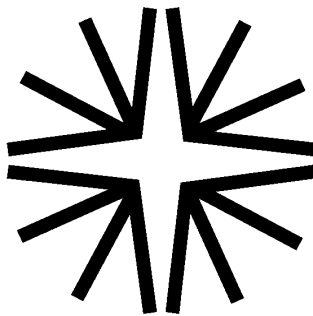


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**SITUATION REPORT №2
FLOODS IN MONTENEGRO**

Message N°. : OPS(EADRCC)(2016)0060
Dtg : 2 November 2016, 10:30 UTC
From: : Euro-Atlantic Disaster Response Coordination Centre
To : Points of Contact for International Disaster Response in NATO and
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1. In accordance with the procedures at reference, EADRCC has received on 28 October 2016, a disaster assistance request from Montenegro. The following information was provided.

2. General Situation:

Type of the Disaster : **Floods**
Date and Time the Disaster occurred : **25 October 2016, 5:00 UTC**
Location of the Disaster : **Podgorica Region, Basin of rivers of Zeta and Moraca**

3. Initial Assessment of the damage and description of the situation:

3.1. On 21 October 2016, the Institute for Hydro Meteorological and Seismological of Montenegro had issued an early warning on possible heavy rains in central, south and western parts of the country. This forecast also included the basin of the Albanian river Drim which could further impact the rising of water levels in Skadar Lake.

3.2. On 25 October 2016, due to heavy rain fall in the region of the municipality of Niksic where two artificial lakes are located, critical water levels have been exceeded. To relief the pressure the dams have been opened releasing high quantities of water. All of that and heavy rain are causing floods and flash floods in the basin of rivers of Zeta and Moraca. The flash floods are engulfing the whole village of Rogami, trapping people inside their houses. It is estimated that the floods, mudslides and landslides, directly or indirectly affect

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over 14.000 people in several municipalities and districts located in the centre-south of the country.

3.3. According to the latest LEMA report:

3.3.1 The assessment made by the Directorate for Emergency Management identified three mainly affected areas in the central part of Montenegro.

3.3.2 The first location is Spuž area. A factory collapsed leaving many people entrapped under debris.

3.3.3 The second location is Rogami area where a bridge is damaged. Several vehicles are reported to be seen in the river and a number of persons on the river banks.

3.3.4 The third location is Vranjina area, which is heavily flooded. People are seen to be waving from their house roofs.

3.3.5 LEMA received additional information that, allegedly, green liquid is reported to be seen at the location Lazine near an old school facility smelling very bad. Also a dangerous substance (class VI) appeared near the location in Spuž. In addition to this, at the location Botun the road is affected by flooding. Also there is a threat of red mud spilling into the river Morača. The request relates to immediate water pumping into the river on the opposite side in order to preserve the affected road. In Danilovgrad, 2 cars fell off the bridge and they are partly entrapped in the water. There might be some casualties.

3.3.6 The following information regarding the victims was provided by LEMA:

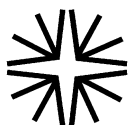
- **Rogami: 18 persons injured, 7 dead persons.**
- **Spuž: 13 persons injured, 1 dead person.**
- **Danilovgrad: 2 persons injured, 2 dead persons.**
- **Vranjina: 17 persons injured (13 from Virpazar).**

4. National resources available for disaster response and measures taken:

4.1. The national response capabilities are overstretched and the national health care system is backlogged, with one hospital affected by the disaster and other hospitals working at maximum capacity. Directorate for Emergency Management's (DEM) rescue forces are conducting relief operations such as: evacuating people, providing household items and psychological support. The Local Emergency Management Authority (LEMA) staffed with DEM personnel is conducting the operations and established 8 onsite commanders.

4.2. LEMA informs the population through media on the emergency situation, hot spots and international team engagement. Two press conferences were held. At the first conference a representative from LEMA and Government Office presented initial situation from the field. At the second conference, an OSOCC member was also present providing more details on international team engagement and rescue activities.

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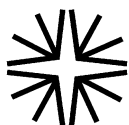
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5. Assistance provided/offered by allies and partners:

According to DEM, the following teams and items were provided by allies and partners:

No	Country & Organisations	TEAMS and ITEMS
1.	Albania	1 CBRN Team. Rescue response items: 1 mobile water purification unit (500 liters/hour), flood rescue using boats (FRB), generators, tents.
2.	Armenia	1 USAR Team, 1 CBRN Team, 1 Diving Team.
3.	Austria	ICT support, Boats
4.	Azerbaijan	1 USAR Team, 1 CBRN Team, 1 Water Rescue Team.
5.	Belgium	ICT support
6.	Bosnia and Herzegovina	1 Water Rescue Team. Rescue response items: 2 flood rescue boat, 2 portable electric generator (diesel), 1 portable electric generator (gasoline), 2 top dryer, 2 van, 2 terrain vehicle, 1 truck with crane, 1 trailer with water tank, 1 water scooter Jet SKI Yamaha.
7.	Croatia	1 Water Rescue Team, 8 UXO.
8.	Finland	ICT support.
9.	Georgia	1 CBRN Team, 1 Water Rescue Team.
10.	Israel	1 Water Rescue Team. Provided water quality assessment, distribution and purification specialists.
11.	Norway	ICT support and 2 VHF repeaters
12.	former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia *	1 Medical Team.
13.	Romania	1 Medical Team.
14.	Serbia	1 Water Rescue Team.

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15.	Slovenia	1 Water Rescue Team. Provided 3 high capacity pumps + 3 trucks with trailers
16.	Spain	1 Water Rescue Team, 1 CBRN.
17.	Ukraine	1 CBRN Team, 1 USAR Team, 1 Water Rescue Team.
18.	USA	1 CBRN, 1 Medical Team.

* Turkey recognizes the Republic of Macedonia with its constitutional name.

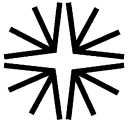
5.1. **Montenegro`s Directorate for Emergency Management has requested satellite imagery of the incident area. On 31 November 2016, EADRCC included this request in its SITREP 1 and also sent to European Response Coordination Center (ERCC) the request form for the activation of EU`s Copernicus Rapid Mapping Service.**

6. **No additional international assistance is needed at the moment.**

7. **The Operational Point of Contact in Montenegro is as follows:**

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Operational Point of Contact in the affected area Services of experts (indicate specialty and for how long)	
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8. Points of Entry:

- 8.1. Land – Dobrakovo (from Serbia), Debeli Brijeg (from Croatia), Božaj (from Albania) and Petrovići (from Bosnia and Hercegovina);
- 8.2. Air – Podgorica international Airport;
- 8.3. Sea – Port of Bar.

9. Point of Delivery:

- 9.1. Podgorica – Jovana Tomasevica Bld.

10. Coordinated Response

10.1. Information about assistance offered and provided will be compiled from inputs received from EAPC national authorities, which does not imply the EADRCC's active involvement in each of the co-ordination processes.

10.2. The Euro-Atlantic Disaster Response Coordination Centre can be reached in the following ways:

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11. Response co-ordination.

11.1. With a view to providing 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 EADRCC, by any of the communication means listed above and below.

11.2. The EADRCC is in close contact with the United Nations Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (UN-OCHA) in Geneva and the EU Emergency Response Coordination Centre (ERCC).

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