

Update 12: Russia - Wildfire Adds Further Challenges to Ongoing COVID-19 Pandemic

- On September 3, wildfire disrupted normal life in southern Russia
- Reports stated 32 people were injured in Krasnosulinsky district and 14 in Kamensky district
- One person got killed in Krasnosulinsky district
- The fire majorly impacted four districts of Rostov Region including Belokalitvinsky, Tarasovsky, Kamensky, and Krasnosulinsky
- The blaze damaged 64 buildings, including 15 houses
- The likely cause of the fires is negligence or short circuit
- This comes when the country is facing challenges due to COVID-19 pandemic
- Russia resumed international flights with Egypt, United Arab Emirates, and Maldives
- The country reported with 4,995 new cases and 114 deaths on September 3, 2020
- As of now, Russia has reported 10,09,995 COVID-19 confirmed cases and 17,528 related deaths (2% of total reported cases)
- Supply Wisdom is continuously monitoring the situation and will alert you to any relevant developments
- Please consult Ministry of Health of Russian Federation (<https://www.rosminzdrav.ru/en>) for the latest information on COVID-19 in Russia

Source(s)

<https://tass.com/emergencies/1196813>

<http://www.uniindia.com/news/world/fire-russia-wildfire/2147313.html>

<https://www.reuters.com/article/us-health-coronavirus-russia-flights/russia-resumes-international-flights-with-egypt-uae-and-maldives-idUSKBN25U0QD>

<https://www.worldometers.info/coronavirus/country/russia/>

Targets Affected:

Russia

Guidance

Actions to consider:

- It is important for SW Subscribers to determine procedures for evacuating employees to safe locations are in place, if required
- Firms with operations in the region should review their measures to mitigate the risk posed by such natural calamities
- SW Subscribers should ensure appropriate Business Continuity Plans and Programs are activated
- Consider implementing more detailed actions related to 'Increase in Positive Cases/Deaths' under the 'COVID-19: Actions to Consider' section below / next page

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Update 7: Russia - Eases Nationwide Restrictions; COVID-19 Cases Rise to ~221,000

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Update 6: Russia - Prepares for Three-Stage Plan in Easing COVID-19 Restrictions Starting May 12, 2020

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Update 5: Russia - Reports Nearly 10,000 New COVID-19 Cases in 24 Hours, Totaling 124,054

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Update 4: Russia - Reports 6,198 Confirmed COVID-19 Cases in 24 Hours, Totaling 87,147; Lockdown Restrictions to Extend till May 12, 2020

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Update 3: Russia - Records Single-Day Increase of 4,785 in COVID-19 Cases; Expects Spread to Peak in Mid-May

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Update 2: Russia Records Single-Day Increase of 3,388 in Coronavirus Cases; Lockdown Extended Till May 1, 2020

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Update 1: Russia - Reports Highest Daily Increase of 2,000 in COVID-19 Cases, Totaling 15,770

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Russia - Reports 1,459 Confirmed COVID-19 Cases in 24 Hours; Total Cases Exceed 10,000

Impact level Definitions

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Immediate	Certain - Supply Wisdom recommends considering prompt action. Examples of Immediate level alert events may include bankruptcy filings, data breaches, unexpected curfews, strikes, power black-outs, major geo-political events etc.
High	Highly likely to occur in the near term (within 3 months) - Supply Wisdom recommends being in a state of readiness to take quick action. Examples of High level alert events may include withdrawal of rating by ratings agencies, hostile takeover, multiple cyber-attacks, new business policies causing significant hardship etc.
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Low	Possible in the long-term (after 6 months) - Supply Wisdom recommends taking proactive action if situation does not resolve. Examples of Low level alert events may include lawsuits filed against suppliers, client losses, air pollution alerts issued by country's local authorities, unexpected holidays announced for the location etc.
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