



THE NORTHERN FORUM
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARIAT
СЕКРЕТАРИАТ СЕВЕРНОГО ФОРУМА

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To Ásthildur Sturludóttir
Mayor of Akureyri, Iceland

Dear Mayor Ásthildur Sturludóttir,

Let me express my sincere gratitude to you for supporting the activities of the Northern Forum. The Northern Forum has always had a good tradition of organizing humanitarian aid to disaster-stricken regions. In 1994, during an environmental disaster as a result of accidents on the Voze pipeline in the Komi Republic, the Northern Forum organized a collection of humanitarian aid from the regions. In 2001, during the flood in Lensk, the Northern Forum provided all possible assistance to restore the city.

Today there are 155 forest fires throughout the territory of the Sakha Republic (Yakutia) with total area of 3.36 million hectares. Fires have begun to appear dangerously close the settlements, with a high risk of spreading over them. By now, the fires have already caused devastations. According to approximate estimates, the total damage caused by the fires is more than 1 billion rubles (13 598 652 USD).

The Northern Forum brings together regions not only for a common dialogue, but also for solving common problems and provide assistance in crisis situations. In this regard, the Northern Forum Secretariat announces the beginning of accepting any humanitarian supply (essential goods, fire-fighting gear and equipment) as well as financial support. Money transfers in USD are taken to the checking account of the Arctic Portal.

The list of essential goods is attached.

Executive Director

Vladimir Vasiliev



List of essential goods:

1. Personal protective equipment
2. Disinfectants
3. Antiseptics
4. Wet wipes
5. Dry wipes
6. Toilet soap
7. Laundry soap
8. Tooth paste
9. Toothbrush
10. Toilet paper
11. Sanitary napkins
12. Washing powder
13. Baby diapers
14. Matches
15. Candles
16. Newborn diaper
17. Shampoo for children
18. Cream for diaper rash for children
19. Feeding bottle
20. Pacifier
21. Automobile gasoline
22. Diesel fuel
23. Gas fuel (compressed natural gas, liquefied natural gas, liquefied petroleum

gas)



24. Pet supplies (including animal feed and veterinary medicines).

Bank details

Name of account holder: Arctic Portal - Arcdata ehf.

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