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EPSAYA public union has successfully implemented the following projects (events) in close cooperation with the different governmental, non-governmental and international organizations during 2024 year:

1. July 12-14, 2024 year EPSAYA public union implemented 3-day theoretical-practical conference in the field of **“Increasing divorce in young families as a problem in society”** with the financial support (9000 manat) of the Agency for State Support to Non-Governmental Organizations of the Azerbaijan Republic for the 25 young participants from the 15 regions (Agjabadi, Agsu, Baku, Bilasuvar, Jalilabad, Lachin, Lerik, Lankaran, Masalli, Sabirabad, Sumgait, Shaki, Shirvan, Shamkir, Yardimli) of Azerbaijan in “Lux Lankaran” Hotel, Lankaran city. 13 girls and 12 boys have participated in the theoretical-practical conference. It should be noted that before the theoretical-practical conference 49 young applicants (24 girls and 25 boys) from 26 different regions of Azerbaijan (Absheron, Agjabadi, Agsu, Astara, Baku, Bilasuvar, Jabrayil, Jalilabad, Khachmaz, Khanlar, Imishli, Ismaili, Kalbajar, Lachin, Lerik, Lankaran, Masalli, Mingachevir, Sabirabad, Sumgait, Shamakhi, Shaki, Shamkir, Shirvan, Tovuz, Yardimli) have applied to the organization for the participation in the event. Besides the staff of the organization Mrs. Konul Manafova, the deputy chief of Lankaran-Astara Regional Youth and Sport Department and Mr. Ziya Ismayilov, the head of the South Regional Centre of the Ombudsman Apparatus, as a guest, and Mr. Zaur Gasimov, mediator and barrister of Lankaran District Advocate Bureau, and Mr. Farrukh Aliyev, the psychologist of Astara District Central Hospital Public Legal Entity, as an expert have participated in the theoretical-practical conference, shared their knowledge and experiences with the youth and answered the questions of the participants. During the theoretical-practical conference the staff and the participants discussed a lot of themes in the field of divorces and domestic violence – ***“Family institution in Azerbaijan, traditions, classical and modern family values, Concepts of marriage, right to marry and marriage contract, Issues of distribution of property and ownership acquired during joint marriage and alimony obligations, Early marriages, their causes and social consequences, Marriages and divorces in Azerbaijan: current situation and available statistics, Domestic violence, its forms and measures to combat them, Responsibility against domestic violence – national legislation and Istanbul Convention, Data bank – The State Committee for Family, Women and Children Affairs, The concept of family, morals and ethics, Children in the family and society, bullying and discrimination against children, Violence against children – UN Convention on the Rights of the Child, Public condemnation, public participation and its forms, Public control, public debates and public hearings”***. During the theoretical-practical conference the staff used different methods, such as presentations, brain storming, focus group discussions, interactive group works, energizers, mutual exchange of ideas with participants and experts as well as watching to the different social videos related to the topics throughout the entire session. At the end of the theoretical-practical conference the relevant presentations have been presented to all participants. In the end the participants and the staff, as well as the guests and the experts gave their views on the project and thanked to the donor – the Agency for State Support to Non-Governmental Organizations of the Azerbaijan Republic for implementing such kind of actual project for the youth. It should be noted that

the project's goal has consisted of organizing countrywide enlightenment and awareness of youth and young families with the aim of strengthening the public fight against increasing divorces and domestic violence in Azerbaijan. The project covered the dates of June 01 – August 31, 2024.



