



## Interagency Coordination Council Meeting

09.09.2020, Tbilisi

According to the Prime Minister, the second wave of the spread of the virus is practically beginning, though there is no reason to panic as the situation is under control. *"From the very first day of the epidemic, the Government of Georgia took timely and rapid steps, and one of the most important directions of these steps was to manage the risk of the spread of the virus, as well as to adapt socio-economic and even political life to the management of the virus."* [More](#)



## Group of Friends of Georgia to OSCE Released a Joint Statement on the Occasion of the 12th Anniversary of the Russia-Georgia War



03.08.2020, Vienna

The OSCE Permanent Council met to discuss, at the initiative of the Georgian Delegation, Russia's large-scale military aggression against Georgia and occupation of Georgia's Abkhazia and Tskhinvali regions.



Permanent Representative to OSCE, Ketevan Tsikhelashvili highlighted that 12 years after the August war, continues to defy the EU-mediated Ceasefire Agreement of 12 August 2008. Moreover, expanding military build-up of the occupied regions, Russia is taking steps towards their actual annexation. [More](#)

## The Seventh Round of the Georgia-UK Wardrop Strategic Dialogue

09.08.2020

Georgian Foreign Minister, David Zalkaliani and the UK Minister for European Neighbourhood, Wendy Morton have discussed how Georgia and the UK can strengthen their partnership in terms of defence, security, trade and culture. The virtual meeting was held today in the framework of the Wardrop Strategic Dialogue, which was first initiated by former Foreign Secretary William Hague during his visit to Tbilisi in 2014. [More](#)



## Georgia Hosts Multinational Exercise Noble Partner 2020 for the Fifth Time



07.09.2020, Tbilisi

Noble Partner 2020 was officially launched in Vaziani, with the participation of more than 2,700 military servicemen from Georgia, the United States, the United Kingdom, Poland, and France.

According to Giorgi Gakharia: *Georgia's role in global peace must be strengthened more and more and, ultimately, We must achieve the Euro-Atlantic integration of the country.* [More](#)

## Presentation of Sociological Survey Conducted by "JPM Strategic Solutions"

11.09.2020, Tbilisi

"JPM Strategic Solutions" presentation on the sociological survey reflects the steps taken by the Government to help Georgians abroad during the COVID-19 pandemic.

*"The pandemic has reaffirmed Georgian citizens' trust in state institutions, and the Governments of different countries shown that we need to work together to fight against new challenges with the core principle of upholding fundamental human rights."* - stated David Zalkaliani. [More](#)



## 2020 Investment Climate Statements: Georgia



10.09.2020

The U.S. State Department 2020 Report on Investment Climate positively assesses the reforms carried out by the Government of Georgia, both in terms of improving the economy as well as the business environment. [More](#)

**U.S. Mission to OSCE**  
@usosce  
Russia-led security forces continue to encroach deeper into #Georgia, trying to expand the occupied territories meter by meter, a matter that should certainly be a focus of concern of the @OSCE. Russia must withdraw its forces to pre-conflict positions.

**Ambassador Jim Gilmore**  
@gov.gilmore  
OSCE Group of Friends of Georgia: 'Russia must withdraw forces to pre-2008 war positions'

**Embassy of Georgia in NL**  
@GEEmbassyNL  
The Group of Friends of #Georgia in the #OSCE has released a statement in which they call on Russia to reverse its recognition of the so-called independence of #Abkhazia and #SouthOssetia and withdraw its forces to pre-conflict positions in Georgia

**David Zalkaliani**  
@DZalkaliani  
Very honoured to address plenary session of 7th #WardropStrategicDialogue. Delighted to have this unique format 2 discuss strategic bilateral & multilateral cooperation in all areas. Looking forward 2 further extension & intensification of strong ties between our great nations

**Wendy Morton MP**  
@morton.wendy  
Great news for UK & Georgian businesses: @UKEF has more than doubled its capacity for Georgia to more than £3 billion this year. This additional support will help companies to access finance for projects, opening up new & exciting trade opportunities. #Wardrop

**Sophie Katsarava**  
@SophieKatsarava  
The annual 7th round of #Wardrop strategic dialogue starts today. will be discussing how to enhance our cooperation and partnership in #Trade #Defence and #Security #international affairs #people-to-people & #cultural links. Look forward to the substantial #Dialogue today

**Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office**  
@FCDO  
United Kingdom government account  
The links between people are thriving.  
Year of Culture: showcasing in each other's countries  
Twinning cities: Bristol Tbilisi & Newport Kutaisi  
Education: Over 300 Georgian #Chevening & @JohnSmithTrust alumni have studied in the UK

**Giorgi Gakharia**  
@GakhariaGiorgi  
Thanks to our partners for their support w/ our common goal of achieving global peace. Noble Partner 2020 exercises demonstrate the compatibility of defense forces w/ those of our partners & our commitment to Euro-Atlantic integration.

**David Zalkaliani**  
@DZalkaliani  
Proud 2welcome partners at #NoblePartner20 multinational exercise 4 #StrongEurope. Grateful 4 strategic partner strengthening's defense capabilities & compatibility with US&NATO standards! Military drills play active role ensuring regional& Euro-Atlantic security.

**Georgian Rugby Union**  
@GeorgianRugby  
BREAKING! #TheLelos to face @EnglandRugby, @WelshRugbyUnion & @IrishRugby in @autumnations 2020

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