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**2014 National Action Plan for the Implementation of the Association Agreement between the European Union and the European Atomic Energy Community and their Member States, of the one part, and Georgia, of the other part and Association Agenda
Between the European Union and Georgia**

	Article/Paragraph of the Association Agreement or the Association Agenda	Planned Activity	Responsible Institution	Implementation Timeframe	Source of Funding	Comment
Title I: General Principles						
Title II: Political Dialogue and Reform, Cooperation in the Field of Foreign and Security Policy						
1	(Association Agreement; Article 3; Paragraph 2)	Cooperation in the framework of the Organization for Democracy and Economic Development (GUAM)	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	2014	State Budget	
2		Hold high-level meetings	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	2014	State Budget	
3		Promote implementation of regional projects	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	2014	State Budget	
4		Deepen the trilateral cooperation between Georgia, Azerbaijan and Turkey	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	2014	State Budget	
5		Further reforming the justice sector, in particular ensure the independence, efficiency, impartiality and professionalism of the judiciary and the prosecution, as well as of law	Strengthen the capacity of the High School of Justice by elaborating and implementing the strategic development document and respective action plan	High School of Justice	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance

	enforcement agencies which should be free from political or any other undue interference; continue and intensify the fight against corruption. (Association Agenda; 2.1 Political Dialogue and Reform (ii))	1) Professional training of judges on substantial topics pertinent to them; 2) Professional training of court employees on substantial topics pertinent to them				
6		Training of prosecutors in trial skills Training of prosecutors to increase the quality of reasoning of procedural documents Professional training course	Office of the Chief Prosecutor	2014	State Budget	
7	Develop Judicial Reform Strategy and Action plan with clear benchmarks and priorities, including an appointment and training policy for judges and adequate resources to ensure proper judicial	Develop Judiciary System Strategy and Action plan in order to guarantee the independence of the judicial system and judges	High Council of Justice Courts of General Jurisdiction	2014	State Budget Donor Assistance	
8	competencies. (Association Agenda; 2.1 Political dialogue and reform; Judiciary)	Elaborate and introduce proposals regarding the improvement of selection process of judges	High Council of Justice	2014	State Budget	
9		Improve and implement periodic evaluation system of judges	High Council of Justice	2014	State Budget Donor Assistance	
10		Develop criteria and procedures for the promotion of judges	High Council of Justice Courts of General Jurisdiction	2014	State Budget	
11		Define and introduce efficiency of staff (judges and court officials) number and	High Council of Justice	2014	State Budget	

		financial resources in the courts of general jurisdiction	Courts of General Jurisdiction		Donor Assistance	
12	Further reforming the justice sector, in particular ensure the independence, efficiency, impartiality and professionalism of the judiciary and the prosecution, as well as of law enforcement agencies which should be free from political or any other undue interference; continue and intensify the fight against corruption. (Association Agenda; 2.1 Political Dialogue and Reform (ii))	Regulate case distribution issues through electronic programme	High Council of Justice Courts of General Jurisdiction	2014	State Budget Donor Assistance	
13		Increase the reasoning of judgments by the judges of the courts of general jurisdiction by elaborating relevant recommendations	Supreme Court High Council of Justice	2014	State Budget Donor Assistance	
14		Introduce standards and evaluation methods for defining quality and efficiency in the court system	High Council of Justice	2014	State Budget Donor Assistance	
15		Reform the system of judicial disciplinary liability and disciplinary proceedings; Draw up proposals for the new code of ethics for judges	High Council of Justice	2014	State Budget	
16		Enhance social protection guarantees for judges	High Council of Justice	2014	State Budget	
17		Define the procedures of holding enlarged meetings of the High Council of Justice in order to enhance the efficiency and transparency of the High Council of Justice; Establish the advisory council of the High Council of Justice involving the representatives of civil society and legal	High Council of Justice	2014	State Budget	

		professionals				
18		Raise public awareness in order to improve the confidence of society in the justice system	High Council of Justice Courts of General Jurisdiction	2014	State Budget Donor Assistance	
19	To reform juvenile justice to protect rights of the children. (Association Agenda; 2.1 Political dialogue and reform; Judiciary)	Elaborate proposals and implement appropriate activities within the planned reforms in the area of juvenile justice	High Council of Justice Ministry of Justice LEPL Center for Crime Prevention	2014	State Budget Donor Assistance	
20	To ensure the right to fair trial. (Association Agenda; 2.1 Political dialogue and reform; Judiciary)	Elaborate and implement additional actions to promote the application of the European Convention on Human Rights and its case law by the courts of general jurisdiction and increase the competence of the Human Rights Center of the Supreme Court	High Council of Justice Courts of General Jurisdiction	2014	State Budget Donor Assistance	
21		Facilitate meetings, seminars, discussions of judges and ensure appropriate trainings in order to promote deep knowledge on the issues related to right of fair trial; For the same purpose promote effective and mutually beneficial cooperation between the representatives of Prosecutor's Office and lawyers	High Council of Justice Courts of General Jurisdiction High School of Justice	2014	State Budget Donor Assistance	
22	On strenghtening the independence, impartiality, and professionalism of the	Provide study visits for judges to exchange experience in the field of	High Council of Justice	2014	State Budget	

	judiciary and courts. (Association Agenda; 2.1 Political dialogue and reform; Judiciary)	justice and administration	Courts of General Jurisdiction		Donor Assistance	
23	Develop Judicial Reform Strategy and Action plan with clear benchmarks and priorities, including an appointment and training policy for judges and adequate resources to ensure proper judicial competencies. (Association Agenda; 2.1 Political dialogue and reform; Judiciary)	Elaborate relevant draft laws and submit them to the Parliament	Ministry of Justice	2014	State Budget	
24	Continue taking further steps on reforms, in particular of judiciary,	Elaborate relevant draft laws and submit them to the Parliament	Ministry of Justice	2014	State Budget	
25	Criminal Code and Criminal Procedure Code of Georgia, including enhancing the equality of arms in the criminal proceedings, undertaking a comprehensive review and submitting legal proposals:	Elaborate draft amendments to the the Criminal Code	Ministry of Justice	2014	State Budget	
26	- on strengthening the independence, impartiality, and professionalism of the judiciary;	Reform of the Plea-bargaining System	Ministry of Justice	2014	State Budget	Legislative amendments are undergoing parliamentary hearings
27	- on ensuring the right to fair trial; - on ensuring independent and effective investigation;	Strengthen the rights of the victims in criminal proceedings	Ministry of Justice	2014	State Budget	Legislative amendments are undergoing parliamentary hearings
28	- on reforming juvenile justice to protect rights of the children; - on making plea-bargaining system	Elaborate the Juvenile Justice Code	Ministry of Justice	2014	State Budget UNICEF	

	<p>compliant with the EU and the Council of Europe (CoE) / European Convention on Human Rights (ECHR) standards and practices;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - on status and rights of the victim in criminal proceedings; - on reform of the criminal jury trial. <p>(Association Agenda; 2.1 Political dialogue and reform; Judiciary)</p>				EU	
29	<p>Establish a truly professional Prosecution service (including through adequate training) independent from political party or other undue influence.</p> <p>(Association Agenda; 2.1 Political dialogue and reform; Judiciary)</p>	<p>Training of prosecutors in the trial skills;</p> <p>Training of prosecutors to increase the quality of reasoning of procedural documents;</p> <p>Professional training course</p>	Office of the Chief Prosecutor	2014	State Budget	Additional source of financing is Desirable
30	<p>Ensure that criminal prosecutions are conducted in a transparent and impartial manner, free of political motivation, in order to avoid any politically motivated selective justice.</p> <p>(Association Agenda; 2.1 Political dialogue and reform; Judiciary)</p>	Professional training course	Office of the Chief Prosecutor	2014	State Budget	Additional source of financing is desirable
31	<p>Continue to implement rehabilitation and re-socialisation policies in criminal justice; promote use of non-custodial sentences, community orders, reinforced use of probation, early</p>	Training on the diversion and mediation	Office of the Chief Prosecutor Ministry of Justice	2014	State Budget EU Support	Additional source of financing is desirable

	release through parole, diversion and mediation.		LEPL Center for Crime Prevention			
32	(Association Agenda; 2.1 Political dialogue and reform; Judiciary)	Further development of the early conditional release mechanism	Ministry of Corrections	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
33		Increase the number of local councils including the establishment of a local council for female inmates	Ministry of Corrections	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
34		Improve the quality and quantity of the decisions on reducing the serving sentence with the less grave sentence, made by the local councils/ commissions of the ministry	Ministry of Corrections	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
35		Open a Halfway House	Ministry of Corrections	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
36		Introduce Risk Assessment and Individual Sentence Planning in №16 and №5 establishments	Ministry of Corrections	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
37		Improve efficiency of the rehabilitation-resocialisation programme for ex-convicts	Ministry of Justice LEPL Center for Crime Prevention	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
38		Increase the accountability and democratic oversight of law enforcement agencies; Provide a comprehensive professional training of law enforcement officers on ethical	Training on topics of the ethical standards and human rights	Office of the Chief Prosecutor	2014	State Budget

	standards and human rights. (Association Agenda; 2.1 Political dialogue and reform; Judiciary)					
39	Develop alternative means of dispute settlement (mediation, arbitration). (Association Agenda; 2.1 Political dialogue and reform; Judiciary)	Elaborate legislative package of amendments to the laws regulating arbitration as an alternative mechanism for dispute settlement and submit it to the Parliament	The Consultative Council of the Private Law Reform (Ministry of Justice)	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
40	Pursue administrative reform with emphasis on public administration and on building an accountable, efficient, effective, transparent and professional civil service; and strengthening of local self-government in line with European standards. (Association Agenda; 2.1 Political dialogue and reform; Anti-corruption, administrative reform and public service)	Adopt the Civil Service Reform Concept	LEPL Civil Service Bureau	2014	State Budget USAID	
41		Start drafting a new legislation governing the Civil Service	LEPL Civil Service Bureau	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
42		Create job descriptions to establish a transparent system of remuneration in the civil service	LEPL Civil Service Bureau	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
43		Analyse the Evaluation System in the civil service and select a model	LEPL Civil Service Bureau	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
44		Develop transparent and objective mechanism for the selection, promotion and dismissal of civil servants	LEPL Civil Service Bureau	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
45		Selection of a system to monitor asset declarations of civil service officials	LEPL Civil Service Bureau	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	

