

Agostino gets back with a mission to clean Karakorum mountains

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ISLAMABAD Aug 07: (Aisar Karim) Agostino D. Polenza is a one of the most committed climbers of the world is back with a cleaning mission of glaciers and peaks in the region. Speaking at a press conference he said that Karakorum mountainous range is facing the environmental threats. "The mountains are calling at this time to clean the garbage (rubbish-tins, card boards and tissue papers) left behind by expeditions", he added. Agostino D. Polenza is president of EV.K2.CNR Italy, a non profit committee striving to protect mountain environments since past decade in collaboration with the Alpine Club Pakistan. The tourism ministry of Pakistan which has been collecting about \$200 per expedition for last more than fifteen years have done nothing to preserve environmental protection except to remain spectator, added Nazir Sabir, the president Alpine Club, Pakistan.