

# Partnership for Good Governance

## პარტნიორობა კარგი მმართველობისთვის

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### NOTE FOR THE PRESS

## Strengthening the application of the European Convention on Human Rights in Georgia

#### Who will benefit?

- ▶ Georgian citizens who should enjoy equality and better protection of their human rights
- ▶ Judges, prosecutors and lawyers in Georgia whose capacity to implement European Convention on Human Rights in their daily work will be enhanced
- ▶ Policy and decision makers

#### Why is the project being run?

- ▶ To strengthen the implementation of European Human Rights standards at national and regional level

#### How will the project work?

- ▶ Through bilateral work as well as multilateral exchange of experience
- ▶ Special emphasis on common issues and tailor-made methodology
- ▶ Specific expertise, capacity building measures and tools

#### What are the expected results?

- ▶ Reinforce national capacities to guarantee the right to a fair trial
- ▶ Support the national monitoring of execution of the European Court of Human Rights judgments through reinforcement of parliamentary involvement
- ▶ Enhance the application of the European Court of Human Rights case-law by judges and prosecutors at national level

#### How much will it cost?

- ▶ The total budget is around 1,000,000 Euros
- ▶ 90% is funded by the European Union and 10% by the Council of Europe. The programme is implemented by the Council of Europe

#### How long is the project?

- ▶ The programme runs from 1 January 2015- 31 December 2018

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### Who is responsible for the project?

- ▶ The project is implemented by the Council of Europe's Human Rights National Implementation Division.

### How do we get more information?

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*In April 2014, the European Union and the Council of Europe agreed that targeted co-operation activities with Armenia, Azerbaijan, Georgia, Republic of Moldova, Ukraine and Belarus – the EU's Eastern Partnership countries – would be implemented under the Partnership for Good Governance.*

*These co-operation activities will strengthen the capacity of Eastern Partnership countries, which are member States of the Council of Europe, with the exception of Belarus, to implement domestic reforms to bring them closer to European standards in the fields of human rights, democracy and the rule of law.*

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