



Inter-Agency Coordination Council Discussed Epidemiologic Situation in Mestia

12.08.2020, Tbilisi

Restrictions introduced in Mestia as a result of the complication of the epidemiologic situation and steps taken as rapid response have been discussed at the Inter-Agency Coordination Council led by the Prime Minister of Georgia.

It was noted at the meeting that the first steps of rapid response have been rather effective and the threat of epidemic outbreak has been curtailed. The Prime Minister highlighted the effective work performed by the Ministry of Internal Affairs in terms of restricting mobility and enforcement of limitations defined by the Government for the municipality. [More](#)



Statement of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs on the 12th Anniversary of the August 2008 Russia-Georgia War

12.08.2020, Tbilisi

12 years have passed since Russia's large-scale military aggression against Georgia in August 2008 and the subsequent illegal occupation of Georgia's indivisible regions of Abkhazia and Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia. This illegal attempt to forcibly redraw sovereign borders in Europe was a blatant

violation of the fundamental norms and principles of international law, which has seriously undermined the rules-based international system and endangered the entire European security. 12 years after the August war, the Russian Federation still refuses to implement the EU-mediated 12 August 2008 Ceasefire Agreement and to withdraw its occupation forces from Georgia's territory. Moreover, the Russian Federation intensifies the illegal militarization of Georgia's occupied regions and takes steps towards their de-facto annexation. [More](#)



Georgian Foreign Minister's Address at Online Conference – “Georgia and its Neighbours”

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“Our long-term partnership with the US in the field of healthcare was very important for the success achieved by Georgia in terms of the fight against the Pandemic,” – stated Zalkaliani. According to the Minister,

the US and other European partners supported Georgia in combating the crisis spurred by Covid-19.

In his address, the Head of the Foreign Ministry discussed significance of deepening the US-Georgian relations, expressing readiness, confirming that the telephone conversation held between the Georgian PM and the US State Secretary represents another manifestation of the above-mentioned support. [More](#)



European Union Supports Enlargement and Neighbourhood Partners

11.08.2020, Tbilisi

As of today, the Commission, on behalf of the EU, has agreed Memoranda of Understanding on macro-financial assistance programmes with eight partners, including Georgia. The agreements are part of the €3 billion MFA package for ten enlargement and neighbourhood partners, aimed to help them limit the economic fallout of the coronavirus pandemic. [More](#)

Germany Developed a New Programme to Provide Financial Assistance to Georgia

07.08.2020, Tbilisi

Germany is giving Georgia €310 million in aid to help the country fight COVID-19 as well as to implement different regional projects, announces the Ministry of Finance of Georgia. More specifically, €180 million will be provided for anti-COVID-19 measures, while the remaining €130 million for regional projects. [More](#)



Estonia in UN @EstoniaUN

Joint statement by [EU flags] on situation in #Georgia

This week marks 12 years since the Russian invasion of Georgia.

We call again on [Russia] to fully implement her obligation and commitments under the Agreements of 12 August & 8 September 2008.

Belgium UN New York @BelgiumUN

In a joint statement to mark 12 years since the conflict between #Georgia & #Russia, eight current & incoming #UNSC members [EU flags] firmly support Georgia's:

- ♦ independence
- ♦ sovereignty
- ♦ territorial integrity within its internationally recognized borders

EUR-Press Office @EURPressOffice

It has been 12 years since Russia invaded Georgia, killing hundreds and driving tens of thousands from their homes. Russia still occupies 20% of Georgia's territory. We again call on Russia to withdraw its forces and fulfill its promises under the 2008 ceasefire agreement

Czech MFA @CzechMFA

[EU flags] It has been 12 years since the armed conflict between Russia and Georgia, however, for many, the impact of the conflict continues and violates regional stability.

Lithuania MFA @LithuaniaMFA

12 years since #Russia's premeditated aggression against #Georgia. We reaffirm our firm support to Georgia's sovereignty and territorial integrity.

Latvian MFA @Latvian_MFA

To mark 12 yrs since Russia's military aggression against Georgia, @Latvian_MFA pledge support for GE sovereignty & territorial integrity within its intilly recognised borders & condemns occupation of GE regions of South Ossetia & Abkhazia @MFAgovge

SLOVENIAN MFA @MZZRS

#Slovenia continues to be strong in its unwavering support for sovereignty&territorial integrity of #Georgia and for peaceful resolution of the conflict between Georgia and Russia. Partnership and cooperation between Slovenia and Georgia will continue to grow. @govSlovenia

La France à l'ONU @franceONU

This week marks 12 years since the beginning of the conflict between Russia and #Georgia.

[EU flags] regret that little progress has been made towards resolving the conflict & reaffirm their support to Georgia's independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity.

MFA Romania @MAERomania

12 years since the beginning of the military conflict between the Russian Federation and #Georgia. #Romania reaffirms its full support for the sovereignty & territorial integrity of #Georgia. @MFAgovge @DZalkaliani.

Norway MFA @NorwayMFA

Twelve years after the war in #Georgia, Russian troops are still on Georgian soil and the conflict remains unresolved. 'Once again we call on Russia to comply with the 2008 ceasefire agreement and pull its forces out of Georgia,' said FM #EriksenSoreide

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