



CONSERVING VIRGIN FORESTS IN THE BIKIN REGION

As of: October 2021

The project contributed to the long-term protection of the virgin forest in the Bikin region by preventing conventional logging. For this, the project partners established the granting of a special licence for forest by-products (also known as non-timber forest products). They also developed long-term solutions to protect the area, e.g. through management plans and by improving the income situation of local people.

State of implementation/results

- Project completed
- Reduction of approximately 560,000 tonnes of CO₂ emissions achieved over the duration of the project
- Rights of use for non-timber forest products transferred to the local partner organisation Tribal Commune Tiger
- Income situation of local population improved by more effective marketing of Korean pine nuts
- Land use plan developed and authorised by relevant authorities

PROJECT DATA

Country/Countries:

Russische Föderation

Implementing organisation:

KfW Entwicklungsbank

Political partner(s):

- Ministry of Environment and Ecology - Russia
- Tribal Commune Tiger - Russia

Implementing partner(s):

- World Wide Fund for Nature (WWF) - Germany
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BMU grant:

€ 2,591,992

Duration:

09/2008 till 10/2012

