The Border Management Programme is one of the comprehensive and challenging assistance of EU-UNDP in Central Asia with a developmental and institution building approach. The main component of BOMCA is capacity development for Integrated Border Management (IBM) through training and exposure to European best practices for all agencies involved in border management. Additional components of the programme include provision of infrastructure and equipment to leverage what is accomplished through specialized training and to facilitate more professional and efficient security, law enforcement and trade operations at selected border crossing points on trade corridors, and enhanced security and improvement of working conditions at selected border outposts on the Tajik-Afghan border. Also, a major work is done to modernize and upgrade training facilities, to support CA countries in developing and expanding their capacities so that they are sufficiently able to introduce the IBM methodologies. Advice on legal reforms and institutional frameworks are subsidiary programme components.

Results:
- Working conditions and motivation of law enforcement officers improved.
- To help enhance the capacities of agencies working at borders with the aim to support the interception of drugs and precursor chemicals.

Partners in action:
- US Embassy in Kazakhstan
- International Organization for Migration
- UN Office on Drugs and Crime
- OSCE
- Austrian Ministry of Interior

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