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Glossary:

ACAA - Agreements on Conformity Assessment and Acceptance of industrial products

ADA – Austrian Development Agency

CIB - The Comprehensive Institution Building

CENN - Caucasus Environmental NGO Network

CLDP - Commercial Law Development Program

DCFTA - Deep and Comprehensive Free Trade Area

EC-LEDS - Enhancing Capacity for Low Emission Development Strategies

EDA - Entrepreneurship Development Agency

ENPI-FLEG-II - European Neighborhood and Partnership Instrument (ENPI) East Countries Forest Law Enforcement and Governance II Program (FLEG II)

GAC –Accreditation Centre of Georgia

GEF – Global Environment Fund

GEOSTAT – National Statistics Office of Georgia

GEOSTM – Agency of Standards and Metrology of Georgia

GFCM - The General Fisheries Commission for the Mediterranean

GIZ – Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit

GNCC - Georgian National Communications Commission

GNERC - Georgian National Energy and Water Supply Regulatory Commission

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GSE - Georgian State Electro-system

IPR - Intellectual Property Rights

IRP - Institutional Reform Plan

IUCN - International Union for Conservation of Nature

LEPL –Legal Entity of Public Law

NFA – National Food Agency

OECD - The Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

RS – Revenue Service

SIGMA - Support for Improvement in Governance and Management

SME- Small and Medium Enterprises

SPA - State Procurement Agency

TAIEX - Technical Assistance and Information Exchange

TCSA - Technical and Constructions Supervision Agency

UNEP- United Nations Environment Programme

UNFCCC - United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change

UOKiK – Office of Competition and Consumer Protection of Poland

USAID - United States Agency for International Development

WB - World Bank

WRI - World Resources Institute

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WWF - World Wildlife Fund

Priorities	Action	Responsible Institution	Implementation timeframe (start-end)	Source of financing	Comment	
Trade in Goods						
1	Increasing the diversification of Georgia's export structure	1.Establishment of Entrepreneurship Development Agency (EDA) a)EDA capacity building on DCFTA, export promotion and enterprise development-inception of training programs in the fields of monitoring and evaluation, DCFTA requirements, SME support product development. b) Development of Technical Assistance programs and tools for start-up, small and medium businesses competitiveness, adaptation to DCFTA requirements and export diversification. c) Program Development to ease access to finance to SME and export oriented companies.	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development EDA	1. 2014 a) 2014-2015 b) 2014-2017 c) 2014-2017	1.State Budget a) State Budget, Additional assistance needed b) State Budget, Additional assistance needed c)State Budget, Additional assistance needed	

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		d) Promotion of Export potential – participation of Georgian businesses in trade fairs, media advertisement, etc.		e) 2014-2017	e)State Budget, Additional assistance needed	
2	Further improvements in the area of trade statistics	Improvement of data coverage and quality on External Merchandise Trade Statistics.	GEOSTAT	2014-2015	State Budget	Geostat plans to include data of Special Customs Declaration in External Merchandise Trade database.
SME Development						
3	Facilitating the preparation and adaptation of Georgian businesses for the implementation of approximated legislation	Preparation and adoption of SME strategy and action plan	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development,	2014-2015	State Budget, OECD, EU	Preparation and adoption of SME strategy and action plan
Technical Regulations, Standardisation and Related Infrastructure						
4	Approximating Georgia's legislation to the relevant EU legislation as envisaged by the AA	1. Approximation of the Georgian Technical Regulations to the New and Global Approach Directives: ✓ Approximation of Directive	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development	2016-2017	State budget and/or Budget of relevant institutions, Additional	

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		N94/9/EC concerning equipment and protective systems intended for use in potentially explosive atmospheres; ✓ Approximation of Directive N1999/5/EC on radio equipment and telecommunications terminal equipment and the mutual recognition of their conformity.	GEOSTM GAC TCSA		assistance needed	
		2. Adoption of International and European Standards as a Georgian Standards.	GEOSTM	2014 - 2017	GEOSTM budget	
5	Developing infrastructure related to administration of standards, technical regulations, metrology, market surveillance, accreditation, conformity assessment procedures	1. Renovation of the Metrological labs and office of the GEOSTM	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development, GEOSTM	2014	GEOSTM; State Budget; EU-CIB budget	GEOSTM CIB program I phase – renovation of the infrastructure;
		2. Upgrade measurement standards base of renovated Metrological Labs with the new and modern equipment	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development GEOSTM	2014 – 2016	State Budget, EU-CIB budget.	II phase – Procurement of measurement standards and supplementary equipments
		3. Implementation of ISO/IEC 9001:2008 in the Standards Department of the GEOSTM.	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable	2015-2017	State Budget and/or GEOSTM budget and/or EU-	

