

**Memorandum on Cooperation
between
State enterprise «Belarusian State Center for Accreditation»
and Georgian National Accreditation Body**

The State enterprise «Belarusian State Center for Accreditation» and Georgian National Accreditation Body, hereinafter referred to as the Parties, with the aim to organize cooperation in the field of accreditation of the conformity assessment bodies in order to facilitate trade relationship and assist to the development of economical cooperation between the countries of the Parties,

expressing their desire to develop interaction in the field of accreditation proceeding from the principles and norms adopted by the international organizations,

Hereby agree as follows:

1. The Parties will exchange their experience and documents in the field of accreditation of conformity assessment bodies information on the activity of national accreditation bodies, as well as information on accredited laboratories and conformity attestation bodies.
2. The Parties will organize joint training workshops for experts in the field of accreditation of laboratories and bodies for conformity attestation, as well as exchange experience in the field of procedures for accreditation of laboratories and bodies for conformity attestation; they will organize experts exchange during accreditation of laboratories and conformity attestation bodies.
3. The parties will organize the participation of the laboratories accredited by them in inter-laboratory comparison programs.
4. The parties will support each other in such a way that Georgian and Belarusian National Accreditation Bodies can join EA/ILAC.

Both Parties will assign the persons responsible for effective realization of this cooperation. Meetings for monitoring this Memorandum realization will be organized twice a year. During the 1st meeting mechanisms of this memorandum realization shall be agreed.

The Parties will assist to the creation of the most favorable conditions and opportunities for visits of other Side experts.

Participants of this Memorandum undertake to strictly assure confidentiality of all information and documents relating to their cooperation. All persons, engaged in the works within the framework of this Memorandum, shall sign the corresponding confidentiality declaration.

This Memorandum has no limited validity period. Each Party has the right to terminate its participation in this Memorandum, but the termination shall take effect not later than three months before the end of the current year.

In case of this Memorandum termination all agreed joint events shall be completed according to stated deadline, and report on completed works shall be provided.

This Memorandum on cooperation is made in two copies, in English and Russian, and signed on 12th November 2010 in Minsk.

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