

Minutes of the 91st Meeting of the Interstate Commission for Water Coordination (ICWC) of the Republic of Kazakhstan, Kyrgyz Republic, Republic of Tajikistan, Turkmenistan and Republic of Uzbekistan

13 November 2025

Ashgabat

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Durdi M. Gendjiyev Chairman of the State Committee for Water Management, Turkmenistan and Khakim of Lebap velayat

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Invited:**Republic of Kazakhstan**

Nurlan A. Nogaev	Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Republic of Kazakhstan to Turkmenistan
Seyilbek S. Nurymbetov	Chairman of the Committee for the Regulation, Protection, and Use of Water Resources, Ministry of Water Resources and Irrigation
Daniyar Ye. Sharip	Director, International Cooperation Department of the Ministry of Water Resources and Irrigation
Aset A. Beristenov	Advisor to the Minister of Water Resources and Irrigation
Talgat A. Ketebaev	Head, Transboundary Water Resources Division, International Law Department, MFA
Khasen S. Karlybaev	Assistant to the Minister of Water Resources and Irrigation
Serikbai T. Nurgalym	Director of Hydrology Department, RGP "Kazgidromet", Ministry of Ecology and Natural Resources.

Kyrgyz Republic

Emil T. Shadykhanov	Counselor of the Embassy of the Kyrgyz Republic in Turkmenistan
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Republic of Tajikistan

Daler A. Abdurazokzoda	Head of Central Water and Energy Policy Administration, Ministry of Energy and Water Resources
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Turkmenistan

Derya Kh. Ishankulyev	Deputy Chairman of the State Committee for Water Management of Turkmenistan
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Yanov D. Pashyev	Head of the Water Use Department of the State Committee for Water Management
Begench A. Mommadov	Director, Garagumderyasuv-Khojalyk Association, State Committee for Water Management
Saparmurat K. Charyev	Head, Digital Technologies and Information Security Department, State Committee for Water Management
Tirkesh Yo. Nurgeldiev	Head, Water Use Department, State Committee for Water Management
Republic of Uzbekistan	
Jahongir B. Abdurazzakov	Head, Transboundary Water Resource Department, Ministry of Water Management

Agenda

1. The use of water withdrawal limits/quotas and operation regimes of reservoirs in the Syr Darya and Amu Darya River basins during the growing season 2025
2. Approval of country water withdrawal limits and projected operation regime of reservoir cascades in the Syr Darya and Amu Darya River basins for the non-growing season 2025-2026.
3. Progress on the fulfillment of tasks arising from the summits of the Heads of IFAS Founder States.
4. Additional matters. On amendments and additions to the Regulations of the ICWC Secretariat
5. Agenda and venue of the regular 92nd ICWC meeting

Decision on the first item:

1. Take into consideration the reports by BWO Syr Darya and BWO Amu Darya on the use of water withdrawal limits and the operation regimes of reservoirs in the Syr Darya and Amu Darya River basins during the growing season 2025.

Decision on the second item:

1. Approval of country water withdrawal limits in the Syr Darya and Amu Darya River basins for the non-growing season 2025-2026. (Appendices 1 and 2).

2. Take into consideration the reports by BWO Syr Darya and BWO Amu Darya on the projected operation regimes of reservoirs cascades in the Syr Darya and Amu Darya River basins during the non-growing season 2025-2026 (Appendices 3 and 4).

Decision on the third item:

1. Acknowledge the effective work carried out by the water management organizations of Central Asian countries and the ICWC Executive Bodies in implementing the proposals and initiatives put forward at the Summits of the Heads of IFAS Founder States in Turkmenbashi (2018) and Dushanbe (2023).

2. ICWC members and executive bodies shall report on the progress of implementation of these proposals and initiatives at the next ICWC meetings.

Decision on the fourth item:

The ICWC Secretariat shall prepare proposals for amendments and additions to the ICWC Secretariat Regulations and submit them to ICWC members for consideration before the regular 92nd ICWC meeting.

Decision on the fifth item:

I. Hold the regular 92nd ICWC meeting in Dushanbe, Tajikistan. The date of the regular ICWC meeting shall be agreed in working order.

II. Propose the following agenda for the 92nd ICWC meeting:

1. Results of the use of water withdrawal limits/quotas and operation regimes of reservoirs in the Syr Darya and Amu Darya River basins during the non-growing season 2025-2026.
2. Progress on the fulfillment of tasks arising from the summits of the Heads of IFAS Founder States.
3. On amendments and additions to the Regulations of the ICWC Secretariat
4. Information on the results of the 19th World Water Congress (December 1-5, 2025, Morocco) from representatives who attended the event.
5. Additional matters.
6. Agenda and venue of the regular 93rd ICWC meeting.

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