2. October 21, 2024 year EPSAYA public union implemented a half-day training course in connection with the project **“Environmental enlightenment of the youth of the region within the framework of “COP29” and “The green world solidarity year”**” for 20 young people in Lankaran city with the financial support (7500 manat) of the Ministry of Youth and Sport of the Azerbaijan Republic. 20 young people aged 16-29, 12 girls and 8 boys have participated in the training course in Lankaran region. Besides the staff of the organization Mr. Kanan Musayev, the representative of Lankaran-Astara Regional Youth and Sport Department, as a guest, and Mr. Samir Salayev, a teacher and PhD of Lankaran State University, as a trainer-expert have participated in the training course, shared their knowledge and experiences with the youth and answered the questions of the participants. During the training course the staff and the participants discussed a lot of themes in the field of COP29, the green world and other environmental issues – ***“Ecology and ecological system (ecosystem), Natural resources, their types, alternative energy sources and utilization of the environment, Environmental problems and their solutions, Waste and their management, Environmental policy: COP29 and the green world solidarity year”*** as well as watching to the different social videos related to the topics throughout the entire session. During the training course the staff used different interactive methods, such as presentations, brain storming, focus group discussions, interactive group works, energizers, mutual exchange of ideas with participants and experts. All participants were presented with relevant certificates and related flyers in the end of the training course. In the end the participants and the staff, as well as the guests and the experts gave their views on the project and thanked to the donor – the Ministry of Youth and Sport of the Azerbaijan Republic for implementing such kind of actual project for the local youth. It should be noted that the aim of the 3-month project covering the dates of September 15 – December 15, 2024 was to increase environmental knowledge and experience of the youth and promotion of “COP29” and “The green world solidarity year” among local youth in connection with the development of environmental consciousness, environmental education and environmental culture.



3. October 22, 2024 year EPSAYA public union implemented a half-day training course in connection with the project **“Environmental enlightenment of the youth of the region within the framework of “COP29” and “The green world solidarity year”**” for 20 young people in Jalilabad city with the financial support (7500 manat) of the Ministry of Youth and Sport of the Azerbaijan Republic. 20 young people aged 16-29, 15 girls and 5 boys have participated in the training course in Jalilabad region. Besides the staff of the organization Mr. Vugar Javadov, sector manager for Jalilabad region of Lankaran-Astara Regional Youth and Sport Department, as a guest, and Mr. Samir Salayev, a teacher and PhD of Lankaran State University, as a trainer-expert have participated in the training course, shared their knowledge and experiences with the youth and answered the questions of the participants. During the training course the staff and the participants discussed a lot of themes in the field of COP29, the green world and other environmental issues – ***“Ecology and ecological system (ecosystem), Natural resources, their types, alternative energy sources and utilization of the environment, Environmental problems and their solutions, Waste and their management, Environmental policy: COP29 and the green world solidarity year”*** as well as watching to the different social videos related to the topics throughout the entire session. During the training course the staff used different interactive methods, such as presentations, brain storming, focus group discussions, interactive group works, energizers, mutual exchange of ideas with participants and experts. All participants were presented with relevant certificates and related flyers in the end of the training course. In the end the participants and the staff, as well as the guests and the experts gave their views on the project and thanked to the donor – the Ministry of Youth and Sport of the Azerbaijan Republic for implementing such kind of actual project for the local youth. It should be noted that the aim of the 3-month project covering the dates of September 15 – December 15, 2024 was to increase environmental knowledge and experience of the youth and promotion of “COP29” and “The green world solidarity year” among local youth in connection with the development of environmental consciousness, environmental education and environmental culture.



4. October 28, 2024 year EPSAYA public union implemented a half-day training course in connection with the project **“Environmental enlightenment of the youth of the region within the framework of “COP29” and “The green world solidarity year”**” for 20 young people in Astara city with the financial support (7500 manat) of the Ministry of Youth and Sport of the Azerbaijan Republic. 20 young people aged 16-29, 14 girls and 6 boys have participated in the training course in Astara region. Besides the staff of the organization Mr. İğrar Jafarov, senior advisor for Astara region of Lankaran-Astara Regional Youth and Sport Department, as a guest, and Mr. Samir Salayev, a teacher and PhD of Lankaran State University, as a trainer-expert have participated in the training course, shared their knowledge and experiences with the youth and answered the questions of the participants. During the training course the staff and the participants discussed a lot of themes in the field of COP29, the green world and other environmental issues – ***“Ecology and ecological system (ecosystem), Natural resources, their types, alternative energy sources and utilization of the environment, Environmental problems and their solutions, Waste and their management, Environmental policy: COP29 and the green world solidarity year”*** as well as watching to the different social videos related to the topics throughout the entire session. During the training course the staff used different interactive methods, such as presentations, brain storming, focus group discussions, interactive group works, energizers, mutual exchange of ideas with participants and experts. All participants were presented with relevant certificates and related flyers in the end of the training course. In the end the participants and the staff, as well as the guests and the experts gave their views on the project and thanked to the donor – the Ministry of Youth and Sport of the Azerbaijan Republic for implementing such kind of actual project for the local youth. It should be noted that the aim of the 3-month project covering the dates of September 15 – December 15, 2024 was to increase environmental knowledge and experience of the youth and promotion of “COP29” and “The green world solidarity year” among local youth in connection with the development of environmental consciousness, environmental education and environmental culture.



