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BARTANG INTENDS TO START PRODUCTION OF NATURAL JUICES

On September 5, in Siponj and Darjomj villages of Bartang valley, Rushan district of GBAO, Tajikistan, a practical training on fruit juice production was organized by CAMP Tabiat within the framework of the project "Ecosystem –based Adaptation to Climate Change in High Mountainous Regions of Central Asia" (EbA).

In the course of the training, CAMP Tabiat specialists trained participants from Siponj and Darjomj villages (pilot area of the EbA project) in the production of natural juice from apples using simple equipment. This equipment was produced in the consumer cooperative "Zindagi" in Khorog by order of CAMP Tabiat.

The participants of the training highly appreciated the quality of the sample of produced natural apple juice. According to them, in the future they will be able to produce this ecologically clean product both for their own use and for sale on the markets of the district and region where this product is in demand.

As the project assistant of CAMP Tabiat Shodihon Mirzokhasanov noted, the production of natural fruit juices and their subsequent implementation will allow residents of pilot villages to receive additional income, increase their welfare and thus more effectively adapt to climate change.

CAMP Tabiat handed over the equipment for juice production to the residents of both pilot villages for further joint use. The EbA project is being implemented by the German Society for International Cooperation (GIZ) in Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan and Tajikistan on behalf of the German government. In Tajikistan GIZ partner in the project implementation is CAMP Tabiat.

