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## **Country Potential Analysis – Republic of Georgia Regular Labour Migration and Mobility**

Dear Sir or Madam,

The German Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ) has commissioned the Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH and its Programme Migration & Diaspora (PMD) to identify suitable partner countries for the implementation of the PMD in the field of regular labour migration and mobility. In this regard, GIZ together with its cooperation partner, the Central Placement Office (ZAV) of the German Federal Employment Agency (BA) intends to assign an assessment team to explore the potential of regular migration in the Republic of Georgia.

The programme aims to give potential migrants access to more information on safe and regular migration pathways. The measures do not intend to increase the emigration of highly qualified experts and foster brain drain. The aim of the programme is to contribute to make migration fairer and more beneficial for its partner governments and migrants according to the Global Compact for Migration (GCM).

As an instrument for the identification of suitable partner countries GIZ and its partners are planning an appraisal mission to Georgia (Tbilisi) from **Monday, January 13th to Friday, January 17th 2020**, examining perspectives and approach of the Georgian government and relevant actors in the country concerning international and regional labour migration.

Please find a more detailed general description of the programme PMD and potential criteria within the planned country potential analysis in the two documents attached.

We are very interested in considering the experiences and estimations of your institution in the field of regular migration as part of the appraisal mission and would be very pleased to discuss this topic with you personally within the period mentioned above.

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- Mrs. Irma Tsereteli, Coordinator for Georgia, GIZ PMD programme

English communication language is possible, we suggest a duration of meeting of about 60-90 minutes.

For further information please contact our colleague Mrs. Irma Tsereteli, coordinator for Georgia with PMD programme ([irma.tsereteli@giz.de](mailto:irma.tsereteli@giz.de)).

We are looking forward to your response.

Kind regards,

Sincerely yours

  
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