46	Ensure effective execution of judgments of the European Court of Human Rights. (Association Agenda; 2.1 Political dialogue and reform; Anti-corruption, administrative reform and public service)	Implement individual and general measures for the enforcement of ECHR judgments/decisions rendered against Georgia	Ministry of Justice	2014	State Budget	Ongoing process
47		Signature and ratification of Protocols No.15 and No.16 of the European Convention on the Protection of Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms	Ministry of Justice	2014	State Budget	
48	To promote and raise awareness on human rights and anti-discrimination in the judiciary, law enforcement, and administration. (Association Agenda; 2.1 Political dialogue and reform; Anti-corruption, administrative reform and public service)	Training on the human rights issues	Office of the Chief Prosecutor	2014	State Budget	Additional source of financing is desirable
49	Update the National Strategy and Action Plan to combat ill-treatment and torture, and step up efforts to implement them in order to combat impunity. (Association Agenda; 2.1 Political dialogue and reform; Ill-treatment and torture)	Update National Strategy and Action Plan to combat ill-treatment and torture and start its implementation	Relevant Inter-Agency Coordination Commission (Ministry of Justice)	2014	State Budget	
50	Ensure a thorough, transparent, independent investigation into any allegation of the use of torture and ill treatment in the penitentiary system, police, military and other closed facilities.	Professional training course	Office of the Chief Prosecutor	2014	State Budget	Additional source of financing is desirable
51	(Association Agenda; 2.1 Political dialogue and reform; Treatment and torture)	Analyse the legislative basis and internal normative acts on prevention against the ill-treatment of defendants and inmates in terms of their effectiveness and compliance with the international	Ministry of Corrections	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	

		standards				
52		Based on the analysis, elaborate and present amendments to the legislation and improve internal normative acts	Ministry of Corrections	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
53		Elaborate the concept of mechanisms for thorough, transparent, independent investigation of any allegation of the torture and ill treatment in the penitentiary system, police, military and other closed facilities	Relevant Inter-Agency Coordination Commission (Ministry of Justice)	2014	State Budget	
54		Launch the structural reorganisation of the Military Police within the Ministry of Defence	Ministry of Defence	2014	State Budget	
55		Defend and monitor rights of military servicemen in order to eliminate all types of violence in armed forces	Ministry of Defence	2014	State Budget	
56	Further strengthen effective internal and external monitoring of the penitentiary system, police, military and other closed facilities for the early detection and prevention of abuse and ill-treatment. (Association Agenda; 2.1 Political dialogue and reform; Ill-treatment and torture)	Further improve the monitoring mechanism methodology and its implementation in practice	Ministry of Corrections	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
57		Improve monitoring of conditions and treatment of defendants/inmates by streamlining the legal basis and internal regulations	Ministry of Corrections	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
58		Improve audio-video monitoring system in the penitentiary institutions	Ministry of Corrections	2014	State Budget Donors	

					Assistance	
59		Improve the external monitoring mechanisms for conditions and treatment of inmates	Ministry of Corrections	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
60		Revise functions and responsibilities of the General Inspection of the Ministry of Defence and elaborate the guidelines	Ministry of Defence	2014-2015	State Budget	
61	Continue efforts to improve the penitentiary healthcare system and prisoners access to health care services. Build capacities and empower health care staff working in -or for- closed institutions in the denouncing and reporting of ill-treatment. (Association Agenda; 2.1 Political dialogue and reform; Ill-treatment and torture)	Develop programme on continuous medical education and professional development for medical staff	Ministry of Corrections	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
62		Provide trainings for medical staff considering specifics and risks in the penitentiary healthcare system (crisis management, prevention and management of conflicts, aggression and violence, self-harm, hunger and etc.)	Ministry of Corrections	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
63		Register ambulatory services in line with existing legislation	Ministry of Corrections	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
64		Develop a specialised medical service package for inmates	Ministry of Corrections	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
65		Further improve and institutionalise referral mechanisms on specialised medical services - develop detailed management manual and regulation	Ministry of Corrections	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
66		Upgrade dental infrastructure	Ministry of Corrections	2014	State Budget	

					Donors Assistance	
67		Introduce and develop an integrated mental healthcare model	Ministry of Corrections	2014	State Budget	
					Donors Assistance	
68		Develop services against drug dependence and drug addiction: prevention, treatment, rehabilitation and harm reduction	Ministry of Corrections	2014	State Budget	
					Donors Assistance	
69		Strengthen the role of medical staff in the prevention of torture and ill-treatment	Ministry of Corrections	2014	State Budget	
					Donors Assistance	
70		Provide special medical services tailored for female inmate needs (cancer screening, pregnancy, etc.)	Ministry of Corrections	2014	State Budget	
					Donors Assistance	
71		Maintain and further develop the standard of penitentiary primary healthcare infrastructure and equipment	Ministry of Corrections	2014	State Budget	
					Donors Assistance	
72		Provide relevant services to persons with disabilities	Ministry of Corrections	2014	State Budget	
					Donors Assistance	
73	Enhance gender equality and ensuring equal treatment between women and men in social, political and economic life.	Elaborate curriculum and conduct trainings on gender equality, which among other things, will address the issue of domestic violence	High School of Justice	2014	State Budget	
					Donors Assistance	
74	(Association Agenda; 2.1 Political Dialogue and Reform; Equal	Implementation of gender equality strategy	Ministry of Defence	2014	State Budget	

	treatment)					
75	Strengthen the implementation of the legislation against domestic violence, including awareness-raising of both the general population and of specific professional groups, such as the police and in particular in rural and minority areas. Increasing the access of victims to counseling services and shelters. (Association Agenda; 2.1 Political Dialogue and Reform; Equal treatment)	In order to eradicate domestic violence, undertake appropriate measures including the enhancement of legislation and harmonising it with the existing international standards in this field; Introduce relevant institutional mechanisms and raise awareness in society (target groups)	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs LEPL State Fund for Protection and Assistance of (Statutory) Victims of Human Trafficking	2014	State Budget	
76	Address the situation of children's poverty and give considerably higher priority to the situation of vulnerable children. (Association Agenda; 2.1 Political Dialogue and Reform; Children's rights)	Review and improve the administration scheme of the assessment methodology of the socio-economic state of families	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs	2014	State Budget UNICEF	
77	Continue juvenile justice reform. (Association Agenda; 2.1 Political dialogue and reform; Children's rights)	Improve the legislative and normative bases for juveniles	Ministry of Corrections Ministry of Justice LEPL Center for Crime Prevention	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
78		Create special living conditions for juveniles	Ministry of Corrections	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
79		Gradually consider juveniles' special	Ministry of	2014	State Budget	

		needs while implementing infrastructural projects	Corrections		Donors Assistance	
80	The National Human Rights Strategy and Action Plan should prominently include child rights. (Association Agenda; 2.1 Political dialogue and reform; Children's rights)	Enhance the regulatory normative basis for the prevention of child inflows under the state care, foster care and reintegration	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs	2014	State Budget	
81		Elaborate the child evaluation and referral mechanisms for social workers	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs	2014	State Budget	
82		Develop services for the children working and living on the streets	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs	2014	State Budget	
83		Service expansion of the early development and day centres for children with disabilities	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
84		Form an early interference system within the state programme on habilitation and rehabilitation	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs	2014	State Budget	
85		Create a favourable environment for children with antisocial/delinquent behaviour for their general development	Ministry of Justice LEPL Center for Crime Prevention	2014	State Budget	
86		Develop and implement the awareness-raising campaign of society	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs	2014	State Budget	
87		Capacity building of the ministry	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs	2014	State Budget	

88	Focus on measures to protect children against all forms of violence. (Association Agenda;	Improve the legislative basis and ensure legislative amendments in order to eliminate violence against children	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs	2014	State Budget	
89	2.1 Political Dialogue and Reform; Children's Rights)	Improve response mechanisms on the alerts of abuse (violence)	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs	2014	State Budget	
90		Expand rehabilitation, support and consultation services for the child victims of violence; Launch a hot-line	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs	2014	State Budget	
91		Continue to cooperate on increasing alignment of Georgia with the EU CFSP declarations. (Association Agenda;	Continue active co-operation on increasing alignment of Georgia with the EU statements	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	2014	State Budget
92	2.2 Foreign and security policy) Develop co-operation on sanction regimes. (Association Agenda;	Develop co-operation regarding the sanctions set by the EU	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	2014	State Budget	
93	Enhance practical cooperation in conflict prevention and crisis management by facilitating the participation of Georgia in EU-led civilian and military crisis management operations, and consultation and training activities in the CSDP area (on the basis the Framework Participation Agreement signed in November 2013) and in the multilateral framework of the Eastern Partnership Panel on CSDP).	Support participation in the EU-led civilian and military crisis management operations, and consultation and training activities in the CSDP area	Ministry of Foreign Affairs Ministry of Internal Affairs	2014	State Budget EU	
94		Participation of Georgia in EU CSDP operations as well as in trainings and consultations	Ministry of Defence	2014	State Budget EU	
95		Troop Contribution to the EUFOR CAR (1 light infantry, 156 servicemen)	Ministry of Defence	2014	State Budget EU Member States	

96	(Association Agenda; 2.2 Foreign and security policy)	Participation of Georgian Military Officers in EU Military Training Mission (EUTM) in Mali	Ministry of Defence	2014-2015	State Budget	
97	Promote and facilitate Georgia's participation in CSDP related training and consultation activities (in the framework of the regular bilateral consultations and multilateral EaP Panel on CSDP).	Implementation of the Action Plan of the EaP CSDP panel	Office of the State Minister on European and Euro-Atlantic Integration	2014	State Budget	
98	(Association Agenda; 2.2 Foreign and security policy)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create the qualified expert's database; • Facilitate participation of relevant experts in the capacity building activities; • Elaborate relevant legislative framework for participation of Georgia in international missions (civil and military operations) 	Ministry of Internal Affairs	2014	State Budget	
99	Implement standards in the Financial Action Task Force (FATF) recommendations on terrorist financing. (Association Agenda; 2.2 Foreign and security policy; Terrorism, non-proliferation of weapons of mass destruction and illegal arms exports)	Fulfill the requirements of FATF 2012 No.6 special recommendation (regarding the financial sanctions on terrorism and terrorism financing) on terrorism financing	Government Commission for Implementation of the United Nations Security Council Resolutions (Ministry of Justice)	2014	State Budget	
100	Cooperate on, and contribute to, countering the proliferation of weapons of mass destruction and their means of delivery through full compliance with, and national implementation of, the Parties' existing obligations under international disarmament and non-proliferation treaties and agreements,	Cooperate on, and contribute to, countering the proliferation of weapons of mass destruction (WMD) and their means of delivery, monitor the full implementation of the obligations under international disarmament and non-proliferation treaties and agreements, and other relevant international obligations	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	2014	State Budget	

	and other relevant international obligations. (Association Agenda; 2.2 Foreign and security policy; Terrorism, non-proliferation of weapons of mass destruction and illegal arms exports)					
101	Establish an effective system of national export and transit controls of weapons of mass destruction (WMD) related goods, including a WMD end-use control on dual-use technologies, with effective sanctions for breaches of export controls. (Association Agenda; 2.2 Foreign and security policy; Terrorism, non-proliferation of weapons of mass destruction and illegal arms exports)	Establish an effective system of national export and transit controls of weapons of mass destruction (WMD) related goods, including a WMD end-use control on dual-use technologies, with effective sanctions for breaches of export controls	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	2014	State Budget	
102	Continue to cooperate in the area of conventional arms export control, in the light of the EU Common Position on	Adopt the “Law of Georgia on Arms and Products of Dual Use”	Ministry of Defence	2014	State Budget	
103	control of exports of military technology and equipment. Develop co-operation in the fight against trafficking of arms and	Resolution of the Government of Georgia “On the Approval of List of Arms and Products of Dual Use”	Ministry of Defence	2014	State Budget	
104	the destruction of stockpiles. (Association Agenda; 2.2 Foreign and security policy; Terrorism, non-proliferation of weapons of mass destruction and illegal arms exports)	Approve the Governmental Resolution on “Control measures for military and Dual-Use Products”	Ministry of Defence	2014	State Budget	
105	Continue contributing to the	Continue contributing to the	Ministry of Foreign	2014	State Budget	

	implementation of the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty (NPT) on all its three pillars, in a balanced manner. (Association Agenda; 2.2 Foreign and security policy; Terrorism, non-proliferation of weapons of mass destruction and illegal arms exports)	implementation of the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty (NPT) on all its three pillars, in a balanced manner	Affairs			
106	Take steps towards signature and ratification of the Arms Trade Treaty, adopted by the UN General Assembly on 2 April 2013. (Association Agenda; 2.2 Foreign and security policy; Terrorism, non-proliferation of weapons of mass destruction and illegal arms exports)	Take steps towards acceding to the Arms Trade Treaty	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	2014	State Budget	
107	Continue efforts aimed at ensuring the full implementation of the 12 August 2008 Six-Point Agreement and its subsequent implementing measures. (Association Agenda; 2.2 Foreign and security policy Peaceful conflict resolution)	Continue efforts aimed at ensuring the full implementation of the Agreement; Discuss the issue in the framework of the international fora, including the Geneva International Discussions. React to the violation of the agreement	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	2014	State Budget	
108	Maintain constructive participation in and ensure the support for the EU, UN, OSCE co-chaired Geneva International Discussions. (Association Agenda; 2.2 Foreign and security policy Peaceful conflict resolution)	Maintain constructive participation in and ensure the support for the EU, UN, OSCE co-chaired the Geneva International Discussions	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	2014	State Budget	
109	Emphasise the importance of a	Emphasise the importance of a	Ministry of Foreign	2014	State Budget	