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			Development GEOSTM		CIB budget.	
		4. Establishment of Accreditation Council in GAC	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development GAC	2014	State Budget and/or GAC budget.	
6	Facilitating the preparation and adaptation of stakeholders including economic operators especially SMEs for the implementation of approximated legislation	Seminars and trainings in the relevant field by GAC and GEOSTM	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development, GEOSTM, GAC	2014 – 2017	State Budget and/or Relevant Institute Budget and/or EU-CIB TA	
7	Implementing Market Surveillance Strategy	1. Preparation of ToR for the development of gap and needs assessment of Georgian market surveillance system and implementation programme for Market Surveillance Strategy on industrial products	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development, TCSA	2014	State Budget; EU TA	
		2. Elaboration of gap and needs assessment of market surveillance system of Georgia	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development	2014-2015	State Budget; EU TA	

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			TCSA			
		3. Elaboration of an Action Plan according to the Market Surveillance Strategy on Industrial Products and gap and needs assessment.	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development TCSA	2015	State Budget; EU TA	
		4. Elaboration of rules and procedures in market surveillance applicable to already approximated Directives (6 directives)	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development TCSA	2015-2017	TCSA budget; EU TA (Twinning)	Elaboration of Twinning Fiche is planned in the frame of EU TA
8	In Market Surveillance field, strengthening administrative capacities of relevant Georgian state institutions and market surveillance bodies	1. Development of IRP of the TCSA according to the performed gap and needs assessment.	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development, TCSA	2014 – 2015	State Budget; EU TA	
		2. Elaboration of Twinning Fiche for TCSA	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development TCSA	2015	Forthcoming EU-TA	
9	Further staff training for administration of responsible government	1. Trainings in standardization and metrology issues for the GEOSTM staff.	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable	2014-2017	EU-CIB II phase - budget III phase	

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	bodies and agencies (human capacities development)		Development GEOSTM		(Twinning) – budget	
		2. Trainings of GAC's staff and technical assessors for different schemes of accreditation on the permanent base according to the annual training plans.	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development GAC	2014 -2017	GAC's Budget	
		3. Trainings for GAC's staff and technical assessors in the fields of assessment technics according to approximated legislation.	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development GAC	2014 – 2015	GAC's budget EU-CIB	
		4. Trainings for TCSA staff in market surveillance according to approximated new and global approach EU directives and on the directives currently in the process of approximation.	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development TCSA	2014 - 2015	Forthcoming EU-TA	
10	Preparing Georgia to achieve the conditions necessary to conclude an ACAA covering one or more sectors, as envisaged	Trainings for the staff of relevant institutions and exchange of information regarding the ACAA and the best EU practice of ACAA.	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development	2015 - 2017	Additional assistance needed	

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	by the Association Agreement, and in accordance with a related comprehensive Institutional Reform Plan, and including legislative reforms		GEOSTM GAC TCSA			
Sanitary and Phytosanitary (SPS) Measures						
11	Completing the implementation of Georgia's current Food Safety Strategy and Approximation Programme, in particular in the implementation of the Food Safety Code and progressive adoption of the implementing horizontal legislation	1. Drafting/reviewing and adopting of secondary legislation, in the following fields in accordance with the approximation programme: - Identification and Registration rules of bovine animals; - Animal diseases control measures; - Official control measures of food and feed; - Food and Feed hygiene rules; - Control of certain plant pests; - Placing of plant protection products on the market.	Ministry of Agriculture NFA	2014-2017	State Budget, CIB funds.	The approximation groups are already established in the 3 relevant fields.
		2. Developing of new Institutional Reform Plan (IRP) for NFA	Ministry of Agriculture NFA	2014- 2015	State Budget, CIB funds.	
12	Setting up Georgia's sectoral priorities and reviewing Georgia's current	1. Setting up the approximation list of the EU sanitary and phytosanitary, animal welfare and	Ministry of Agriculture	2014 - 2015	State budget,	

