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# AIR POLLUTION REDUCTION POLICY, ITS IMPLEMENTATION STATUS AND CHALLENGE





















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## **OBJECTIVES OF THE NATIONAL PROGRAM**









- implement site-specific optimal policies for urban planning, construction, and infrastructure planning
- reduce the sources of pollution by introducing environmetally friendly advanced techniques and technologies, gradually ban the use of raw coal
- take comprehensive measures to reduce motor vehicle emissions
- clarify the management, regulation, and financing of air and other environmental pollution reduction activities
- increase the participation and responsibility of citizens and communities in reducing environmental pollution, to develop healthy living habits, and to expand research and analysis by strengthening the capacity of environmental quality control and analysis

### **DUTIES OF THE NATIONAL COMMITTEE**

## National Committee on Environmental Pollution Reduction



Updated by Decree No. 30 of 2022 of the Prime Minister of Mongolia.





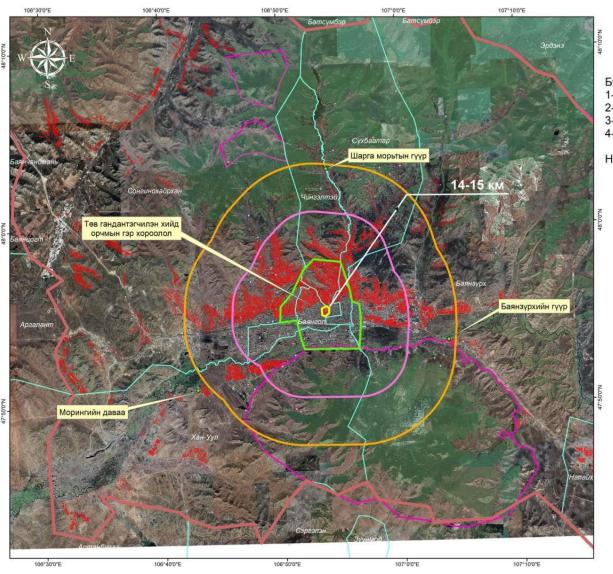




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#### 2. CHIMNEY FREE ZONING PLAN



Улаанбаатар хотын агаарын чанарын бүс

Бүсэд хамаарах нэгж талбарын тоо

1-р бүс - 709

2-р бүс - 24360

3-р бүс - 57382

4-р бүс - 20084

НИЙТ - 102535

It is estimated that air pollution would be reduced by 25% if technical problems of heating 44,000 households (with 4 kW electric heaters) are addressed.

#### Таних тэмдэг

- 1-р бүс
- 2-р бүс
- 3-р бүс
- 4-р бүс
- Аймаг, Нийслэлийн хил
- Сум, Дүүргийн хил
- Өмчлөлийн нэгж талбар
- Ойн сан бүхий газар

1:150,000









#### 1. CHIMNEY FREE ZONING PLAN

- Electric heaters + electric storage + increase the number of renewable energy (solar) sources
- Prohibiting the use of all types of solid fuel in Chimney free zone
- Implementation of a policy to provide green loan to households in Chimney free zone, etc.



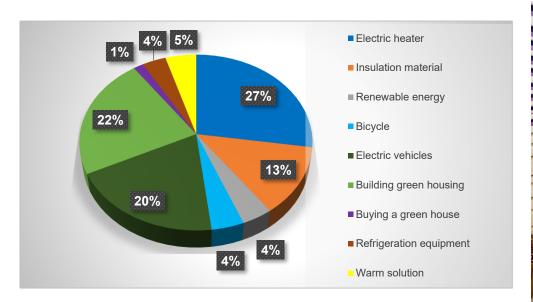








#### 1. CHIMNEY FREE ZONING PLAN



Nº	Type of Loan	Amount of loan granted, MNT	Subsidized interest rates, MNT
1	Electric heater	909,824,700	151,390,612
2	Insulation material	421,530,943	68,618,037
3	Renewable energy	129,665,000	20,403,519
4	Bicycle	137,069,000	20,697,045
5	Electric vehicles	654,149,000	99,957,281
6	Building green housing	746,000,000	194,252,023
7	Buying a green house	50,000,000	12,363,159
8	Refrigeration equipment	120,000,000	21,470,077
9	Warm solution	155,355,284	23,143,277
	TOTAL	3,323,593,927	612,295,029



Among these 9 types of products offered at the green loan ELECTRIC HEATERS were the most in high demand accounting almost 30% among citizens.









#### 2. ELECTRIC CAR CHARGING STATIONS CONFERENCE Хатгал Кызыл-Хая, Tac Хиагт Эрзин Сухбаатар Улаангом Мерен Дархан Эрдэнэт Хужирт Зүүнхараа Булган Тосонцэнгэл Тэлмэн Батсумбэр улаанбаата Улиастай Зуунмод Алдар Цэцэрлэг Алтан-Овоо Хархорин Баян-Уул •Жаргалант Баянбулаг Бат-Өлзийо Хөшөөтийн Уурхай Бурэнхайрхано ∘Хөх-Үзүүр **20 ц 31 мин** 1,689 км Мандалговь Богд Алтай сум Шинэжинст Хатансуудал Цогт-Овоо

#### 2. ELECTRIC CAR CHARGING STATIONS



Current 40 stations
By 2026 1000 stations

- Arkhangai and Khentii Provinves
   25
- In the capital city 15

In the parking lot of the Ministry of Environment and Tourism, free electric car chargers were placed on the basis of public-private partnership.









