



## CIFP Country Survey Kyrgyzstan



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To: John Smith, Diplomat

The *Country Indicators for Foreign Policy (CIFP)* team has identified you as an expert in the present state of affairs in Kyrgyzstan. We hope you'll be willing to share your insights by completing the enclosed survey regarding the conditions of foreign policy concern that presently exist in Kyrgyzstan.

At present, the *CIFP* Internet database provides a comprehensive and up-to-date collection of international data for use by those in the international affairs and policy communities. Our indicators provide global overviews, country performance measures and issue-based perspectives for a variety of economic, political, military, social and environmental country traits. Feel free to explore our international database at the following Internet location:

[www.carleton.ca/cifp](http://www.carleton.ca/cifp)

We have created the following account so that you may access the database:

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In return, we hope you will kindly complete the following thirty-question survey regarding the present state of affairs in Kyrgyzstan. An honorarium of \$30 U.S. will be sent to you upon receipt of your completed questionnaire.

Your responses will be combined with the indicators in the database to generate an early warning report of the future issues most likely to arise in Kyrgyzstan. We hope that by furnishing information in a consistent and timely manner, the *CIFP* can assist policymakers in directing their efforts and resources and in monitoring and responding to potential, emerging and existing issues of concern.

The views expressed in your survey need not reflect your organization's official position and won't be disclosed nor published without your permission. Please respond in a manner that best conveys the state of affairs in Kyrgyzstan.

Thanks in advance for your cooperation and please do not hesitate to contact me regarding any aspect of this survey or the *CIFP* project.

Best Regards,

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## CIFP Survey of Country Specialists

Please provide responses to the following 30 questions that best reflect the present state of Kyrgyzstan over the past year.

1. On a scale of 1 to 9, to what extent do problems of unconsolidated government power exist in Kyrgyzstan?

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Not a Problem								Extremely Problematic

2. To what extent are problems of incomplete territorial control present?

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Not a Problem								Extremely Problematic

3. To what degree have there been changing elites?

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Not at All								Rapidly Changing

4. To what extent is social stratification present?

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Not at All Present								Extremely Present

5. On a scale of 1 to 9, to what extent do inequalities in land distribution exist?

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Very Equal Distribution								Very Unequal Distribution

6. How many private security firms would you estimate exist in Kyrgyzstan?

- None
- 1
- 2
- 3 - 5
- 5 - 9
- 10 - 14
- 15 - 19
- 20 - 24
- 25 or more



14. Does the government have difficulty maintaining territorial control?

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Not a Problem								Extremely Problematic

15. Has there been the imposition of curfews over the past year?

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Never								Regularly

16. Have there been mass civilian movements across the borders of Kyrgyzstan in the past year?

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Not at All								Many

17. Has there been a restriction of movement into and out of Kyrgyzstan?

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Not at All								Many Restrictions

18. Have there been political arrests over the past year?

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
None								Many

19. To what degree would you say that there has been disillusionment with the security apparatus in Kyrgyzstan?

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Full Confidence								No Faith

20. To what extent has there been dissatisfaction with the management of state affairs in Kyrgyzstan?

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
High Satisfaction								Extreme Dissatisfaction

21. To what extent would you say the population has unfulfilled expectations of governments in Kyrgyzstan?

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
No Unfulfilled Expectations								Many Unfulfilled Expectations



30. Which of the following crises, if any, are likely to arise in Kyrgyzstan in the near future?

- Economic
- Political
- Humanitarian
- Domestic Conflict
- International Conflict
- Environmental Collapse
- Collapse of Resource Stocks