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| Academy of Sciences of the Republic of Sakha (Yakutia) | |
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| **Questionnaire** | |
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| Dear Hunter! | |
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| We kindly ask you to participate in the sociological survey on the problem | | |
| of the impact of mining companies on the traditional economic activities of the indigenous | | |
| population in Myrninsky district. | |
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| Please read carefully the questions and mark the numbers of those answers that | | |
| fit your opinion, or write down your opinion. | |
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| Thank you in advance for your participation! | |
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| 1. Is hunting the main type of income for you? | | |
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| 1. Yes | |
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| 2. No | |
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| 3 ■ Other (what exactly) | |
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| 2. Are you a member of a kinship community? | |
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| 1. Yes (please indicate the name of the kinship community) | |
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| 2. No | |
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| 3. How often do you hunt? | |
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| 1. I hunt rarely, once every six months | |
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| 2. I hunt once a month | |
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| 3. I hunt almost every week | |
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| 4. I spend most of the year hunting | |
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| 4. What kinds of wild animals do you hunt? | |
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| 5. What are your hunting volumes by species in recent years? | | |
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| Furs (heads) |
| Wild ungulates (heads) |
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| 6. Over the past 5 years, have you changed the place of hunting? | | |
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| 1. No | |
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| 2. Yes (please specify why you changed the hunting place) | | |
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| 7. Over the last 10 years, has the number and composition of wild species, winged game, fish and | | | | |
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| wild plants changed in the area where you hunt? (please answer for each line) | | | |
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| Sable |
| Wild reindeer |
| Moose |
| Winged game |
| Fish |
| Berries |
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| 8. What do you think, what is the reason for the decrease in the number of commercial game animals in the | | | | |
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| PLACES WHERE YOU HUNT? | |
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| 9. What share (percentage) of your family budget is the income from furs hunting? | | | | | | | |
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| (for example, 20-30%) | |
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| 10. Where and to whom do you sell or sell furs pelts? | | | | | | | |
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| 11. How often do you fish? | |
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| 1. I do not fish | |
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| 2. Once or twice in half a year | |
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| 3. Once a month | |
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| 4. Every week | |
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| 5 ■ Other (what exactly) | |
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| 12. Do you collect wild plants (berries, mushrooms, herbs, etc.)? How many (approximately) | | | | |
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| WILD-GROWING PLANTS DO YOU PRODUCE TO FEED YOUR FAMILY IN WINTER? | | | | |
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| I do not pick berries |
| Mushrooms |
| Herbs |
| Other (what exactly and how much) | | | | | | |
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| 13. Do you sell furs, meat of wild animals, fish, berries, mushrooms, etc.? | | | | | | | |
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| 1. We hunt and collect for ourselves and relatives, do not sell anything. | | | | | | | |
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| 2. Sell furs | |
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| 3. We sell meat of wild animals and poultry (write how much kg you sell per year?) | | | | | | | |
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| 4. We sell fish (write about how many kg you sell per year?) | | | | | | | |
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| 5. We sell berries (please write approximately how much do you sell per year?) | | | | | | | |
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| 6. Other (what exactly) | |
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| 14. Do you keep livestock and poultry? | |
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| 1. Yes, I have a personal subsidiary farm (please indicate which cattle and poultry you have and | | | | |
| their number?) | |
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| 2. No | |
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| 15. IN LAST YEARS, do any of industrial objects | | | | |
| (drilling rigs, oil pipelines, shift camps, roads, quarries, buildings, etc.) AFFECT YOUR HUNTING FISHERY, FISHING, | | | | |
| PICKING OF BERRIES, HAYMAKING? (answer for each line) | |
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| Hunting |
| Fishing |
| Gathering |
| Haymaking |
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| 16. **If** INFLUENCE, WRITE, please, which industrial facilities and where? | | | | |
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| 17. Have any industrial facilities affected access to sacred places (places | | | | | | | |
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| OF BURIALS, OLD CAMPS, ETC.) IN YOUR VILLAGE OR TO BE THE REASON FOR THEIR DESTRUCTION IN THE | | | | |
| LAST 10 YEARS? PLEASE, WHAT AND WHERE? | | | | | |
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| 18. How important is hunting, fishing, gathering for your family's life | | | | | |