	meaningful international field involvement including the full implementation of the European Union Monitoring Mission (EUMM) mandate. (Association Agenda; 2.2 Foreign and security policy; Peaceful conflict resolution)	meaningful international field involvement including the full implementation of the European Union Monitoring Mission (EUMM) mandate	Affairs			
110	Maintain effective co-operation between the EU and Georgia towards a settlement of the conflict within agreed formats, including consultations with a view to establishing ways for appropriate involvement of Georgian regions of Abkhazia and Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia in the deepening of EU-Georgia relations. (Association Agenda; 2.2 Foreign and security policy; Peaceful conflict resolution)	Hold the strategic dialogue between the EU and Georgia; Hold the frequent consultations and meetings with the Delegation of the European Union to Georgia, Office of the EU Special Representative for the South Caucasus and the crisis in Georgia and other partners	Ministry of Foreign Affairs Office of the State Minister for Reconciliation and Civic Equality	2014	State Budget EU Assistance	
111	Maintain effective co-operation between the EU and Georgia towards a settlement of the conflict within agreed formats, including consultations with a view to establishing ways for appropriate involvement of Georgian regions of Abkhazia and Tskhinvali	Conduct the EU-Georgia strategic dialogue meetings	Office of the State Minister for Reconciliation and Civic Equality Ministry of Foreign Affairs	2014	State Budget EU Assistance	
112	region/South Ossetia in the deepening of EU-Georgia relations. (Association Agenda; 2.2 Foreign and security policy; Peaceful conflict resolution)	Explore new frameworks of cooperation and coordination based on the Association Agreement	Office of the State Minister for Reconciliation and Civic Equality	2014	State Budget EU Assistance	
113	(Association Agenda; 2.2 Foreign and security policy; Peaceful conflict resolution)	Intensification of the effective co-operation and coordination between the	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	2014	State Budget	

		EU and Georgia on conflict resolution issues, through regular political dialogue	Office of the State Minister for Reconciliation and Civic Equality		EU Assistance	
114	Support peaceful conflict resolution efforts, including via undertaking contacts with the populations of Georgian regions of Abkhazia and Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia in light of Georgia's reconciliation and engagement policy and EU's non-recognition and engagement policy, on which they cooperate.	Continue the provision of a free of charge medical treatment and educational opportunities for the populations of Georgian regions of Abkhazia and Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia in the frames of Georgia's reconciliation and engagement policy	Office of the State Minister for Reconciliation and Civic Equality Government of Georgia	2014	State Budget EU Assistance	
115	non-recognition and engagement policy, on which they cooperate. (Association Agenda; 2.2 Foreign and security policy; Peaceful conflict resolution)	Plan, jointly with the EU, more awareness raising activities on the Association Agreement for the population of Abkhazia and Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia	Office of the State Minister for Reconciliation and Civic Equality	2014	State Budget EU Assistance	
116		Support peaceful conflict resolution efforts through all possible dimensions	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	2014	State Budget	
117	Take appropriate steps to encourage trade, travel and investment across the administrative boundary line, including a review of legislation such as the Law on Occupied Territories. (Association Agenda; 2.2 Foreign and security policy; Peaceful conflict resolution)	Adopt the State Strategy on Socio-economic Development of Population from Conflict Affected Regions	Office of the State Minister for Reconciliation and Civic Equality Ministry of Regional Development and Infrastructure Government of Georgia	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
118	Work towards enabling the safe and	Continue efforts aimed at ensuring the	Ministry of Foreign	2014	State Budget	

	dignified and voluntary return of all IDPs and refugees to their habitual places of residence in line with principles of international law. (Association Agenda; 2.2 Foreign and security policy; Peaceful conflict resolution)	involvement of international society in resolving the issues regarding the safe and dignified return of all IDPs and refugees to their habitual places of residence	Affairs			
119	Seek ways to share the benefits and opportunities stemming from the EU-Georgia Visa Liberalization Dialogue, political association and economic integration process, inter alia from the Association Agreement, with the populations across the administrative boundary lines. (Association Agenda; 2.2 Foreign and security policy; Peaceful conflict resolution)	Prepare and disseminate information leaflets, TV spots and ads for ethnic minorities, inter alia in Abkhazian and Ossetian languages, on the scope as well as on stemming benefits of the Association Agreement and the Visa Liberalization Dialogue	Office of the State Minister for Reconciliation and Civic Equality Government of Georgia	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
120		Conduct meetings with the representatives of media and respective local NGOs to present and discuss the benefits of the Association Agreement and the Visa Liberalization Dialogue	Office of the State Minister for Reconciliation and Civic Equality	2014	State Budget	
121	Undertake measures to foster people-to-people contacts, confidence-building and reconciliation efforts between communities divided by conflict. (Association Agenda; 2.2 Foreign and security policy; Peaceful conflict resolution)	Continue to support and further develop effective communication between divided communities	Office of the State Minister for Reconciliation and Civic Equality	2014	State Budget	
122		Promote implementation of confidence building projects	Office of the State Minister for Reconciliation and Civic Equality	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
123		Continue to support the effective functioning of the coordination mechanism	Office of the State Minister for Reconciliation and Civic Equality	2014	State Budget	
124		Seek additional donor assistance in order	Office of the State	2014	State Budget	

		to support people to people contacts and encourage local initiatives	Minister for Reconciliation and Civic Equality		Donors Assistance	
125	The Parties shall coordinate, also with other relevant international organisations, their efforts to contribute to peaceful conflict resolution in Georgia, including in relation to humanitarian issues. (Association Agreement; Article 9; Paragraph 3)	Together with relevant international organisations coordinate efforts to contribute to peaceful conflict resolution in Georgia including in relation to humanitarian issues	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	2014	State Budget	
126	Continue to cooperate with the International Criminal Court by implementing the Rome Statute and its related instruments, giving due regard to preserving its integrity. Cooperate with ICC with respect to August 2008 war investigations. (Association Agenda; 2.2 Foreign and security policy; International Criminal Court (ICC))	Initiate the recognition of the obligatory nature of the amendments to 2010 Rome Statute (so-called Kampala) for Georgia and undertake the implementation of the relevant intergovernmental procedures	Ministry of Justice Ministry of Foreign Affairs	2014	State Budget	
127	Cooperate with ICC with respect to August 2008 war investigations. (Association Agenda; 2.2 Foreign and security policy; International Criminal Court (ICC))	Submit the periodic report to the International Criminal Court (ICC)	Office of the Chief Prosecutor	2014	State Budget	
128	Ensure a high level protection of personal data in accordance with European standards and take appropriate legislative and practical steps towards greater respect for the right to privacy, including in the	Adopt and enact legislative amendments to personal data protection legislation in order to ensure its compliance with best international and European standards, inter alia, appointment of the Data Protection Inspector by the Parliament	Office of the Personal Data Protection Inspector	2014	State Budget	

	criminal justice field; ensure the application of data protection standards	and her/his accountability before the Parliament				
129	also in the private sector. (Association Agenda; 2.3 Co-operation on Justice, Freedom and Security; Protection of Personal Data)	Establish a supervisory authority for the oversight of data processing for the police purposes in line with CoE Committee of Ministers Recommendation R(87)15	Office of the Personal Data Protection Inspector	2014	State Budget	
130		Full enactment of the Georgian Personal Data Protection Law towards the private sector	Office of the Personal Data Protection Inspector	2014	State Budget	
131		Implementation of the data protection legislation and European standards on data protection by public authorities through adapting their by-laws, internal regulations, procedures and practices to privacy regulations and in close cooperation with the Personal Data Protection Inspector	Office of the Personal Data Protection Inspector	2014	State Budget	
132		Elaborate thematic and sector specific guidelines and recommendations	Office of the Personal Data Protection Inspector	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
133		Develop rules regulating conflict of interest by the Office of the Personal Data Protection Inspector and elaborate the Inspection Methodology based on the ethical standards	Office of the Personal Data Protection Inspector	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
134		Conduct inspection of a large and/or exceptional category data controllers and data processors in the public sector by the initiative of the Inspector	Office of the Personal Data Protection Inspector	2014	State Budget	
135		Inspect the data controllers on the basis	Office of the	2014	State Budget	

		of citizen's complaints	Personal Data Protection Inspector			
136	Continue strengthening the capacity of the data protection authority (Inspector Office) and follow up on the application of data protection standards, in all	Ensure that the Office of the Personal Data Protection Inspector has autonomous and easily accessible office space for citizens	Office of the Personal Data Protection Inspector	2014	State Budget	
137	sectors, especially regarding law enforcement; ensure the independence and sufficient resources, allowing the authority to play the role of	Ensure the Office of the Personal Data Protection Inspector has sufficient human resources; increase number of office staff	Office of the Personal Data Protection Inspector	2014	State Budget	
138	independent supervisory authority with adequate powers and obligations. (Association Agenda; 2.3 Co-operation on Justice, Freedom and Security; Protection of Personal Data)	Ensure the Office of the Personal Data Protection Inspector has sufficient financial resources; increase the budget of the Office	Office of the Personal Data Protection Inspector	2014	State Budget	
139	Improve protection of privacy rights and investigate abuses. Ensure that the processing of personal data is carried in accordance with the law, meets the principles of necessity, proportionality and confidentiality and that adequate oversight is provided. (Association Agenda; 2.3 Co-operation on Justice, Freedom and Security; Protection of Personal Data)	Adoption, enactment and implementation in practice of legislative amendments on personal data protection legislation and other relevant normative acts in order to implement NR (87)15 recommendation of the Committee of Ministers of the Council of Europe and the EU (2008/977/JHA) 27 November 2008, framework decision	Office of the Personal Data Protection Inspector	2014	State Budget	
140	Undertake continuous, targeted information campaigns on data protection and its importance for a human rights-based approach.	Train and educate civil servants on personal data protection related topics	Office of the Personal Data Protection Inspector	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	

141	(Association Agenda; 2.3 Co-operation on Justice, Freedom and Security; Protection of Personal Data)	Offer trainings on personal data protection related topics to the private sector representatives	Office of the Personal Data Protection Inspector	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance		
142		Increase public awareness on data protection related issues through the web-site, media, PSAs; Elaborate and disseminate informational brochures, booklets and other printed materials	Office of the Personal Data Protection Inspector	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance		
143	Effectively implement Georgia's Migration Strategy 2013-2015 and the accompanying it Action Plan. (Association Agenda; 2.3 Co-operation on Justice, Freedom and Security; Migration and Asylum)	Commence work on the update of the Migration Strategy in accordance with the current challenges and needs	Ministry of Justice LEPL Public Service Development Agency State Commission on Migration Issues	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance		
144	(Association Agenda; 2.3 Co-operation on Justice, Freedom and Security; Migration and Asylum)	Consolidate migration and asylum legislative framework, according to EU and international standards including through adoption of legislation ensuring effective access to fair procedures for status determination and rights protection.	Elaborate draft amendments to the Law on the Refugees and Humanitarian Status within the development of legal framework of the asylum system	Ministry of Internally Displaced Persons from the Occupied Territories, Accommodation and Refugees	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
145		Launch the State Insurance programme for Asylum Seekers	Ministry of Internally Displaced Persons from the Occupied Territories,	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance		

