
- Education

COORDINATOR

EXTERNAL

MONITORING

TRADITIONAL ECONOMIC **ACTIVITIES SUPPORT PROGRAMME**

Seven SIM representatives elected at public meetings in each of seven districts of traditional residence

- Capacity building
- Self-sufficiency grants
- Business planning
- Micro-loans

DISTRICT COMMITTEES

Alexandrovsk Sakhalinsky

Poronavsk

- Local Councils of Authorised SIM Representatives 2 SIM representatives
- District Administration 1 representative (assigned by Head of Local Administration)

MONITORING

Internal monitoring is performed to track the implementation of the SIMDP programmes and ensure the allocated funds are used as intended. It is conducted by an internal monitoring team that includes representatives from each of the three Plan partners.

External monitoring is an independent review of the Plan which provides periodic objective evaluation of its programmes, their outcomes and impacts. It helps to identify problems in a timely manner so that corrective actions may be developed. Monitoring is conducted by an expert on social issues with vast international experience in indigenous minorities-related project development and monitoring.

MITIGATION MATRIX

The list of issues related to implementation of Sakhalin-2 project and measures to address them was developed on the basis of the multilateral consultations in response to the concerns of the Indigenous Peoples. These issues and mitigation measures have been transformed into the Mitigation Matrix.

The Mitigation Matrix is updated as required and reviewed at each meeting of the SIMDP Governing Board, presented to the Regional Council of the Authorised Representatives of the Sakhalin Indigenous Minorities as well as provided for information to other stakeholders.

GRIEVANCE PROCEDURE

A special Grievance Procedure has been developed for effective and timely management of potential concerns and grievances related to SIMDP.

The Procedure has been developed based on the principles and key requirements of Sakhalin Energy's Community Grievance Procedure. The Procedure complies with the Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights and international standards. It was recognised by UN experts as one of the global best practices in the field of development and implementation of grievance mechanisms.



THE PLAN CAN BE IMPLEMENTED IF ALL OF ITS PARTIES OBSERVE THE PRINCIPLES **OF TRANSPARENCY AND OPENNESS**

FOR THIS PURPOSE THE FOLLOWING WAS ARRANGED:

SIMDP web site is launched at: www.simdp.ru;

Information leaflets distribution system is set up;

Information boards with information about SIMDP are installed in all indigenous communities;

Training workshops are made available to members of SIMDP coordinating bodies.