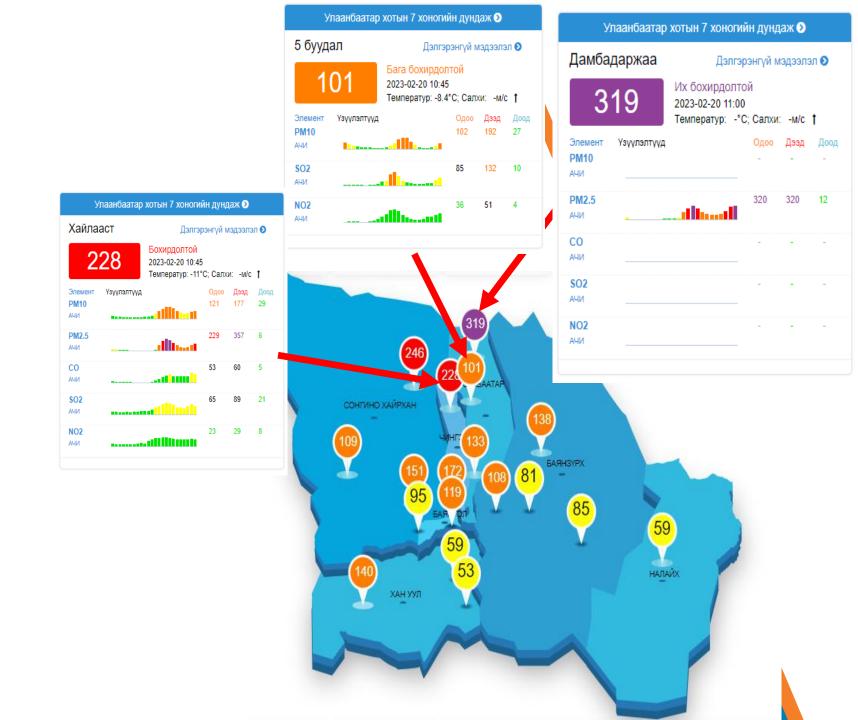


## 3. AIR QUALITY MONITORING STATIONS

19 monitoring stations measure following elements.

- Air quality index (Index)
- Particulate matter (PM2.5, PM10)
- Carbon Monoxide (CO)
- Sulfur dioxide (SO2)
- Nitrogen Dioxide (NO2)
- Ozone (O3)

However, monitoring stations have a different number of sensors. It might affect the quality of measurements.



## 3. AIR QUALITY MONITORING STATIONS

#### **TARGET AUDIENCE**

• Citizen

• Track air pollution

• Air specialist

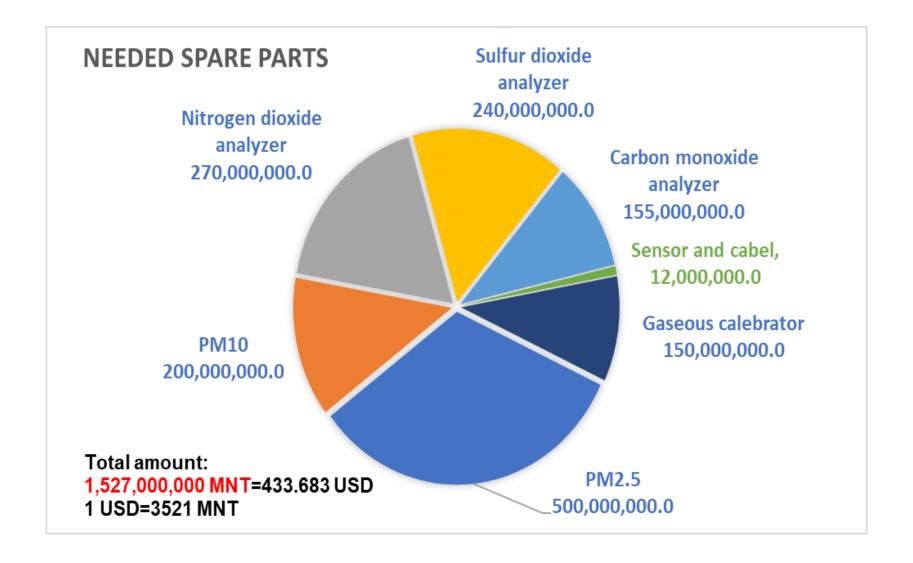
• Big data analyses

• Decision maker

• Send report to policy-makers about air quality /every 14 days/

**RESULTS** 

## 3. AIR QUALITY MONITORING STATIONS











## **CHALLENGES**

Although Mongolia has taken significant policy steps to reduce air and environmental pollution, large amounts of funding are needed to implement projects that will produce results in a short period of time.







