

COMMITMENT: ENVIRONMENT

Environmental protection: our employees commit



In Kazakhstan, the local Orano Mining subsidiary actively involves its employees in environmental protection work and is building a culture of environmental risk prevention.

KATCO regularly organizes clean-up and tree planting days at its mining sites to improve the quality of life on the sites. In 2016 and 2018, on the occasion of the worldwide Earth Day, some 1,000 saplings were planted by company employees in the living compound area.

In the compound, wastewater treatment systems are installed and treated water is used to water the trees.

Waste management is also a concern: sorting bins by waste type are in place throughout the company. Plastic and paper waste is sent to specialized companies in the region for recycling.

In order to promote awareness of environmental protection among the local population, KATCO cooperates with schools in the Sozak District where the company operates. Every year, as part of Environment Week, experts from the Environment Department visit schools and colleges in the region to teach the younger generations the importance of protecting nature. After the presentations, the students plant trees, accompanied by company representatives.

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