



Interagency Coordination Council Meeting

02.09.2020, Tbilisi

The key goal of the Government is to manage the COVID-19 pandemic with minimal risks as a new academic year is around the corner further increasing the mobility in the country. The Council decided to lift all restrictions in Mestia and Lenjeri; education process will start on 15 September. It was also noted that 857 000 applications for 200-GEL compensations for children have been already filed and compensation issuance already launched. [More](#)



UNGA Adopted Resolution on IDPs from Occupied Territories of Georgia

07.09.2020

The UN General Assembly on its 74th session adopted the Resolution on "Status of Internally Displaced Persons and Refugees from Abkhazia, Georgia and the Tskhinvali Region/South Ossetia, Georgia" initiated by Georgia and 53 sponsoring states. The General Assembly has been adopting the Resolution consecutively since 2008, reaffirming the fundamental rights of forcefully displaced persons, first and foremost their right of voluntary, safe and dignified return to their homes.

Adoption of the Resolution during the COVID-19 pandemic, highlights even stronger significance of the issue and the urgency of the humanitarian message. [More](#)

Voting Result:

IN FAVOUR	84
AGAINST	13
ABSTENTION	78



Code on the Rights of the Child came into force on 1 September 2020

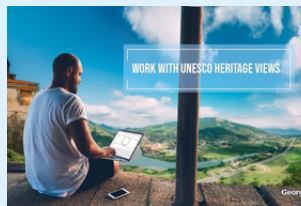
31.08.2020, Tbilisi

At a special event dedicated to this important occasion, representatives of Parliament and the Diplomatic corps spoke about the importance of the Code on the Rights of the Child and reviewed the work undertaken. The event was also attended by the representatives of municipalities, civil society, and religious leaders who have been actively involved in discussions around the Code. [More](#)



Work from Georgia - the New Initiative of the National Tourism Administration

03.09.2020, Tbilisi



Prime Minister of Georgia, Giorgi Gakharia said that more than 200 people from around the world have applied to the recently launched 'Remotely from Georgia' state programme that allows foreign citizens to travel to and work remotely from Georgia. Foreigners from 95 countries are eligible to apply for the programme if they intend to stay in Georgia for at least 180 days. [More](#)

EU Statement on the 12th Anniversary of the Conflict between Russia and Georgia

07.08.2020

The European Union's commitment to a peaceful resolution of the conflicts in Georgia remains as strong as ever. [...] Fundamental human rights of the conflict-affected population continue to be violated, including through restrictions on the freedom of movement by so-called 'borderisation' policies, temporary closures of controlled crossing points and illegal detentions. [More](#)

World Bank will allocate 40 million USD to finance "Login Georgia" Project

28.08.2020, Washington

Login Georgia has been developed by the Government of Georgia, in cooperation with the World Bank, under the 2020-2025 strategy for developing broadband internet networks. The project will enable 500,000 citizens in almost 1,000 towns, including in mountainous areas, to enjoy quality internet and services like e-healthcare, e-education, e-governance, and others. [More](#)



David Zalkaliani @DZalkaliani
#UNGA passed #IDP Resolution! Occupation of + regions & violent demographic changes once again condemned from t/world's highest tribunal! Adoption of resolution, especially during pandemic reaffirms that + is always on international agenda. Deep gratitude to our partner countries!

Giorgi Gakharia @GakhariaGiorgi
Today our IDP resolution at @UN GA reiterating the right of return for all displaced persons & refugees was adopted w/ unprecedented int'l support of 84 countries & 54 co-sponsors. This vote is a clear success of + diplomacy! Grateful to our partners for their support.

Kaha Imnadze (@kaha0960d) @kahaImnadze
International community has spoken again! With 84 votes in favor 13 against, #UNGA adopted res. on IDPs from Russian occupied Georgian regions #Abkhazia & #Tskhinvali/#SouthOssetia co-sponsored by 54 states. Grateful to all steadfast on UN Charter, principles of international law

LithuaniaUN @LithuaniaUNNY
#Lithuania cosponsored res. on IDPs and #refugees from #Abkhazia & #Tskhinvali region/#SouthOssetia, #Georgia. Today #UNGA has adopted it.

We have also joined a statement by #Nordic-Baltic and wider group of countries on this matter.

GeorgiaUN @GeorgiaUN
Today #UNGA reaffirmed the Right of Return by adopting Resolution on "Status of Internally Displaced Persons and Refugees from Abkhazia, #Georgia and the Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia, Georgia" with 84 votes in favour and 53 co-sponsors.

Ghassan Khalil @GKUNICEF
We had wonderful event to celebrate entry into force of Code on the Rights of Child w/ @Geoparliament, @GovernmentGeo, Ambassadors, municipalities, CSOs, religious leaders - involved in discussions on the Code. We believe, the Code will have long-lasting effect on children of +

Giorgi Gakharia @GakhariaGiorgi
Happy to announce the launch of a new state program "Remotely from Georgia", allowing citizens of 95 countries to travel & work remotely from +. As one of the safest countries in the world during the pandemic, we are ready to safely host int'l guests.

David Zalkaliani @DZalkaliani
Government of + announces a new state program developed to provide great possibility for foreign citizens to work from covid19 safe #Georgia remotely

Giorgi Gakharia @GakhariaGiorgi
Greatly appreciate the support provided by the @WorldBank & EU via @eib. This new section of the East-West highway will boost transit capacity & ensure safer travel. I'd like to thank @smolineus & @maclejczura for their personal contributions.

Georgian Government @GovernmentGeo
Thanks to support from the @WorldBank, the Georgian Government's project Log-In #Georgia will ensure that 1,000 towns & 500,000 Georgians enjoy high-speed broadband #internet access.

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