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	Food Safety Strategy with a view to cover all areas under the relevant Annexes of the envisaged Association Agreement. It shall include sectoral legislation, according to Georgia's economic priorities	other legislative measures, that Georgia will approximate, divided into priority areas.	NFA		CIB Funds	
		2. Reviewing Food Safety Strategy and Approximation Programme, with a view to implement the approximation list of the EU sanitary and phytosanitary, animal welfare and other legislative measures as included in the Annex XI of the AA.	Ministry of Agriculture NFA	2015	State Budget, CIB Funds.	
		3. Developing a training programme and providing relevant training for staff involved in legislative approximation	Ministry of Agriculture NFA	2014 - 2017	State budget, CIB funds, Additional assistance needed	
13	Ensuring that veterinary, phytosanitary and food safety checks at the border inspection posts be carried out by the competent authority	Permanent capacity building related to veterinary, phytosanitary and food safety checks at BIPs	Ministry of Finance RS	2014-2017	CIB funds, Additional assistance needed	
14	Preparing to set-up an early warning system for the food and feed, animal health and plant health safety	Undertake the assessment of the current system in order to plan further actions.	Ministry of Agriculture NFA	2017	State Budget	
15	Organizing information campaigns with relevant	1. Carry out meetings, discussions, media campaigns on requirements	Ministry of	2014 - 2017	Additional	

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	agencies, businesses and NGOs on the requirements for accessing the EU market, as well as with civil society on the relevant consumer aspects of food and feed safety	for accessing EU market.	Agriculture NFA		assistance needed	
		2. Carry out meetings and discussions on the relevant consumers aspects of food and food safety.	Ministry of Agriculture NFA	2014 - 2017	Additional assistance needed	
		3. Conducting awareness campaigns regarding efficient implementation of newly adopted or revised legislation.	Ministry of Agriculture NFA	2014 - 2017	CIB funds, state budget.	
16	Facilitating the preparation and adaptation of Georgian businesses for the implementation of approximated SPS legislation and Development of SPS infrastructure	1. Cooperation and assistance to the private sector regarding fulfillment of new legal requirements.	Ministry of Agriculture Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development	2014 – 2017	CIB budget, Additional assistance needed	
		2. Improving laboratory capacities for implementation of adopted legislation.	Ministry of Agriculture	2014 – 2017	CIB funds, statebudget, Additional assistance needed	
		3. Infrastructure and proper equipment provision for BIPs	Ministry of Finance RS	2015 - 2017	State Budget, Additional assistance needed	

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Customs and Trade Facilitation						
17	Approximating Georgia's legislation to the relevant EU legislation as envisaged by the AA	1. Drafting and adoption of new Customs Code	Ministry of Finance RS	2014 – 2015	State Budget GIZ USAID-EPI	The first drafting of a new Customs Code of Georgia is being conducted with the technical assistance of GIZ
		2. Adoption of secondary legislation	Ministry of Finance RS	2016 – 2017	State Budget Additional assistance needed	
		3. Capacity building of the staff of RS	Ministry of Finance RS	2014 – 2017	State Budget Additional assistance needed	
18	Approximating Georgia's Authorized Economic Operator system to that of the EU with the prospect of mutual recognition as envisaged by the Association Agreement	1. Drafting and adoption of new regulations	Ministry of Finance RS	2015 - 2016	State Budget, Additional assistance needed	
		2. Capacity building of the staff of RS	Ministry of Finance RS	2014 – 2017	State Budget, Additional assistance needed	

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19	Preparing for the accession to the Convention on Common transit procedure and drawing up a roadmap for this purpose	1. Drawing up a roadmap	Ministry of Finance RS	2014	State Budget, Additional assistance needed	
		2. Setting up the organizational structure (Steering Committee, Project Manager, the team).	Ministry of Finance RS	2014	State Budget, Additional assistance needed	
		3. Accession to the Convention	Ministry of Finance RS	2017	State Budget, Additional assistance needed	
		4. Training of customs staff	Ministry of Finance RS	2014- 2017	State Budget, Additional assistance needed	
		5. Implementation of NCTS system	Ministry of Finance RS	2016-2017	State Budget, Additional assistance needed	
20	Co-operating on risk-based customs control and sharing of relevant information that contributes to improved risk management and security of the supply chains, facilitation of legitimate trade and safety and	1. Strengthening the risk based customs control system	Ministry of Finance RS	2014-2017	State budget, US Department of the Treasury Office of Technical Assistance, IFC Georgia	

