

Notice of Intent to Make a Determination – Start of Public Comment Period

May 11, 2022 – Global Affairs Canada intends to make a determination regarding whether the carrying out of the project is likely to cause significant adverse environmental effects. To help inform this determination, Global Affairs Canada is inviting public comments until May 11, 2022 respecting that determination.

Public Notice

Construction of 6 incinerators in Djugu and Irumu Region in DRC– Public Comments Invited

May 11, 2022 – Global Affairs Canada must determine whether the proposed installation of six incinerators located Djugu and Irumu in DRC are likely to cause significant adverse environmental effects.

To help inform this determination, Global Affairs Canada is inviting comments from the public respecting that determination. All comments received will be considered public. For more information, individuals should consult the Privacy Notice (<https://iaac-aeic.gc.ca/050/evaluations/protection?culture=en-CA>) on the Registry website.

Written comments must be submitted **by June 11, 2022** to:

Environment Division

Global Issues and Development Branch

Global Affairs Canada

Email: CommentsIAARegistry-CommentairesRegistreLEI@international.gc.ca

The Proposed Project

Project Title: Construction of 6 incinerators in Djugu and Irumu in DRC

Summary of the Project: In 2022, 27 million people are in need of humanitarian assistance in the DRC, a 7.4% increase from 2021. Currently, the DRC is home to the largest global food crisis, with an unprecedented 27 million people severely food insecure. In addition, it is home to the largest internally-displaced persons population in Africa with 5.5 million displaced people. This project focuses on preventing and treating malnutrition, and providing protection services to at-risk children. Project activities also include health facilities and iCCM sites to support the treatment of children U5 with SAM and MAM. It is in this context that Save the Children in planning to construct 6 incinerators.

Partner: Save the Children

Location: Democratic Republic of Congo, Djugu and Irumu