			Accommodation and Refugees			
146		Grant temporary ID cards to Asylum Seekers	Ministry of Internally Displaced Persons from the Occupied Territories, Accommodation and Refugees	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
147	Establish a Unified Migration Analytical System. (Association Agenda; 2.3 Co-operation on Justice, Freedom and Security; Migration and Asylum)	Under the coordination of the SCMI Secretariat, along with IOM and ICMPD elaborate and implement the concept outlining the major directions of UMAS; Invite international experts to Georgia	Ministry of Justice LEPL Public Service Development Agency State Commission on Migration Issues	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
148	Continue strengthening the State Commission on Migration Issues; to develop programs for assisted voluntary return of vulnerable migrants. (Association Agenda; 2.3 Co-operation on Justice, Freedom and Security; Migration and Asylum)	Elaborate and develop assistance programs for vulnerable migrants in the framework of the “Thematic Group for Consolidation of the Reintegration Issues” by planning negotiations with the institutions involved in the above-mentioned working group	Ministry of Internally Displaced Persons from the Occupied Territories, Accommodation and Refugees	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
149	Continue effective implementation of the EU-Georgia Readmission Agreement and develop mechanisms for the fight against irregular migration. (Association Agenda; 2.3 Co-operation on Justice, Freedom and Security; Migration and Asylum)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continue cooperation with the EU Member States with the purpose of signing implementing protocols of the Readmission Agreement; Regular update of the information regarding the contact points in the partner states responsible for the 	Ministry of Internal Affairs	2014	State Budget	

		<p>review of readmission applications;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review and respond to readmission applications within the timeframe envisaged by the readmission agreements and respective implementing protocols 				
150		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Establish unified database for detection of foreigners staying in the country illegally; • Elaborate the rules for the expulsion of foreigners staying in the country without legal grounds; • Adoption of the statute and structure of MIA Migration Service; • Establish the MIA Migration Service and determine functions of its structural units; • Gradual training of the Migration Service employees 	Ministry of Internal Affairs	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
151	Draft and implement a comprehensive return and reintegration referral mechanism for the reintegration of Georgian citizens and strengthen the operational capacities of the government agencies dealing with returning migrants, including the Mobility Centre. (Association Agenda; 2.3 Co-operation on Justice, Freedom and Security; Migration and Asylum)	Reintegration of the returned migrants	Ministry of Internally Displaced Persons from the Occupied Territories, Accommodation and Refugees	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	

152	Establish a temporary accommodation centre for irregular migrants and ensure its operational capacity. (Association Agenda; 2.3 Co-operation on Justice, Freedom and Security; Migration and Asylum)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complete construction of the Temporary Accommodation Center; • Approve the rules of detention and transfer of aliens to the Temporary Accommodation Center; • Gradual training of the employees of the Temporary Accommodation Center 	Ministry of Internal Affairs	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
153	Proceed with the organization of continuous, targeted information campaigns on mobility and migration to the EU, including information on migrants' rights and obligations, rules regulating their access to the EU labor market (including through the EU Immigration Portal) and liability for any abuse of rights under the visa-free regime. (Association Agenda; 2.3 Co-operation on Justice, Freedom and Security; Migration and Asylum)	In cooperation with the EU and ICMPD, prepare following publications: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Migration Handbook – a guideline document providing detailed information on all aspects of migration related issues; b) Migration textbook – a publication to be used at the high educational institutes for teaching a discipline on migration 	Ministry of Justice LEPL Public Service Development Agency State Commission on Migration Issues	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
154	The Parties will ensure the full implementation of: (a) the Agreement between the European Union and Georgia on the readmission of persons residing without authorisation, which entered into force on 1 March 2011; and	Continue work for the effective implementation and monitoring of the “Agreement between Georgia and the European Union on Readmission of Persons Residing without Authorization” and “Agreement between Georgian and European Union on the facilitation of the issuance of visas”	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
155	(b) the Agreement between the European Union and Georgia on the	Work will continue in order to include the relevant services of the European Union Member States in the Readmission	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	2014	State Budget Donors	

	facilitation of the issuance of visas, which entered into force on 1 March 2011. (Association Agreement; Article 16; Movement of persons and readmission)	Case Management Electronic System”			Assistance	
156	The Parties shall continue to endeavour to enhance mobility of citizens and shall take gradual steps towards the shared objective of a visa-free regime in due course, provided that the conditions for well-managed and secure mobility set out in the two-phase Action Plan on Visa Liberalisation are in place. (Association Agreement; Article 16; Movement of persons and readmission)	Support the effective implementation of the Visa Liberalisation Action Plan	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	2014	State Budget	
157	Elaborate a multi-annual Integrated Border Management Strategy and the accompanying Action Plan for the post-2013 period. (Association Agenda; 2.3 Co-operation on Justice, Freedom and Security; Border Management)	Elaborate the relevant Action Plan of the National Integrated Border Management (IBM) Strategy	Ministry of Internal Affairs	2014	State Budget	
158	Phase out the use of Georgian non-biometric passports in accordance with the Visa Liberalization Action Plan. (Association Agenda; 2.3 Co-operation on Justice, Freedom and Security; Border Management)	Enable receipt of applications for the issuance of biometric passports at the Georgian diplomatic representations and consular agencies	Ministry of Justice LEPL Public Service Development Agency Ministry of Foreign	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	

			Affairs			
159	Maintain a high-level of border checks and border surveillance and develop efficient inter-agency cooperation. (Association Agenda; 2.3 Co-operation on Justice, Freedom and Security; Border Management)	Establish working groups and hold regular meetings within the framework of the Memorandum of Understanding between Ministries of Internal Affairs and Finance	Ministry of Internal Affairs	2014	State Budget	
160		In order to ensure control of the legal regime of maritime space of Georgia, complete construction of the Joint Operations Command Centre of executive government bodies of Georgia and elaborate rules of the Center's procedures	Ministry of Internal Affairs	2014	State Budget	
161		Determine the composition of the Council of Joint Operations Command Centre and elaborate its rules of procedures	Ministry of Internal Affairs	2014	State Budget	
162	Enhance efforts for further development of the Green Border management capacities following comprehensive needs assessment. (Association Agenda; 2.3 Co-operation on Justice, Freedom and Security; Border Management)	Organise assessment mission/carry out wide-scale assessment on the state land border capabilities which will identify needs with regards to infrastructure, equipment and IT systems	Ministry of Internal Affairs	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
163		Plan/implement activities/measures to address the needs identified by the assessment report; Evaluation of the existing situation and identification of the capacity building needs in the area of human resources management within the Border Police of the MIA	Ministry of Internal Affairs	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
164	Step up efforts in effectively	Elaborate and adopt a new National	Relevant	2014	State Budget	

	implementing the 2013-2014 Action Plan on the Fight against Trafficking in Human Beings; raise capacity of the state authorities to proactively identify and efficiently investigate cases of trafficking in human beings. (Association Agenda; 2.3 Co-operation on Justice, Freedom and Security; Fight against Organised Crime)	Action Plan on Fight against Trafficking in Human Beings	Interagency Coordination Commission (Ministry of Justice)		Donors Assistance	
165		Conduct professional trainings on trafficking for prosecutors and investigators	Relevant Interagency Coordination Commission (Ministry of Justice)	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
166		Increase number of mobile groups for the effective and proactive investigations	Relevant Interagency Coordination Commission (Ministry of Justice)	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
167		Elaborate and adopt guidelines of the Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) for investigators/agents	Relevant Interagency Coordination Commission (Ministry of Justice)	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
168		Raise public awareness on combating trafficking in persons via information meetings, seminars, TV and radio shows, distribution of leaflets	Relevant Interagency Coordination Commission (Ministry of Justice)	2014	State Budget	
169		Protect the victims of TIP	Relevant Interagency Coordination Commission (Ministry of Justice)	2014	State Budget	
170		Voluntary and safe return of TIP victims to the place of their habitual residence and support their rehabilitation	Relevant Interagency Coordination	2014	State Budget	

			Commission (Ministry of Justice)			
171		Deepen the cooperation with non-governmental organisations	Relevant Interagency Coordination Commission (Ministry of Justice)	2014	State Budget	
172		Maintain cooperation with the relevant agencies of the Partner States	Relevant Interagency Coordination Commission (Ministry of Justice)	2014	State Budget	
173	Implement the National Drug Strategy and Action Plan 2014-2015, while envisaging their extension beyond 2015. (Association Agenda; 2.3 Co-operation on Justice, Freedom and Security; Tackling Illicit Drugs)	Monitor the implementation of the National Drug Strategy and Action Plan	Relevant Interagency Coordination Commission (Ministry of Justice)	2014	State Budget	
174		Review the Law on Controlled Substances to bring them in compliance with the international standards	Relevant Interagency Coordination Commission (Ministry of Justice)	2014	State Budget	
175		Develop a legislative and regulatory base and provide it with the necessary infrastructure and organizational capacities for effective functioning of the Drug Monitoring National Center	Relevant Interagency Coordination Commission (Ministry of Justice)	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
176		Hold consultations for the purpose of cooperation and information exchange and signing the memorandum of understanding between the EMCCDA and Georgia	Relevant Interagency Coordination Commission (Ministry of Justice)	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	

177	Continue efforts in the area of prevention and fight against organised crime. (Association Agenda; 2.3 Co-operation on Justice, Freedom and Security; Fight against Organised Crime)	Raise public awareness on the fight against organised crime; train MIA employees	Ministry of Internal Affairs	2014	State Budget	
178		Refurbish MIA's structural units involved in the fight against organised crime	Ministry of Internal Affairs	2014	State Budget	
179		Inform the business community about organised crime and its menaces through elaborating relevant recommendations	Ministry of Internal Affairs	2014	State Budget	
180		Organise regular coordinating meetings for the agencies involved in the fight against organized crime	Ministry of Internal Affairs	2014	State Budget	
181	Intensify further efforts in establishing the legal and institutional framework for preventing and fighting money laundering and financing of terrorism. (Association Agenda; 2.3 Co-operation on Justice, Freedom and Security; Fight against Organised Crime)	Expand the group of monitoring entities under the Law of Georgia on Facilitating the Prevention of Illicit Income Legalization	LEPL Financial Monitoring Service	2014	State Budget	
182		Improve provisions of the Law of Georgia on Facilitating the Prevention of Illicit Income Legalization concerning the identification and verification of clients (beneficial owners) by monitoring entities	LEPL Financial Monitoring Service	2014	State Budget	
183		Improve provisions of the Law of Georgia on Facilitating the Prevention of Illicit Income Legalization concerning the protection and dissemination of information	LEPL Financial Monitoring Service	2014	State Budget	
184		Improve provisions of the Law of Georgia on Facilitating the Prevention of Illicit Income Legalization concerning unusual transactions	LEPL Financial Monitoring Service	2014	State Budget	
185		Improve provisions of the Law of Georgia on Facilitating the Prevention of Illicit	LEPL Financial Monitoring Service	2014	State Budget	