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	security of goods imported, exported or in transit				Investment Climate Project,	
		2. Conducting the advance customs data exchange programs with the partner countries including EU	Ministry of Finance RS	2014-2017	State Budget, Additional assistance needed	Advance exchange of customs information has been in progress with the Republic of Turkey and Ukraine. Georgia expressed its interest and readiness to be actively involved in the EU pilot projects between EU and its Eastern Neighbors on exchanges of advance customs information.
21	Approximating Georgia’s legislation on Customs enforcement of IPR to EU acquis, as envisaged by the Association Agreement	1. Review of Georgia’s legislation on IPR Customs enforcement	Ministry of Finance RS Sakpatenti	2014 - 2015	State Budget, Additional assistance needed	
		2. Drafting and adoption of legislation/legislative amendments	Ministry of Finance	2015 - 2016	State Budget, Additional	

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			RS Sakpatenti		assistance needed	
		3. Development of operational procedures	Ministry of Finance RS	2015 - 2016	State Budget, Additional assistance needed	
		4. Training of relevant customs staff	Ministry of Finance RS	2014 - 2017	State Budget, Additional assistance needed	
Rules of Origin						
22	Completing the transfer of competence of issuance of EUR.1 movement certificates and verification to Georgian customs authorities	Amending of legislation to complete the transfer of the competence of issuance of EUR.1 movement certificates and verification to the Georgia Revenue Service	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development Ministry of Finance RS	2014	State budget	
23	Providing training to the Georgian customs authorities on certification and verification of preferential origin	GRS staff training on verification of preferential origin	Ministry of Finance RS	2014-2017	State Budget, Additional assistance needed	
Public Procurement						

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24	Starting preparation of a comprehensive roadmap as stipulated by the Association Agreement	1. Initiate renegotiations with the EC on the content of annexes XVI-C; XVI-E; XVI-G; XVI-J; XVI-H; XVI-L and XVI-M including the indicative timeframes for each step of legislative approximation.	State Procurement Agency (SPA)	2014- 2015	SPA Budget	Renegotiation is necessary as the legislative package to update the EU <i>acquis</i> on public procurement has been adopted.
		2. preparation of a comprehensive roadmap for implementation of legislative approximation as set in annex XVI-B of AA	State Procurement Agency (SPA)	2015	SPA Budget, Donor-provided assistance (SIGMA)	SIGMA will provide assistance to the State Procurement Agency in elaboration of comprehensive roadmap.
25	Starting gradual Approximation as set by AA	Legislative Approximation to the Basic standards regulating the award of contracts as defined by Article 144 of the AA	SPA	2016	SPA Budget, Additional assistance needed	
26	Stakeholders capacity building	1. Training, in Georgia and EU countries, of Georgian officials from government bodies engaged in public procurement;	SPA	2014-2017	SPA Budget, Additional assistance needed	Financial support is needed for training center equipment purchasing and hiring trainers.
		2. Training of suppliers interested participating in public procurement;	SPA	2014-2017		
		3. Exchange of information and experience on best practice and	SPA	2014-2017		

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		regulatory rules in the sphere of public procurement, including on-site trainings/seminars in EU member states.				
Intellectual Property Rights (IPR)						
27	Ensuring right holders from both Parties a high level of protection of IPR and adequate measures to enforce such rights	1.Approximating Georgian Legislation to the relevant EU legislation according to AA commitments	National Intellectual Property Center "Sakpatenti"	2014	State Budget	
		2.Introducing amendments to the procedural Legislation regulating Intellectual Property Rights	National Intellectual Property Center "Sakpatenti"	2014	State Budget	
28	Ensuring proper functioning of the judicial system to guarantee access to justice for right holders and availability and effective implementation of sanctions	Provide training to judges on IPR related issues	National Intellectual Property Center "Sakpatenti"	2014-2017	State Budget, CLDP funds, Additional assistance needed	
29	Taking measures to increase public awareness in the field of intellectual and industrial property protection and ensuring effective dialogue with rights holders	1. Conduct seminars, workshops to increase public awareness.	National Intellectual Property Center "Sakpatenti"	2014-2017	Sakpatenti's Budget Additional assistance needed	
		2. Publish informative Bulletins and flyers.	National Intellectual Property Center "Sakpatenti"	2014-2017	Sakpatenti's budget Additional	