| support? (choose for each line the importance for you) | | | | | |
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| Furs hunting |
| Hunting for wild ungulates |
| Fishing |
| Picking berries, mushrooms |
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| **19. How many** times **a** week do **you** eat **on** the season (answer each line) | | | | | |
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| Meat of wild ungulates |
| Veal |
| Pork |
| Horse meat |
| Winged game |
| Poultry |
| Fish |
| Berries (jam) |
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| 20. Do you think that over the past 10 years your village's condition and the conditions of your family | | | | |
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| IMPROVED OR WORSENED? | |
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| 1. Not changed at all | |
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| 2. Worsened | |
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| 3. Improved | |
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| 4. I don't know | |
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| 5 ■ Other (what exactly) | |
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| 21. What threats do you see in the future for your village? | | | | | | | |
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| 22. How do you assess the impact of the activities of mining companies located next to | | | | |
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| YOUR VILLAGE AND YOUR HUNTING OF YOUR HUNTING ON YOUR LIFE? | | | | | | | |
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| 1. does not affect | |
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| 2. has a positive effect (which one) | |
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| 3. has a negative effect (which exactly) | |
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| 4. i don't know | |
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| 5. other (what exactly) | |
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| 23. To whom, in your opinion, should mining companies pay damages in case of | | | | | | | |
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| NEGATIVE IMPACT ON NATURAL RESOURCES NECESSARY FOR TRADITIONAL | | | | |
| ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES? | |
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| 1. specific inhabitants of traditional land use in the affected | | | | |
| land | |
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| 2. kinship communities | |
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| 3. nasleg | |
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| 4. district | |
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| 5. republic | |
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| 6. other (what exactly) | |
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| 24. What methods of compensation for losses to mining companies, hunters, kinship | | | | |
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| COMMUNITIES AND INDIGENOUS POPULATION DO YOU THINK IS THE MOST CORRECT? | | | | | | | |
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| 1. Allocating other territories, replacing objects, materials, equipment | | | | |
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| 2. Monetary form | |
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| 3. Construction of facilities and facilities that improve the quality of life of the local population | | | | |
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| 4. I don't know | |
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| 5 ■ Other (what exactly) | |
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| 25. What transport do you own for hunting (car, buran, boat, etc.)? | | | | | | | |
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| **26. What do** YOU EXPECT FROM THE UPCOMING COMPANIES THAT COME TO | | | | |
| THE MIRNINSKY AREA? WHAT SHOULD I DO FOR THE FIRST TIME FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF YOUR VILLAGE, | | | | |
| AND TO INCREASE LEVEL AND QUALITY OF LIFE OF THE POPULATION? | | | | | | | |
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| **Information about you:** | |
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| **1. NAME Full name:** | |
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| **2.** HOW OLD ARE YOU? **3. WHAT** NATIONALITY DO **YOU** | | | | | | | |
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| REFER YOURSELF TO? | |
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| 4. Your education 5. Marital status | | | | | | | |
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| Incomplete secondary |
| General secondary |
| Secondary vocational |
| Incompleted higher |
| Higher |
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| 6. What are you doing at the moment? | |
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| 1. I work (indicate, please, where and by whom you work?) | | | | | | | |
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| 2. Pensioner by age / disability | |
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| 3. I study (indicate, please, where do you study, internally or in absentia?) | | | | | | | |
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| 5. I do not work, I do not study, I'm not a pensioner | |
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| 6. Other (what exactly) | |
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| **7. HOW MANY MEMBERS DO YOU HAVE IN YOUR FAMILY, INCLUDING YOU: \_**PERSONS | | | | | | | |
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| **8.Does your** family have the following categories of citizens: | | | | | | | |
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| 1. children under 16 years old (indicate how many children?) | |
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| 2. unemployed retirees | |
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| 3. adults with disabilities and children with disabilities | |
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| 4. unemployed, not working | |
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| 5. veterans of labor, rear and WWII | |
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| 6. there are no such family members | |
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| 9. Please indicate the approximate average monthly income per person in your | | | | |
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| **FAMILY\_**RUR | |
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| Thank you very much! | |