		Income Legalization concerning shell banks				
186		Adopt new and/or improve existing regulations governing activities of monitoring entities under the Law of Georgia on Facilitating the Prevention of Illicit Income Legalization	LEPL Financial Monitoring Service	2014	State Budget	
187	For the purpose of effectively tackling organized crime further develop cooperation between EU Member States and Georgian law-enforcement agencies.	Sign international agreements and memorandums of cooperation in the area of the fight against organised crime	Ministry of Internal Affairs	2014	State Budget	
188	(Association Agenda; 2.3 Co-operation on Justice, Freedom and Security; Fight against Organised Crime)	Elaborate rules for filling out for submission of the request on international law enforcement cooperation	Ministry of Internal Affairs	2014	State Budget	
189	The Parties shall cooperate on combating and preventing criminal and illegal activities, in particular transnational activities, organised or otherwise, such as:	Develop the Anti-corruption Strategy and Action Plan	Anti-Corruption Interagency Coordination Council (Ministry of Justice)	2014	State Budget	
190	(e) Active and passive corruption, both in the private and public sector. (Association Agreement; Article 17)	Improve monitoring mechanism of implementation of the anti-corruption policy	Anti-Corruption Interagency Coordination Council (Ministry of Justice)	2014	State Budget	
191		Increase the secretariat of the Anti-corruption Council with human resources and raise capacity of the staff	Anti-Corruption Interagency Coordination Council (Ministry of Justice)	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	

192		Facilitate compliance with the recommendations of international organizations (GRECO, OECD, UNODC/UNCAC)	Anti-Corruption Interagency Coordination Council (Ministry of Justice)	2014	State Budget	
193		Elaborate the draft law on freedom of information	Anti-Corruption Interagency Coordination Council (Ministry of Justice)	2014	State Budget	
194		Provide cooperation mechanism with civil society and ensure effective work of the Open Government Partnership Georgia Forum in the framework of the Open Government	Anti-Corruption Interagency Coordination Council (Ministry of Justice)	2014	State Budget	
195	Enhance judicial cooperation in civil and commercial matters by acceding to and implementing of multilateral conventions on civil judicial cooperation and, in particular, the Conventions of the Hague Conference on Private International Law in the field of judicial cooperation as well as the protection of children especially the 1965 Convention on the Service Abroad of Judicial and Extrajudicial Documents in Civil or Commercial Matters, the 1970 Convention on the Taking of Evidence Abroad in Civil or Commercial Matters, and the 1996 Convention on Jurisdiction, Applicable Law, Recognition, Enforcement and Co-	Start cooperation and hold negotiations with those states which have not recognised Georgia's accession to the Hague 1980 Convention on Civil Aspects of International Child Abduction	Ministry of Justice	2014	State Budget	
196		Start work on the practical guidelines for the implementation of the Hague 1980 Convention on Civil Aspects of international Child Abduction	Ministry of Justice	2014	State Budget	
197		Elaborate and approve the Referral and enforcement mechanism for child abduction cases	Ministry of Justice	2014	State Budget	

	operation in Respect of Parental Responsibility and Measures for the Protection of Children. (Association Agenda; 2.3 Co-operation on Justice, Freedom and Security; Legal Cooperation)					
198	Enhance the judicial cooperation in criminal matters by acceding to and implementing the relevant conventions, especially those of the CoE. (Association Agenda; 2.3 Co-operation on Justice, Freedom and Security; Legal Cooperation)	Draft legislative amendments in relation to the implementation of the Third Additional Protocol to the European Convention on Extradition and initiating in the Parliament	Office of the Chief Prosecutor	2014	State Budget	
199	Establish closer cooperation with Eurojust, including through envisaging the conclusion of an operational cooperation agreement. (Association Agenda; 2.3 Co-operation on Justice, Freedom and Security; Legal Cooperation)	Hold consultations and meetings with the Representatives of Eurojust to enhance further cooperation	Ministry of Justice	2014	State Budget EU	
200	Parties will cooperate to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Strengthen the independence of the National Bank of Georgia (NBG), including by reviewing the central bank legislation in line with best EU practice, including with the support of EU expertise, also from the European Central Bank (ECB); Share the experience of the EU, including from ECB, on monetary exchange rate and financial and 	Improve the legislative and normative base under the competence of the National Bank of Georgia	The National Bank	2014	The National Bank Budget	

	banking sector regulation and supervision policies, and helping to develop and strengthen Georgia's capabilities in all those areas. (Association Agenda; 2.5 Economic cooperation)					
201	Ensuring further improvement of the internal control system under decentralised managerial responsibility, including functionally independent internal audit, in state authorities by means of harmonization with generally accepted international standards and methodologies and EU best practice. (Association Agenda; 2.5 Economic Cooperation; Public Internal Financial Control and External Audit)	Prepare and adopt the Public Internal Financial Control Strategic Vision (PIFC) Policy Paper (2015-2017)	Ministry of Finance	2014	OECD/SIGMA Kingdom of the Netherlands	
202		Elaborate and adopt the Rules and Procedures for Financial Management and Control (FMC)	Ministry of Finance	2014	EU Support project	
203		Elaborate draft law on PIFC	Ministry of Finance	2014	State Budget	
204		Strengthen and ensure independence of the Central Harmonization Unit (CHU)	Ministry of Finance	2014	State Budget	
205		Elaborate and adopt the Methodology of Internal Audit	Ministry of Finance	2014	GIZ	
206		Ensure the understanding of system-based and performance audit and its practical implementation in the line ministries (conduct trainings on system audit; conduct pilot auditing)	Ministry of Finance	2014	GIZ	
207		Staffing of Internal Audit Department of the Ministry of Defence; Staff training; Development conceptual base in the department	Ministry of Defence	2014-2015	State Budget	
208		The Parties shall cooperate to enhance good governance in the tax area, with a view to the further improvement of economic relations, trade, investment	Draft relevant regulation based on international practice concerning procedural issues of exchange of information in tax matters	Ministry of Finance LEPL Revenue Service	2014	State Budget IFC Technical Assistance

209	and fair competition. (Association Agreement; Article 280)	Extend the EOI treaty network and complete the Global Forum phase 1 and phase 2 reviews	Ministry of Finance LEPL Revenue Service	2014	State Budget IFC Technical Assistance	
210	Parties recognise and commit themselves to implement the principles of good governance in the tax area, i.e. the principles of transparency, exchange of information and fair tax competition, as subscribed to by Member States at EU level. To that effect, without prejudice to EU and Member States competences, the Parties will improve international cooperation in the tax area, facilitate the collection of legitimate tax revenues, and develop measures for the effective implementation of the above mentioned principles. (Association Agreement; Chapter 3; Article 281)	Introduce automatic exchange of tax information (including implementation of relevant systems and software solutions)	Ministry of Finance LEPL Revenue Service	2014	State Budget	
211	The Parties shall also enhance and strengthen their cooperation aimed at the development of the Georgia's tax system and administration, including the enhancement of collection and control capacity, ensure effective tax	Further development of Risk Analysis System for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Audit selection • Current control procedure • Debt management 	Ministry of Finance LEPL Revenue Service	2014	State Budget TWINNING International Monetary Fund	
212	collection and reinforce the fight against tax fraud and tax avoidance. The Parties shall strive to enhance cooperation and sharing of experiences in combating tax	Cooperation with the Ministry of Finance of Austria within the framework of the EU Twinning Project	Ministry of Finance LEPL Revenue Service	2014	State Budget TWINNING	
213	fraud, in particular carousel fraud. (Association Agreement;	Sign the agreement between the Ministry of Finance of Georgia and Tax	Ministry of Finance	2014	State Budget	

	Chapter 3; Article 282)	Inspectorate of Lithuania on technical cooperation	LEPL Revenue Service			
214	Georgia will carry out approximation of its legislation to the EU acts and international instruments referred to in Annex XXII to this Agreement in accordance with the provisions of that Annex. (Association Agreement; Chapter 3; Article 285)	Analyse gaps and necessities in administration of Value Added Tax and draft an action plan for further legislative and procedural changes	Ministry of Finance LEPL Revenue Service	2014	State Budget TWINNING	
215	Conducting the Population Census, including an agricultural component. (Association Agenda; 2.5 Economic Cooperation; Statistics)	Conduct the Population Census which includes an agricultural component	LEPL National Statistics Office	5-19 November 2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
216	Revising the statistical law with a view to strengthening Geostat's role, governance structure and reporting mechanism in accordance with international and European best practices. (Association Agenda; 2.5 Economic Cooperation; Statistics)	Revise the Law on Official Statistics	LEPL National Statistics Office	2014	State Budget	
217	Developing a national nomenclature of economic activities in line with the Statistical Classification of Economic Activities in the EU (NACE rev 2) by the end of 2014 (Association Agenda; 2.5 Economic Cooperation; Statistics)	Adopt a national nomenclature of economic activities	LEPL National Statistics Office	2014	State Budget	
218	Improving the dissemination of statistics. (Association Agenda;	Introduce/improve the modern data dissemination methods	LEPL National Statistics Office	2014	State Budget	

	2.5 Economic Cooperation; Statistics)					
219	Stepping up efforts to implement the EU aviation acquis in order to take full advantage of the EU-Georgia Common Aviation Area Agreement. (Association Agenda; 2.6 Other Cooperation Policies; Transport)	Elaborate the Action Plan for the implementation of obligations of Georgia as envisaged by EU-Georgia Common Aviation Area	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development LEPL Civil Aviation Agency	2014	Budget of Civil Aviation Agency State Budget	
220	Activities to improve aviation safety. (Association Agenda; 2.6 Other Cooperation Policies; Transport)	Reinforce the aviation legislation for the purpose of prohibition of registration of aircrafts from so called “black list countries” and for establishing certain age restrictions	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development LEPL Civil Aviation Agency	2014	Budget of Civil Aviation Agency State Budget	
221		Introduce the improvement measures on the limitations found during the 2013 audit conducted by International Organization of Civil Aviation (ICAO) in compliance with adopted correction plan	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development LEPL Civil Aviation Agency	2014	Budget of Civil Aviation Agency State Budget	
222	Reinforcing Georgia's energy infrastructure network and interconnections, in particular:	Test the 220 kV electricity transmission line “Senaki 1,2”	Ministry of Energy	2014	USAID GSE	
223	- with regard to electricity, continuing the implementation of the "Black Sea Regional Transmission Network" project, including by starting operations	Rehabilitation of the 220 kV electricity transmission line “Paliastomi-1” and 110 kV electricity transmission line “Kokhra-1”	Ministry of Energy	2014	GSE	
224	of the 400kV connection Georgia (Akhalsikhe) - Turkey (Borchkha), strengthening interconnections with	Conduct preventive works on regional grid of electricity transmission lines of JSC “GSE” in accordance with	Ministry of Energy	2014	GSE	

	Azerbaijan and Armenia, and reinforcing Georgia's transmission grid. (Association Agenda; 2.6 Other Cooperation Policies; Energy Co-operation)	maintenance rules				
225		Implement preparatory and planning works for the “Jvari-Khorga” 500/220 kV transmission line and 500/220 substation line	Ministry of Energy	2014	EBRD KFW	
226	Facilitating the implementation of the expansion of the South Caucasus gas pipeline on the Georgian territory. Association Agenda; 2.6 Other Cooperation Policies; Energy Co-operation)	Facilitate land acquisition permissions issuance process required for construction activities on the territory of Georgia	Ministry of Energy	2014	State Budget	
227	Improving energy efficiency and developing the use of renewable energy sources in Georgia in line with the Association Agreement. (Association Agenda; 2.6 Other Cooperation Policies; Energy Co-operation)	Facilitate timely conclusion of negotiations on the timelines related to energy efficiency and renewable energy directives/regulations in line with the Association Agreement	Ministry of Energy	2014	State Budget	
228	Directive 94/22/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 30 May 1994 on the conditions for granting and using authorizations for the prospection, exploration and production of hydrocarbons. (Association Agreement; Article 300; Annex XXV)	Begin work on drafting the law and improving the regulations in line with this directive	Ministry of Energy LEPL State Agency of Oil and Gas	2014	State Budget LEPL State Agency of Oil and Gas Budget	
229	Full implementation of Georgia’s National Environment Action Plan for 2012-2016. (Association Agenda; 2.6 Other Cooperation Policies; Environment and Climate Change)	Develop and adopt a new legislative base plan on environmental health	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs LEPL National Center for Disease	2014	State Budget	