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					assistance needed	
Competition						
30	Ensuring that Georgia's institutional framework and relevant administrative capacity guarantee the effective implementation of the relevant legislation	1. institutional strengthening of Competition Agency	Competition Agency	2014 - 2017	State Budget, Additional assistance needed	
		2. Providing long-term cooperation on institutional and legislative developments	Competition Agency	2014-2017	Additional assistance needed	
31	Enhancing dialogue on the experience in enforcement of the legislation in this area, as well as on other legislative developments related to competition	1. Preparation and adoption of the secondary legislation in line with law on competition.	Competition Agency	2014	State Budget, GIZ	
		2. Trainings for Competition Agency employees, public and private sector representatives on different topics of competition policy	Competition Agency	2014-2017	Office of Competition and Consumer Protection of Poland (UOKiK), Additional assistance needed	
Transparency						

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32	Preparing for the implementation of commitments on transparency in trade-related policy-making and consideration of necessary mechanisms to be put in place in this regard	1.Setting up the DCFTA advisory Council with the participation of all stakeholders.	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development	2014	State Budget	
		2.Designating a contact point acting as coordinator for any enquiry resulting from the application of the DCFTA	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development	2014	State Budget	
		3.Capacity building of the relevant state institutions on communication mechanisms and stakeholder consultations	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development	2014-2015	Additional assistance needed	
33	Conducting seminars and other events for the wider public, aimed at explaining the implementation of the envisaged Association Agreement and the approximation process	1. Setting up and maintaining web-portal on DCFTA related issues, including ongoing and planned reforms.	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development	2014-2017	State Budget, Additional assistance needed	The web-portal is already operational
		2. Conducting public information campaign on DCFTA related issues.	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development	2014-2015	State Budget	The campaign is already ongoing in Tbilisi (thematic meetings), as well as in the regions. Meetings are held with businesses, NGOs, local authorities and

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						academic circles.
Trade and Sustainable Development						
34	Providing information on the implementation of the Labor Code	1. Elaboration and implementation of the pilot State Programme on the Monitoring of the Labor Conditions;	Ministry of Labor, Health and Social Affairs	2014	State Budget, additional funding (EU OSHA)	The initial draft of the State Programme has already been elaborated. The working group has been established and the parties have already started the process of negotiations.
		2. Implementation of the Project “Improved Compliance with Labor Laws in Georgia”.	Ministry of Labor, Health and Social Affairs	2014-2017	Grant (US Department of Labor)	U.S. Department of Labor's Bureau of International Labor Affairs announced a \$2 million grant award to improve compliance with labor laws in Georgia. The US Department of Labor will finance the project which will be developed and implemented based on the cooperation agreement between the Department of

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						Labor and the International Labor Organization.
		3.Enactment of the Tripartite Social Partnership Commission.	Ministry of Labor, Health and Social Affairs	2014	State budget	
35	Promoting trade in forest products derived from sustainable managed forests, harvested in accordance with the domestic legislation of the country of harvest, which could include bilateral or regional agreements to that end	1.Preparation of new Forest Code and review of respective rules and regulations	Ministry of Environment and National Resources Protection	2014-2017	World Bank in the framework of ENPI-FLEG-II (EU/ADA) GIZ will provide additional support if necessary	
		2.Elaboration of national criteria and indicators for sustainable forest management	Ministry of Environment and National Resources Protection	2014-2015	GIZ	
		3.Conducting Controlled Wood National Risk Assessment for Georgia	Ministry of Environment and National Resources Protection	2014-2015	WWF, Additional financing needed	
		4. Increasing the expertise of the State Forest Inspection Service to control illegal activities in the forest	Ministry of Environment and National Resources	2015-2017	EU Twinning	

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		sector	Protection			
		5. Analysis of economic potential of utilization, marketing and processing of timber, fuel wood and NTFPs	Ministry of Environment and National Resources Protection	2014-2015	ADA/GIZ	
36	Promoting the listing of species (including timber species) under Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Fauna and Flora (CITES) where the conservation status of those species is considered at risk	1. Conducting consultations with the EU Scientific Review Group on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES) regarding sustainable use of biological diversity, listing of species in the CITES appendices, where the conservation status of that species is considered at risk and criteria of the convention are met.	Ministry of Environment and National Resources Protection	2014	State Budget	
		2. Assessment of CITES species in Georgia.	Ministry of Environment and National Resources Protection	2015-2017	GIZ	
37	Exchanging information on measures to promote the consumption of timber and timber products from sustainable managed forests	Conduct analysis of Georgian forestry in the context of voluntary certification potential.	Ministry of Environment and National Resources Protection	2015-2017	WWF-Caucasus Programme Office	

