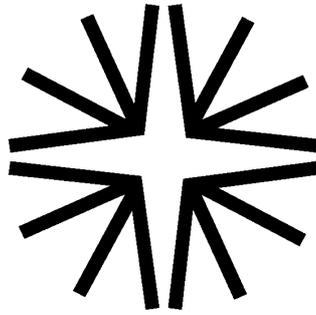


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## EADRCC SITUATION REPORT N° 8 (FINAL) FLOODS IN ALBANIA

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### 1. Situation Update:

1.1 According to the Albanian authorities the situation in the flooded areas is under control. The level of water is decreasing day by day. Meanwhile the Albanian Government has extended the declaration of the emergency situations in some areas till the 31<sup>st</sup> of January 2011.

1.2 As the consequence of flooding more than 2500 habitants and almost 20000 live stocks have been evacuated from disaster areas, approximately 1700 houses and 6000 hectares of farmland have been flooded.

1.3 The most part of evacuated people have returned to their houses.

### 2. There is no longer request for further international assistance.

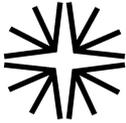
### 3. Assistance Offered / Provided:

3.1 **Austria** has sent 32 family-sized tents (accommodating up to 10 persons each), bulkheads and additional equipment. Austrian MOD has offered 2 helicopters for transport / evacuation purposes. Additionally, 1000 pieces of woven blankets has been delivered to Albania.

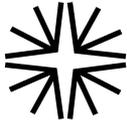
3.2 **Czech Republic** has delivered 12 tents (for 250 persons).

3.3 **Greece** has deployed two helicopters to the disaster area. Additionally one C-130 aircraft has delivered 2.7 T food (oil, nutrition biscuits, powder milk) to Tirana airport.

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- 3.4 **Hungary** has offered 2 rubber boats and 1 rescue team.
- 3.5 The State of **Israel** has delivered 52 family tents (for 4 persons each).
- 3.6 **Italian** Civil Protection has provided 34 tons of food supplies, hygienic materials, rainproof suits, pumps, generators and light projectors. Additionally, Region of Toscana has offered 1 rescue unit, 2 boats, 1 pump, generator and one truck with food and blankets.
- 3.7 On 2 December the ministry for the Kosovo Security Force (KSF) deployed a team (59 pax, 14 vehicles and 4 boats) to Albania to support the flood relief efforts. On 7 December KSF deployed an additional 36 people (15 trucks and 2 ambulance cars) to the disaster area. Also, two trucks with food and 4572 l of potable water have been sent to the disaster area by the KSF. On 18 December the KSF mission ended. All the KSC personnel has departed Albania and returned to their barracks.
- 3.8 **Poland** has offered one High Capacity Pumping Module consisting of: 25 persons, total pumping capacity: 1400 m<sup>3</sup>/hour with own logistics (transport, accommodation, food). Maximum duration of the mission is up to 12 days. Additionally, on 27 DEC 2010 Poland sent to Albania the convoy (2 trucks and 1 passenger vehicle) with rice (3 tons), canned meat (1.5 tons) and blankets (1280 pieces).
- 3.9 **Slovenian** Civil Protection and Disaster Relief has offered 10 mobile generators, 500 sleeping bags, 500 blankets and 5000 sand bags.
- 3.10 **Spain** has donated 150,000 EUR to the Albanian Red Cross.
- 3.11 **Turkey** has offered 150 tents, 1000 blankets, 1 truck with food items, clothing and medicines and has dispatched 3 helicopters to Albania. Additionally, the Turkish Government has provided with 118 668 boxes of medicines, 400 boxes of food and has deployed 1 Medical Rescue Team with 4 persons.
- 3.12 **The United States** has provided \$50,000 to the Albanian Red Cross.
- 3.13 The EADRCC has been informed that NGOs “**Civitas**” and “**OXFAM**” have provided Albanian authorities with 8.5 T and 10 T of food accordingly.



4. On behalf of the Government of Albania the EADRCC wishes to thank EAPC and MD Nations for the assistance offered and provided.

5. The Operational Point of Contact in Albania can be reached in the following ways:

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6. Response co-ordination.

6.1. In order to provide a coordinated response to the stricken nation's requirements, nations in a position to meet these demands, in full or in part, are invited to reply to the Operational Point of Contact of the Stricken Nation, with an information copy to the EADRCC, by any of the communication means listed above and below.

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