			Control and Public Health			
230	Development of a coherent method of environmental data collection across the different ministries under the Shared Environmental Information System (SEIS), and public access to environmental information. (Association Agenda; 2.6 Other Cooperation Policies; Environment and Climate Change)	Elaborate the indicators associated with the environmental diseases for the shared environment information system	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs LEPL National Center for Disease Control and Public Health	2014	State Budget	
231	The development of National Environment Action Plan (NEAP) covering the overall national and sector related strategic directions of the environment in Georgia as well as institutional and administrative issues (Association Agreement; Article 304.a)	Create an interagency working group on the National Environmental Action Plan (NEAP) and launch work on the plan	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs LEPL National Center for Disease Control and Public Health	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
232	Directive 2011/92/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 13 December 2011 on the assessment of the effects of certain public and private projects on the environment. (Association Agreement; Article 306, Annex XXVI; Environment)	Start preliminary works for harmonisation of legislation, designate competent authorities and elaborate mechanism for public awareness	Ministry of Environment and Natural Resources Protection	2014	UNECE EaP Green	
233	Directive 2001/42/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 June 2001 on the assessment of the effects of certain plans and programmes on the environment. (Association Agreement;	Continue harmonisation of legislation and initiate procedures to decide which plans and programmes should be subject to strategic environmental assessment	Ministry of Environment and Natural Resources Protection	2014	UNECE EaP Green	

	Article 306; Annex XXVI; Environment)					
234	Directive 2003/4/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 28 January 2003 on public access to environmental information. (Association Agreement; Article 306; Annex XXVI; Environment)	Continue harmonisation of legislation and establish practical mechanism on the environmental information accessibility to the public	Ministry of Environment and Natural Resources Protection	2014	UNECE EaP Green	
235	Directive 2003/35/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 May 2003 providing for public participation in respect of the drawing up of certain plans and programmes relating to the environment. (Association Agreement; Article 306; Annex XXVI; Environment)	Continue harmonisation of legislation and establish effective mechanism for disseminating environmental information to the public	Ministry of Environment and Natural Resources Protection	2014	UNECE EaP Green	
236	Directive 2003/4/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 28 January 2003 on public access to environmental information. (Association Agreement; Article 306; Annex XXVI; Environment)	Changes in the Law on Environmental Protection: The term of “environmental information” to be defined	Ministry of Environment and Natural Resources Protection	2014	State Budget	
237	Directive 2009/147/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 30 November 2009 on the conservation of wild birds. (Association Agreement; Article 306; Annex XXVI; Environment)	Draft the Law on Species and Habitates	Ministry of Environment and Natural Resources Protection	2014	GIZ	
238	Council Directive 92/43/EC of 21 May 1992 on the conservation of natural habitats and of wild fauna and flora. (Association Agreement; Article 306; Annex XXVI; Environment,	Continue inventory of Emerald Network sites	Ministry of Environment and Natural Resources Protection	2014	EU	

	Nature protection)					
239	Directive 2000/60/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 23 October 2000 establishing a framework for Community action in the field of water policy as amended by Decision No 2455/2001/EC. (Association Agreement; Article 306; Annex XXVI; Environment, Water quality and resource management including marine environment)	Draft the law on Water Resources Management and conduct discussion with relevant stakeholders	Ministry of Environment and Natural Resources Protection	2014	State Budget UNECE	
240	Directive 96/82/EC of 9 December 1996 on the control of major accident hazards involving dangerous substances. (Association Agreement; Article 306; Annex XXVI; Environment, Industrial Pollution and Industrial Hazards)	Prepare draft analysis of existing legislation in line with the SEVESO III Directive requirements	Ministry of Environment and Natural Resources Protection	2014	State Budget Czech Development Agency	
241	Directive 2008/98/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 19 November 2008 on waste. (Association Agreement; Article 306; Annex XXVI; Environment, Waste Management)	Submit the Waste Management Code to the Parliament	Ministry of Environment and Natural Resources Protection of Georgia	2014	State Budget EU	
242		Draft the Law on Import, Export and Transit of Waste	Ministry of Environment and Natural Resources Protection	2014	State Budget	

243	Council Directive 1999/31/EC of 26 April 1999 on the landfill of waste as amended by Regulation (EC) No 1882/2003. (Association Agreement; Article 306; Annex XXVI; Environment, Waste Management)	Develop the draft resolution of Government on “Construction, Operation, Closure and after-care of Landfills”	Ministry of Environment and Natural Resources Protection “Solid Waste Management Company of Georgia” Ltd	2014	State Budget EU	(Ongoing final negotiation with SIDA for implementation of pilot project – closure of existing landfill site)
244	Regulation (EC) No 689/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 June 2008 on export and import of dangerous chemicals. (Association Agreement; Article 306; Annex XXVI; Environment, Chemicals Management)	Develop the draft resolution of Government “On Import and Export of Certain Hazardous Chemical Substances and Pesticides”	Ministry of Environment and Natural Resources Protection Ministry of Agriculture	2014	State Budget EU	
245	Regulation (EC) No 842/2006 on certain fluorinated greenhouse gases (Article 5). (Association Agreement; Article 312; Annex XXVI; Climate Action)	Establish training and certification system of technicians. Submit relevant legislative changes on Ambient Air Protection law	Ministry of Environment and Natural Resources Protection	2014	Montreal Multilateral Fund State budget	
246	Regulation (EC) No 1005/2009 on substances that deplete the ozone layer (Articles 5 and 11). (Association Agreement; Article 312; Annex XXVI; Climate Action)	Decrease HCFCs consumption by 10% in 2015 according to Georgia’s obligation under the Montreal Protocol. Prepare and adopt Minister’s Order on the establishment of annual HCFC import quota for 2015	Ministry of Environment and Natural Resources Protection	2014	State budget	
247	Council Directive 1999/31/EC of 26 April 1999 on the landfill of waste as amended by Regulation (EC) No 1882/2003. (Association Agreement;	Technical assistance in preparation of compliance plans for existing landfills, in line with the international experience	Ministry of Regional Development and Infrastructure	2014	State Budget EU	

	Article 306; Annex XXVI; Environment; Waste Management)		“Solid Waste Management Company of Georgia” Ltd			
248		Technical assistance and capacity building for the elaboration of legislation on waste placement procedures in line with the EU’s best practices and relevant international experience	Ministry of Regional Development and Infrastructure “Solid Waste Management Company of Georgia” Ltd	2014	State Budget KfW EBRD	
249	Directive No 2009/138/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 November 2009 on the taking-up and pursuit of the business of Insurance. (Association Agreement; Article 323; Annex XV-A; Rules Applicable to Financial Services, Insurance)	Start activities for the implementation of the Directive (2009/138/EC), which aims to: Oblige insurance companies to form into joint stock companies (carry out changes in the “insurance law”); Set insurance companies solvency limits (margin); Elaborate a procedure for calculation (issue normative act by the LEPL Insurance State Supervision Service)	LEPL Insurance State Supervision Service	2014	State Budget	
250	Commission Recommendation of 18 December 1991 on insurance intermediaries (92/48/EEC). (Association Agreement; Article 323; Annex XV-A; Rules	Start activities for the implementation of the recommendation (92/48/EEC), which aims to: Determine (to specify) the status of	LEPL Insurance State Supervision Service	2014	State Budget	

	Applicable to Financial Services; Insurance)	<p>insurance intermediaries, issue of their registration (possibly licensing), prerequisites and necessary conditions and qualifications (professional) requirements (carry out changes and amendments to the “insurance law”);</p> <p>In addition, to issue normative act (acts) by the LEPL Insurance State Supervision Service covering the regulation of insurance intermediaries’ activities. (In case the registration implies licensing, the law of Georgia on Licenses and Permits” will be amended)</p>				
251	<p>Directive No 2009/103/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 September 2009 relating to insurance against civil liability in respect of the use of motor vehicles, and the enforcement of the obligation to insure against such liability.</p> <p>(Association Agreement; Article 323; Annex XV-A; Rules Applicable to Financial Services; Insurance)</p>	<p>Start works to determine compulsory civil liability insurance schemes of vehicle owners and responsible institution</p>	<p>LEPL Insurance State Supervision Service</p>	<p>2014</p>	<p>State Budget</p>	

252	<p>Directive 97/67/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 December 1997 on common rules for the development of the internal market of Community postal services and the improvement of quality of service, Directive 2002/39/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 10 June 2002 amending Directive 97/67/EC with regard to the further opening to competition of Community postal services and Directive 2008/6/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 February 2008 amending Directive 97/67/EC with regard to the full accomplishment of the internal market of Community postal services.</p> <p>(Association Agreement; Annex XV-C; Rules applicable to postal and courier services)</p>	<p>Start work to approximate Georgian legislation with that of EU in the area of postal services</p>	<p>Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development</p>	<p>2014</p>	<p>State Budget</p> <p>Donors Assistance</p>	
253	<p>Decision No 676/2002/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of March 7, 2002 on a regulatory framework for radio spectrum policy in the European Community.</p> <p>(Association Agreement; Article 327, Annex XV-B, rules applicable to telecommunication services)</p>	<p>Review/Revision of existing Georgian legislation and directives envisaged by the Association Agreement</p>	<p>National Communication Commission (GNCC)</p>	<p>2014</p>	<p>GNCC Budget</p> <p>Donors Assistance</p>	<p>Placing advertisements in internet, TV and printed media</p>
254	<p>The Parties shall cooperate in the field of tourism, with the aim of strengthening the development of a</p>	<p>Participate in international fairs</p>	<p>Ministry of Economy and Sustainable</p>	<p>2014</p>	<p>State Budget</p>	

	competitive and sustainable tourism industry as a generator of economic growth and empowerment, employment and international exchange. (Association Agreement; Article 328)		Development LEPL National Tourism Administration			
255		Organise marketing campaigns in the EU Member States, including advertisements in foreign media	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development LEPL National Tourism Administration	2014	State Budget	
256		Develop tourism infrastructure in Gudauri	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development LEPL National Tourism Administration	2014	State Budget	
257	Tourism: The cooperation shall focus on a) exchange of information, best practices, experience and <i>“know-how”</i> . (Association Agreement; Article 330)	Involve Georgian Diaspora and representatives of Diaspora Organizations residing in Europe and share their experience in the field of tourism	The Office of the State Minister for Diaspora Issues	2014	State Budget	

258	Facilitating the integration of Georgia into the European Research Area (ERA). (Association Agenda; 2.6 Cooperation in Other Policies; Cooperation in Research, Technological Development and Innovation)	Elaborate and implement bilateral and multilateral scientific and technological programmes in cooperation with European research centers, such as CNRS (France), CNR (Italy), and etc. as well as donor organisations in order to create a solid base for close collaboration between European and Georgian researchers	Ministry of Education and Science LEPL Shota Rustaveli National Science Foundation	2014	State Budget EU	
259	Enhancing Georgian participation in the Horizon 2020 programme. (Association Agenda; 2.6 Cooperation in Other Policies; Cooperation in Research, Technological Development and Innovation)	Identify the benefits and challenges that may arise from Georgia's association to the Horizon 2020 Programme by analysing science and research potential. Based on the analysis develop recommendations for joining Horizon 2020 programme as an associated member	Ministry of Education and Science	2014	State Budget EU	
260		Create a nationwide system of contact persons for Horizon 2020 and organise their trainings	Ministry of Education and Science	2014	State Budget EU	
261		Promote affiliation of Georgian scientific researchers institutions with the similar European and Eastern European institutes under the auspices of Horizon 2020	Ministry of Education and Science	2014	State Budget EU	
262		Create a sub-directory on the official website of the Ministry on planned and ongoing activities related to Horizon 2020	Ministry of Education and Science	2014	State Budget EU	
263	Reinforcing human, material and institutional resources in order to improve research and innovation	Elaborate/develop the Education Strategy for 2014-2024	Ministry of Education and Science	2014	State Budget EU	