5. October 29, 2024 year EPSAYA public union implemented a half-day training course in connection with the project **“Environmental enlightenment of the youth of the region within the framework of “COP29” and “The green world solidarity year”**” for 20 young people in Lerik city with the financial support (7500 manat) of the Ministry of Youth and Sport of the Azerbaijan Republic. 20 young people aged 16-29, 9 girls and 11 boys have participated in the training course in Lerik region. Besides the staff of the organization Mr. Orkhan Abbaszada, senior advisor for Lerik region of Lankaran-Astara Regional Youth and Sport Department, as a guest, and Mr. Samir Salayev, a teacher and PhD of Lankaran State University, as a trainer-expert have participated in the training course, shared their knowledge and experiences with the youth and answered the questions of the participants. During the training course the staff and the participants discussed a lot of themes in the field of COP29, the green world and other environmental issues – ***“Ecology and ecological system (ecosystem), Natural resources, their types, alternative energy sources and utilization of the environment, Environmental problems and their solutions, Waste and their management, Environmental policy: COP29 and the green world solidarity year”*** as well as watching to the

different social videos related to the topics throughout the entire session. During the training course the staff used different interactive methods, such as presentations, brain storming, focus group discussions, interactive group works, energizers, mutual exchange of ideas with participants and experts. All participants were presented with relevant certificates and related flyers in the end of the training course. In the end the participants and the staff, as well as the guests and the experts gave their views on the project and thanked to the donor – the Ministry of Youth and Sport of the Azerbaijan Republic for implementing such kind of actual project for the local youth. It should be noted that the aim of the 3-month project covering the dates of September 15 – December 15, 2024 was to increase environmental knowledge and experience of the youth and promotion of “COP29” and “The green world solidarity year” among local youth in connection with the development of environmental consciousness, environmental education and environmental culture.



6. November 05, 2024 year EPSAYA public union implemented a half-day training course in connection with the project **“Environmental enlightenment of the youth of the region within the framework of “COP29” and “The green world solidarity year”**” for 20 young people in Masalli city with the financial support (7500 manat) of the Ministry of Youth and Sport of the Azerbaijan Republic. 20 young people aged 16-29, 17 girls and 3 boys have participated in the training course in Masalli region. Besides the staff of the organization Mr. Oktay Agayev, senior advisor for Masalli region of Lankaran-Astara Regional Youth and Sport Department and Mr. Ziya Ismayilov, the head of the South Regional Centre of the Ombudsman Apparatus, as a guest, and Mr. Samir Salayev, a teacher and PhD of Lankaran State University, as a trainer-expert have participated in the training course, shared their knowledge and experiences with the youth and answered the questions of the participants. During the training course the staff and the participants discussed a lot of themes in the field of COP29, the green world and other environmental issues – ***“Ecology and ecological system (ecosystem), Natural resources, their types, alternative energy sources and utilization of the environment, Environmental problems and their solutions, Waste and their management, Environmental policy: COP29 and the green world solidarity year”*** as well as watching to the different social videos related to the topics throughout the entire session. During the training course the staff used different interactive methods, such as presentations, brain storming, focus group discussions, interactive group works, energizers, mutual exchange of ideas with participants and experts. All participants were presented with relevant certificates and related flyers in the end of the training course. In the end the participants and the staff, as well as the guests and the experts gave their views on the project and thanked to the donor – the Ministry of Youth and Sport of the Azerbaijan Republic for implementing such kind of actual project for the local youth. It should be noted that the aim of the 3-month project covering the dates of September 15 – December 15, 2024 was to increase environmental knowledge and experience of the youth and promotion of “COP29” and “The green world solidarity year” among local youth in connection with the development of environmental consciousness, environmental education and environmental culture.



Press Secretary of EPSAYA public union

December 29, 2024 year