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	and, where relevant, cooperate to developing such measures					
38	Adopting measures to promote the conservation of forest cover and combat illegal logging and related trade, including with respect to third countries, as appropriate	1.Mapping of the forest area of Georgia	Ministry of Environment and National Resources Protection	2014-2015	ADA/GIZ UNEP/GEF/WRI	
		2.Establishment of a new forest monitoring system	Ministry of Environment and National Resources Protection	2014-2016	ADA/GIZ UNEP/GEF/WRI	
		3.Development of a concept for zoning and categorization of the forest area of Georgia	Ministry of Environment and National Resources Protection	2014-2015	ADA/CENN	
39	Exchanging information on actions for improving forest governance and where relevant cooperating to maximize the impact and ensure the mutual supportiveness of their respective policies aiming at excluding illegally	Exchange relevant information between the partner countries in the framework of ENPI / FLEG II ¹	Ministry of Environment and National Resources Protection	2014-2016	World Bank, IUCN, WWF, EU	

¹The ENPI FLEG - "Improving Forest Law Enforcement and Governance in the European Neighborhoods Policy East Countries and Russia"

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	harvested timber and timber products from trade flows					
40	Cooperating at the regional and the global levels with the aim of promoting the conservation of forest cover and the sustainable management of all types of forests.	Participation in regional (RECC), European (Forest Europe) and global (UNFF) initiatives	Ministry of Environment and National Resources Protection	2014-2017	State Budget, Additional assistance needed	
41	Discussing the future implementation of the commitments under the Chapter with regard to stakeholder involvement and civil society dialogue and Exchanging best practices and relevant experience in this regard	1. Organizing working group meetings in the framework of National Forest Program (NFP) of Georgia as an instrument of stakeholder involvement in forest sector reform and ensuring participation of EU representatives.	Ministry of Environment and National Resources Protection	2014-2017	GIZ	
		2. Cooperation with General Fisheries Commission for the Mediterranean (GFCM) in order to exchange best practices and experience in fisheries related fields, such as Illegal Unreported and Unregulated Fishing and Monitoring and Surveillance System.	Ministry of Environment and National Resources Protection	2014-2017	GFCM	

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42	Cooperation on the development of the future international climate change framework under the UNFCCC and its related agreements and decisions	Develop/prepare intended Nationally Determined Contribution of Georgia to the 2015 Agreement under the UNFCCC	Ministry of Environment and Natural Resources Protection of Georgia	2014 –2015	State Budget USAID EC-LEDS programme	
Trade Related Energy Provisions						
43	Strengthening the role of regulatory authorities to regulate the gas and electricity market	1. Preparation and adoption of Grid Code	GNERC	2014 - 2015	GNERC Budget	
		2. Adoption of Standard Conditions for different energy services	GNERC	2014	GNERC Budget	
		3. Adoption of electricity Tariff Methodology in accordance with EU best practice	GNERC	2014	TWINNING budget	
		4. Development of Uniform System of Accounting	GNERC	2014 - 2017	GNERC Budget USAID TA	
		5. Adaption of Rule of Calculation of Normative Losses	GNERC	2014	GNERC Budget	
44	Organization of markets with a view to achieving competitive, secure and environmentally sustainable	Development of Electricity Market	Ministry of Energy	2014-2017	State budget , Additional assistance needed	

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	conditions and shall not discriminate between enterprises as regards rights or obligations					
45	Transit obligation for operators	1. Development of coordination guideline for the emergency response in case of accidental interruptions	Ministry of Energy	2015	State Budget	
		2. Development and Implementation of Power Exchange Platform	GSE	2015-2018	State Budget, WB financing	
Coordination of the DCFTA Implementation						
46	Coordination of the DCFTA Implementation	Creating the DCFTA implementation interagency working group	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development	2014	State Budget	
		Preparing the DCFTA implementation reports according to the DCFTA implementation action plan	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development	2014-2017	State Budget	