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**IX Scientific and Practical Conference “The Problems of Forecasting of  
Emergency Situations”**

From 14 to 15 May the IX scientific and practical conference “The Problems of Forecasting of Emergency Situations” will be held. The conference is devoted to the 20th anniversary of the state institution “All-Russian Center for Monitoring and Forecasting Emergencies” establishment.

The Director of the Department of Civil Defence EMERCOM of Russia Sergey Shaposhnikov, the Head of the Center «Antistikhiya» EMERCOM of Russia Vladislav Bolov, representatives of federal executive body, Russian Academy of Science, representatives of Russian and foreign interested organizations will take part in the conference.

During the conference the awarding of the “Antistikhiya” Center veterans and the Emergency Call Service specialists will be held; after that there will be a concert.

The state institution “All-Russian Center for Monitoring and Forecasting Emergencies of Natural and Technogenic Character” was founded on 10 May 1989.

The foundation of the Center was the start of the development of the monitoring and forecasting emergencies of natural and technogenic character system which has become one of the top-priority activities of EMERCOM Russia.

Based on the processing of the monitoring information, the specialists of the Center develop short-term (emergency warnings, daily and decade forecasts), medium-term (monthly) and long-term (seasonal and annual) forecasts of natural and technogenic emergency situations and their socio-economic impact.

The Center is actively involved in the development of regulatory documents for the establishment and functioning of the monitoring system, laboratory monitoring and forecasting of emergency situations of natural and technogenic character.

For the high level of professionalism and courage many servicemen and specialists of the Center were awarded the highest state awards, marked by departmental awards EMERCOM of Russia.