IMPLEMENTING THE PRINCIPLES OF SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT IN THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION.

RUSSIAN OUTLOOK ON THE NEW PARADIGM FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

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Goal 1. Reduce poverty and eradicate hunger
1. Halve by 2015 the general poverty level and eradicate extreme poverty among the non-marginal groups of the population. 2. Provide access to food for the poor. Goal

2. Increase access to education

3. Involve vulnerable groups of the population in education and socialization.

4. Ensure participation in pre-school education of children from low-income families and children residing in rural areas.

5. Reduce the gap in funding and access to general secondary and primary vocational education across and within regions.

6. Update the content of general secondary education towards developing practical skills and application of knowledge.

7. Improve compliance of vocational education with the modern economic environment and labour market requirements. Goal

8. Eliminate gender inequality in primary and secondary education and at all levels of education by 2015.

9. Ensure equal access to political institutions for women and men.

10. Eliminate discriminatory practices in labour and employment.

11. Create effective mechanisms for preventing violence against women.

12. Reduce the impact of unfavorable socio-economic factors on health and life expectancy, especially males. Goals 4 and 5. Reduce maternal mortality and mortality among children under five


15. Reduce the mortality rate of children under five by at least 50% by 2015, as compared with 1990 (from 21.5 to 11 per 1000).


17. Halt and begin to reverse the spread of HIV/AIDS. 18. Halt the spread and significantly reduce incidence of tuberculosis (