264	capacities. (Association Agenda; 2.6 Cooperation in Other Policies; Cooperation in Research, Technological Development and Innovation)	Facilitate access of Georgian PhD students to the research activities in local and international research institutions	Ministry of Education and Science	2014	State Budget EU	
265	(Association Agenda; 2.6 Cooperation in Other Policies; Cooperation in Research, Technological Development and Innovation)	Increase financial support for PhD students	Ministry of Education and Science	2014	State Budget EU	
266		Ensure access to international databases for Georgian researchers	Ministry of Education and Science	2014	State Budget EU	
267		Reinforcing Georgian participation in Marie Skłodowska-Curie actions. (Association Agenda; 2.6 Cooperation in Other Policies; Cooperation in Research, Technological Development and Innovation)	Elaborate recommendations for participation in Marie Skłodowska-Curie in coming years	Ministry of Education and Science LEPL Shota Rustaveli National Science Foundation	2014	State Budget EU
268	The Parties shall strengthen their dialogue and cooperation on promoting the Decent Work Agenda, employment policy, health and safety at work, social dialogue, social protection, social inclusion, gender equality and anti-discrimination, and corporate social responsibility and thereby contribute to the promotion of more and better jobs,	Elaborate draft laws on Employment, Labour Protection and Hygiene, and Regulation of the Labour Migration	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs	2014	State Budget	
269		Implement the project for technical assistance on employment and professional training reform within the scope of the EU Budgetary Assistance Programme “Employment, Professional Education and Training”	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs	2014	State Budget EU	

270	poverty reduction, enhanced social cohesion, sustainable development and improved quality of life. (Association Agreement; Chapter 14; Article 348; Annex XXX; Employment, Social Policy and Equal Opportunities)	Implementation of the U.S Department of Labor financed project - “Improvement of protection of labor legislation in Georgia”	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs	2014	State Budget US Department of Labor	
271	Cooperation, based on exchange of information and best practices, may cover a selected number of issues to be identified among the following areas: Poverty reduction and the enhancement of social cohesion. (Association Agreement; Article 349.a)	Facilitate implementation of projects on small businesses that leads to creation of new jobs within its competence in partnership with different international and non-governmental organisations	The Office of the State Minister for Diaspora Issues	2014	EU USAID DRC	
272	Equal opportunities and antidiscrimination, aiming at enhancing gender equality and ensuring equal opportunities between women and men , as well as combating discrimination based on sex, racial or ethnic origin, religion or belief, disability, age or sexual orientation. (Association Agreement; Chapter 14; Article 349.e)	Elaborate Governmental Action Plan for 2014-2016 on “Providing Equal Opportunities for Persons with Disabilities”	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs	2014	State Budget	
273	Strengthening of the public health system of Georgia in particular through continuing health sector reform, ensuing high quality healthcare, development of human resources for health, improving health governance	Elaborate Georgia’s Health Care System Strategic Plan for 2014-2020	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs	2014	State Budget	

	and healthcare financing. (Association Agreement; Chapter 15; Article 356.a)					
274	Epidemiological surveillance and control of communicable diseases, such as for example HIV/AIDS, viral hepatitis, tuberculosis as well as antimicrobial resistance as well as increased preparedness for public health threats and emergencies. (Association Agreement; Chapter 15; Article 356.b)	Gradual improvement of the existing legislative framework (Order of the Minister N27/n annex 7, issued in 2012) on Epidemiological surveillance and control	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs LEPL National Center for Disease Control and Public Health	2014	State Budget	
275		Gradual improvement of the functioning of epidemiological surveillance, control, laboratory research and disease response systems in accordance with the decisions of the European Commission	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs LEPL National Center for Disease Control and Public Health	2014	State Budget Donors and International Organisations	
276	Prevention and control of non-communicable diseases, mainly through exchange of information and best practices, promoting healthy lifestyles, physical activity and addressing major health determinants, such as nutrition, addiction to alcohol, drugs and tobacco. (Association Agreement; Chapter 15; Article 356.c)	Elaborate the national strategies and relevant five-year Action Plans on the Prevention and Control of Non-communicable diseases. Carry out local and international expertise	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs LEPL National Center for Disease Control and Public Health	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
277	Effective implementation of international health agreements to which the Parties are party, in particular the International Health Regulations	Implement the activities related to the enforcement of the Framework Convention on Tobacco Control	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs	2014	State Budget	

	and Framework Convention on Tobacco Control. (Association Agreement; Chapter 15; Article 356.f)		LEPL National Center for Disease Control and Public Health			
278		With the support from the WHO Tobacco Control Secretariat and WHO Regional Office for Europe, maintain active communication between the parties	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs LEPL National Center for Disease Control and Public Health	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
279		Monitor Georgian legislation and the fulfillment of international requirements	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs LEPL National Center for Disease Control and Public Health	2014	State Budget	
280	Council Recommendation of 5 June 2001 on the drinking of alcohol by young people, in particular children and adolescents (2001/458/EC). (Association Agreement; Article 357; Annex XXXI; Public Health, Alcohol)	Elaborate the National Strategy on the Reduction of Harmful Use of Alcohol and the Action Plan for 2014-2018	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs LEPL National Center for Disease Control and Public Health	2014	State Budget	
281		Implement activities to raise public awareness on harms caused by the use of alcohol	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs	2014	State Budget	

			LEPL National Center for Disease Control and Public Health			
282	Council Recommendation of 2 December 2003 on cancer screening (2003/878/EC). (Association Agreement; Article 357; Annex XXXI; Public Health, Cancer)	Elaborate the National Strategy on cancer control with a five-year Action Plan and start its gradual introduction	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs LEPL National Center for Disease Control and Public Health	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
283		Pilot introduction of organised screening of cervical cancer in selected regions of Georgia	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs LEPL National Center for Disease Control and Public Health	2014	State Budget UNFPA	
284		Introduce cancer population registry	Ministry of Labour, Health and Social Affairs LEPL National Center for Disease Control and Public Health	2014	State Budget	
285	Carrying out joint work and exchanges with a view to promoting Georgia's further integration into the European	Revise the National Qualifications Framework	Ministry of Education and Science	2014	State Budget EU	

	Higher Education Area, in the context of its membership of the Bologna process, including through fostering the independence and autonomy of Georgian universities.		LEPL National Examinations Center			
286	(Association Agenda; 2.6 Cooperation in Other Policies; Education, Training and Youth)	Revise the evaluation mechanisms (authorization and accreditation) in the higher education system and development of the relevant international models	Ministry of Education and Science LEPL National Examinations Center	2014	State Budget EU	
287		Capacity building of authorization and accreditation experts, respective councils and higher education institutions	Ministry of Education and Science LEPL National Examinations Center	2014	State Budget EU	
288	Promoting academic cooperation, capacity building and student and staff mobility through the new Erasmus+ programme and researchers' mobility and training Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions. (Association Agenda; 2.6 Cooperation in Other Policies; Education, Training and Youth)	Inform and consult with interested parties in Georgia (higher educational institutions, governmental and non-governmental organisations, individuals)	Ministry of Education and Science	2014	State Budget EU	
289		Provide information to European partners on Georgian Higher Educational institutions	Ministry of Education and Science	2014	State Budget EU	
290	Encouraging a strategic approach to vocational education and training (VET) with a view to bringing Georgia's VET system in line with the modernisation of EU VET structures as pursued in the Copenhagen Process and through its	Revise the quality assurance mechanisms in the vocational education to have it better aligned with the EQARF Introduce inclusive vocational education and its promotion/development	Ministry of Education and Science LEPL National Center for Educational Quality	2014	Sector Policy Support Programme (SPSP)	

	instruments.		Enhancement			
291	(Association Agenda; 2.6, Cooperation in Other Policies; Education, Training and Youth)	Revise/develop occupational standards and design vocational education modular programmes using DACUM methodology	Ministry of Education and Science LEPL National Center for Educational Quality Enhancement	2014	Sector Policy Support Programme (SPSP)	Request for increase of funding from the Reserve Fund
292	The cooperation in the field of education and training. (Association Agreement; Article 359)	Provide regular assistance of Sunday Schools/Educational Centers abroad by the provision of learning materials	The Office of the State Minister for Diaspora Issues	2014	Reserve fund	
293		Organise online learning (Online School) programmes for compatriots residing abroad	The Office of the State Minister for Diaspora Issues	2014	EU Reserve Fund	
294	Promoting lifelong learning which is a key to growth and jobs, and can allow citizens to participate fully in society. (Association Agreement; Article 359.a)	Develop a model for integration of general education component into Vocational Education – support Continuous Education	Ministry of Education and Science LEPL National Center for Teacher Professional Development	2014	State Budget EU	
295		Develop and implement a system of career planning	Ministry of Education and Science LEPL National Center for Teacher Professional Development	2014	State Budget EU	

296		Develop a concept for the professional development of teachers	Ministry of Education and Science LEPL National Center for Teacher Professional Development	2014	State Budget EU	
297	Modernising education and training systems, enhancing quality, relevance and access throughout the education ladder from early childhood education and care to tertiary education. (Association Agreement; Article 359.b)	Infrastructural development, rehabilitation and equipment of selected VET institutions with modern equipment Adapt infrastructure according to the needs of SEN students	Ministry of Education and Science LEPL National Center for Educational Quality Enhancement	2014	State Budget	
298		Revise existing legislative framework on vocational education	Ministry of Education and Science LEPL National Center for Educational Quality Enhancement	2014	State Budget	
299		Increase the quality and the accessibility of General Education	Ministry of Education and Science	2014	State Budget EU	
300	Promoting progress towards recognition of qualifications and competences and ensuring transparency in the area. (Association Agreement; Article 359.f)	Design the concept for recognition of non-formal/formal vocational education	Ministry of Education and Science LEPL National Center for	2014	State Budget EU	

			Educational Quality Enhancement			
301	Promoting cooperation in vocational education and training, taking into consideration the relevant EU good practices. (Association Agreement; Article 359.g)	Share the best Estonian experience to support raising competitiveness of the Georgian Vocational Education System Modernise the Vocational Education and Training Systems in the framework of UNDP-SDC project Revise the social partnership format in VET Encourage/support SEN students in finding employment	Ministry of Education and Science	2014	State Budget EU	
302	(Association Agenda; 2.6 Other cooperation policies; Education, Training and Youth) The Parties agree to cooperate in the field of youth to:	Internship for diaspora - annual initiative for successful students studying abroad to be involved in internship programmes and get acquainted with Georgia's state institutions	The Office of the State Minister for Diaspora Issues	2014	State Budget	
303	(a) Reinforce cooperation and exchanges in the field of youth policy and non-formal education for young people and youth workers (Association Agreement; Article 360)	TRQN III Programme on Temporary Return of Qualified Migrants	The Office of the State Minister for Diaspora Issues	2014	International Organization for Migration	
304	The Parties will promote cultural cooperation taking duly into account the principles enshrined in the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisation (UNESCO) Convention on the Protection and Promotion of the Diversity of Cultural	Support Georgian folk ensembles abroad to popularise Georgian culture in Europe and facilitate the development of dialogue	The Office of the State Minister for Diaspora Issues	2014	Reserve Fund	

