Developing/reviewing indicator framework for national development plan in Georgia



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After the adoption of the post 2015 development agenda held in New-York in September of 2015, Government of Georgia took an initiative to contribute to sustainable development through volunteer efforts as a continuation to the Millennium Development Goals.

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All of Government of Georgia /Line

Ministry/Agency

DECISION ON NATIONALIZATION OF THE SDGS

UN Team

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Government of Georgia established a joint technical working group

Government administration of Georgia experts from different line ministries, National Statistics Office and UN country team;

The consultation process started in 2015

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All government bodies were asked to provide evidence- based priorities and relevant indicators in line with SDG goals

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Reasonable efforts have been made to identify first order, direct goals and targets and map the linkages with Georgia's policy and plans.

defined priorities and indicators presented to the working group

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- Discussions within joint technical working group
- Exploring the possibilities of developing new indicators and needs assasment

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different line ministries/ag encies, National Statistics Office

Team

Developed indicator framework and identification of gaps; Prioritazion and localization of **SDGs** Georgia Adjusted Indicator

Baseline Indicator UN country

At the first stage, Georgia prioritized set of 14 goals out of the total 17, as well as 88 global targets mid term

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introductory meetings were held in 5 regions of Georgia, with the aim to raise the awareness of local governments, private and civil sector on SDGs.

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Public Awearness rising

Monitoring & evaluation

- ➤ SDG Monitoring and Evaluation system will be established at both central and local levels to track progress: annual reporting cycle will be upheld
- ➤ GoG intends to set-up thematic working groups on Human Rights, Social Inclusion, Economic Growth and Environment Protection issues, with the aim to establish complementary national indicators and adapt global ones to suit the national priorities.
- Thematic meetings with private sector to help them understand how they can influence SDGs to drive good practices and growth opportunities.



Future Steps

- Active participation in thematic working groups and meetings
- ➤ Prioritization of non-produced indicators
- ➤ Strengthen national statistical capacities and data collection (including administrative data and Big data)
- ➤ Organize and conduct supplementary sector researches
- ➤ Continuing active cooperation with main stakeholders
- Due to the identified statistical gaps, supplementary sector researches will be organized and conducted, though this process will face difficulties in terms of additional financial resources. – international assistance is needed