



**Environmental Protection of
International River Basins Project**



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**Pilot project fiche
Pilot project 2 in Georgia (PPGE02)**

Country	Georgia
Name	<i>Assistance in the preparation of secondary legislation in Georgia in support of new Water Code including development of the legislation required for the delineation of river basins and basin authorities as well as establishment of Water Framework Directive</i>
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Budget	19,500 Euro
Timing	1-Aug-14 - 31-Mar-15
Short description	<p>This pilot project was designed to assist the key beneficiary to implemented selected measures from the overall Programme of Measures (PoM), as defined under the Water Framework Directive in general, and the draft pilot basin RBMP, in specific. These general measures in Georgia correspond to development of a secondary legislation in support of the new Water Law.</p> <p>The new Water Law for Georgia is currently undergoing through the final consultations and is expected to be adopted by the Parliament at the end of 2015. However, implementation of the Law will require development of the secondary legislation. For this reason the Ministry of Environment and Natural Resources Protection (MENRP) of Georgia has requested EPIRB assistance in the development of the following normative acts identified as a higher priority for implementation of the Water Law:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Normative act on the defining rules for identification of water bodies and their borders (delineation of water bodies) b) Normative act on defining and approval of the procedures for development, review and adoption of River Basin Management Plans (RBMPs) c) Normative act on defining basin-territorial entities for integrated management of river basins d) Normative act on the defining rules for basin management consulting-coordination board composition and proceedings (basin public councils) <p>These activities have been implemented by the National Water Partnership of Georgia, a consultant NGO and local legal experts hired through this pilot project.</p>
Outputs	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Final draft of the Governmental Resolution on Defining Basin Districts for Integrated Management of River Basins (in Georgian); 2. Final draft of the explanatory note on the Governmental Resolution on Defining Basin Districts for Integrated Management of River Basins;

3. Map of the basin districts of Georgia;
4. Final draft of the Governmental Resolution on Defining Basin Districts for Integrated Management of River Basins (in English);
5. Final draft of the Governmental Resolution on the Defining Rules for Identification of Water Bodies and their Borders (delineation of water bodies) (in Georgian);
6. Final draft of the explanatory note on the Governmental Resolution on the Defining Rules for Identification of Water Bodies and their Borders (delineation of water bodies);
7. Final draft of the Governmental Resolution on the Defining Rules for Identification of Water Bodies and their Borders (delineation of water bodies) (in English);
8. Final draft of the Governmental Resolution on Defining and Approval of the Procedure for Development, Review and Adoption of River Basin Management Plans (RBMPs)(in Georgian);
9. Final draft of the explanatory note on the Governmental Resolution on Defining and Approval of the Procedure for Development, Review and Adoption of River Basin Management Plans (RBMPs);
10. Final draft of the Governmental Resolution on Defining and Approval of the Procedure for Development, Review and Adoption of River Basin Management Plans (RBMPs)(in English);
11. Final draft of the Governmental Resolution on the Establishment of the River Basin Councils and Approval of their Typical Charter (in Georgian);
12. Final draft of the Governmental Resolution on the Establishment of the River Basin Councils and Approval of their Typical Charter (in English);

Map

Map of the Proposed Basin Districts in Georgia