	Expressions of 2005. The Parties will seek a regular policy dialogue in areas of mutual interest, including the development of cultural industries in the EU and Georgia. Cooperation between the Parties will foster intercultural dialogue, including through the participation of the culture sector and civil society from the EU and Georgia. (Association Agreement; Article 362)					
305	Cultural cooperation and cultural exchanges. (Association Agreement; Article 363. a)	Sign the Agreement for Georgia's official accession to the network of Creative Europe and implement other relevant activities	Ministry of Culture and Monument Protection	2014	State Budget	
306		Georgia's participation in International Book Fairs (Frankfurt, London, Leipzig)	Ministry of Culture and Monument Protection LEPL Georgian National Book Center	2014	State Budget	
307		Support the translation and publication of Georgian literature into foreign languages	Ministry of Culture and Monument Protection LEPL Georgian National Book Center	2014	Budget of the Georgian National Book Center	
308		Exhibit the Georgian National Museum's	Ministry of Culture	14 July - 31	State Budget	

		archive material of Dimitri Ermakov (Photographer 1846-1916) in the Netherlands Photo Museum	and Monument Protection	August 2014		
309		Organise culture days in the EU Member States and in Georgia	Ministry of Culture and Monument Protection	2014	State Budget EU	
310	Mobility of art and artists and strengthening of the capacity of the cultural sector. (Association Agreement; Article 363; b)	Implement the EU funded Twinning Project “Support to the Institutional Development of the National Agency for Cultural Heritage Preservation of Georgia”	Ministry of Culture and Monument Protection	2014	State Budget TWINNING	
311	Intercultural dialogue. (Association Agreement; Article 363.c)	Cooperate with the Council of Europe in Regional Project – “Community-led Urban Strategies in Historic Towns”	Ministry of Culture and Monument Protection LEPL National Agency for Cultural Heritage Preservation	2014	State Budget	
312	Dialogue on cultural policy. (Association Agreement; Article 363.d)	Elaborate guidelines on the Management of Intangible Cultural Heritage	Ministry of Culture and Monument Protection	2014	State Budget	
313		Elaborate draft Law on World Heritage	Ministry of Culture and Monument Protection	2014	State Budget	
314		Involve the EU experts in the elaboration process of Georgian Policy on Culture in the framework of the Eastern Partnership Culture Programme	Ministry of Culture and Monument Protection	2014	State Budget	
315	The Parties agree to cooperate in the field of youth to: (a) Reinforce cooperation and exchanges	Create a state programme of non-formal education for developing lifelong learning key competencies, creating	Ministry of Sport and Youth Affairs	2014	State Budget Council of	

	in the field of youth policy and non-formal education for young people and youth workers. (Association Agreement; Article 360)	professional standards for youth workers and supporting youth organisations in non-formal education programmes			Europe	
316	The Parties shall enhance a dialogue on civil society cooperation, with the following objectives: a) to strengthen contacts and exchange of information and experience between all sectors of civil society in the European Union and in Georgia. (Association Agreement; Chapter 20; Article 369)	Foster collaboration among organisations working in the field of youth	Ministry of Sport and Youth Affairs	2014	State Budget EU Member States International Organizations	
317	Georgia will conduct and develop policy consistent with the framework of EU policies and practices with reference to documents in Annex XXXII to this	Elaborate draft law on youth	Ministry of Sport and Youth Affairs	2014	State Budget United Nations Population Fund	
318	Agreement in accordance with the provisions of that Annex. (Association Agreement; Article 361)	Develop Georgia's State Youth Policy Action Plan	Ministry of Sport and Youth Affairs	2014	State Budget United Nations Population Fund United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund	
319	The Parties shall promote cooperation in the field of sport and physical activity	Develop the Action Plan of the State Sports Policy	Ministry of Sport and Youth Affairs	2014	State Budget	
320	through the exchange of information and good practices in order to promote a healthy lifestyle and the social and	Experts' visit for consultation purposes within the Enlarged Partial Agreement on Sport (EPAS)	Ministry of Sport and Youth Affairs	14-17 October 2014	State Budget Council of	

	educational values of sport, mobility in sport and in order to fight global threats to sport such as doping, racism and violence.	Implement provisions set in State's Sport Policy, European Sport Charter and Code of Ethics in Sport			Europe	
321	(Association Agreement; Chapter 19; Article 368)	Conduct consultative visit in Georgia of the Standing Committee of the Council of Europe's Violence Reduction Treaty's in order to analyse and make recommendations on existing situation in security of sporting events, public order and service sphere	Ministry of Sport and Youth Affairs	9-10 December 2014	State Budget Council of Europe	
322		Sign on behalf of Georgia the Council of Europe Convention on the Manipulation of Sports Competitions	Ministry of Sport and Youth Affairs	17-19 September 2014	State Budget The Government of Switzerland Council of Europe	
323		Regular support of Georgian sports teams abroad and promote their participation in sports events	The Office of the State Minister for Diaspora Issues	2014	Reserve Fund	
324		Develop international police cooperation between the parties in order to ensure public order, safety, prevention and elimination of spectator violence at the sports events	Ministry of Internal Affairs Ministry of Sport and Youth Affairs	2014	State Budget EU Council of Europe	
325		Build effective internal state mechanism and ensure its approximation with international standards in order to assure public order, safety, prevention and elimination of spectator violence at the	Ministry of Internal Affairs Ministry of Sport and Youth Affairs	2014	State Budget EU Council of	

		sports events			Europe	
326	Facilitate mutual assistance in case of major emergencies, as appropriate and subject to the availability of sufficient resources.	Start works to conclude agreement on mutual assistance during emergency situations	Ministry of Internal Affairs	2014	State Budget	
327	(Association Agenda; 2.6 Other Cooperation Policies; Civil Protection)	Allocate resources and ensure the readiness to provide assistance in case of major emergencies	Ministry of Internal Affairs	2014	State Budget	
328	Progress with the development of a country-wide disaster risk assessment and mapping and to support as necessary the development of the Electronic Regional Risk Atlas (ERRA) and ensure its effective utilisation at national level.	Develop the software and appropriate hardware capacities to ensure national disaster risk assessment mapping based on the GIS technology	Ministry of Internal Affairs	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
329	(Association Agenda; 2.6 Other Cooperation Policies; Civil Protection)	Participate in the regional trainings related to the developing of the Electronic Regional Risk Atlas (ERRA)	Ministry of Internal Affairs	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
330	Establish dialogue on the policy aspects of disaster prevention, preparedness and response through exchange of best practices, joint trainings, exercises, study visits, workshops and lessons learnt meetings gained in real emergency operations and conducted exercises.	Organise regional exercises in disaster prevention, preparedness and response	Ministry of Internal Affairs	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
331	(Association Agenda; 2.6 Other Cooperation Policies; Civil Protection)	Organise visits to the EU Member States to enhance cooperation on the policy aspects of disaster prevention, preparedness and response	Ministry of Internal Affairs	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance	
332	Prepare a regional development state strategic programme for 2015-2017 (RDP) so as to implement an effective multi-level policy, including through	Prepare the Regional Development Programme for 2015-2017 by Inter-agency working group	Ministry of Regional Development and Infrastructure	2014	State Budget EU Technical Assistance	

	inter-institutional coordination. (Association Agenda; 2.6 Other Cooperation Policies; Regional Development, and Regional Level Cooperation)				Project	
333	Prepare Action Plans for effective implementation of the region-specific development strategies, adopted in September, 2013. (Association Agenda; 2.6 Other Cooperation Policies; Regional Development, and Regional Level Cooperation)	With due involvement of the regional administrations, governors, regional consultative councils (RCs), local municipalities and other key stakeholders, prepare the respective action plans for the effective implementation of the Strategy of Government of Georgia on the Regional Development	Ministry of Regional Development and Infrastructure Regional Administrations-Governors, Regional consultative councils (RCs), Local municipalities	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance (UNDP/SDC/ADA; GIZ)	
334	Train central and local administrations on regional development policies to further implementation and monitoring of programmes in the regions. (Association Agenda; 2.6. Other Cooperation Policies; Regional Development, and Regional Level Cooperation)	Train the civil servants of local municipalities and state governor administrations	Ministry of Regional Development and Infrastructure LEPL Vano Khukhunaishvili Center for Effective Governance System and Territorial Arrangement Reform (CEGSTAR)	2014	State Budget Donors Assistance (UNDP/SDC/ADA; GIZ)	
335	The Parties will conduct a regular dialogue on the participation of Georgia	Actively cooperate with the Georgian government agencies and the relevant	Office of the State Minister on	2014	State Budget	

	in EU programmes and agencies. In particular, the EU shall inform Georgia in the case of establishment of new EU agencies and new programmes of the Union, as well as regarding changes in the terms of participation in the programmes of the Union and agencies, mentioned in Articles 380 and 381 of this Agreement. (Association Agreement; Article 382)	EU intuitions, in order to facilitate Georgia's involvement in the new EU community programmes and the EU agencies	European and Euro-Atlantic Integration		European Commission	
336	Georgia shall benefit from financial assistance through the relevant EU funding mechanisms and instruments. Georgia may also benefit from cooperation with the European	Overall coordination of planning and implementation of institution building instruments, thematic, cross Border cooperation and regional programmes in the framework of the EU assistance	Office of the State Minister on European and Euro-Atlantic Integration	2014	State Budget EU	
337	Investment Bank (EIB), European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD) and other international financial institutions. (Association Agreement; Article 383)	Promote the cooperation with the financial institutions of the EU with the aim to mobilise the EU resources as well as plan and implement joint projects	Office of the State Minister on European and Euro-Atlantic Integration	2014	State Budget EU	
338	The priority areas of the EU financial assistance agreed by the Parties shall be laid down in annual action programmes based, whenever applicable on multi-annual frameworks which reflect agreed	Finalise and sign the relevant financing agreements of the priority areas envisaged by the 2014 Annual Action Plan of the EU Assistance	Office of the State Minister on European and Euro-Atlantic Integration	2014	State Budget EU	
339	policy priorities. (Association Agreement; Article 385)	Coordinate negotiations between the Government of Georgia and the European Commission on the priority areas envisaged by the 2015 Annual Action Plan of the EU Assistance and	Office of the State Minister on European and Euro-Atlantic Integration	2014	State Budget EU	

		preparation of relevant documents				
340	In order to ensure optimum use of the resources available, the Parties shall endeavour to ensure that EU assistance is implemented in close cooperation and coordination with other donor	Conduct consultations with the government agencies on the procedures for access and utilisation of the existing and new instruments in the framework of the EU assistance	Office of the State Minister on European and Euro-Atlantic Integration	2014	State Budget	EU
341	countries, donor organisations and international financial institutions, and in line with international principles of aid effectiveness. (Association Agreement; Article 386)	Cooperate with the Office of the Prime Minister of Georgia and the Ministry of Finance of Georgia in the process of elaboration and launch of an electronic database on the coordination of donor assistance	Office of the State Minister on European and Euro-Atlantic Integration	2014	State Budget	EU
342	Political and policy dialogue between the Parties, including on issues related to sectoral cooperation, may take place at any level. (Association Agreement; Article 403)	Coordinate the participation of Georgia in the EU Eastern Partnership initiative	Office of the State Minister on European and Euro-Atlantic Integration	2014	State Budget	
343		Support in holding the Eastern Partnership Civil Society Forum in Tbilisi	Office of the State Minister on European and Euro-Atlantic Integration	2014	State Budget	
344		Coordinate the EU-Georgia cooperation within the framework of “Mobility Partnership”	Office of the State Minister on European and Euro-Atlantic Integration	2014	State Budget	
345	The Parties shall also promote regular meetings of representatives of their civil societies, in order to keep them informed of, and gather their input for, the implementation of this Agreement.	Coordinate the implementation of the EU Integration Communication and Information Strategy of the Government of Georgia for the period of 2014-2017	Office of the State Minister on European and Euro-Atlantic Integration	2014	State Budget	

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