



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING AND COOPERATION

THE CZECH OFFICE FOR STANDARDS, METROLOGY AND TESTING (ÚNMZ) AND

BETWEEN

THE GEORGIAN NATIONAL AGENCY FOR STANDARDS AND METROLOGY (GeoSTM)

The Czech Office for Standards, Metrology and Testing (ÚNMZ) and the Georgian National Agency for Standards and Metrology (GeoSTM), hereinafter referred to as "the Participants",

- desiring to develop cooperation in the field of standardization, metrology and conformity assessment procedures based on the European and international best practices,
- taking into account the importance of protection of life and health and environmental care;
- pursuing economic interests of the states of both Participants,

have reached the following Memorandum of Understanding:

Article 1

The Participants in accordance with this Memorandum of Understanding (MoU), within their competence and in accordance with the legislation of their states, express desire to cooperate in the following areas:

- provision of information on standards adopted in Georgia and European Union's legislation applicable in the Czech Republic;
- exploitation of opportunities of Czech authorized bodies in conformity assessment of products from the Georgia placed on the single market of the European Union;
- training of specialists of the Participants in professional educational systems related to upgrading skills of these professionals in the field of standardization and metrology;
- implementation of a collaborative study in the areas of mutual interest;
- cooperation in organization of bilateral comparisons of national measurement standards of unit quantities;
- cooperation in the field of reference materials defined composition, properties of substances and materials of data on physical constants and properties of substances and materials;
- mutual recognition of test and measurement results according to the agreed term and conditions with the aim of the approval of type, verification and calibration results of measuring instruments supplied mutually by the Participants;
- development of human resources training of specialists in different fields of measurements.





Article 2

The Participants are intending to promote the cooperation under the Article 1 by the following ways:

- exchange of information on national legislation, technical regulations and other normative documents;
- preparation of joint projects in case of mutual interest;
- meeting of experts, organization of training seminars and symposiums;
- exchange of scientists, engineers, technicians and other specialists to carry out joint projects;
- arranging of internships and study visits for experts;
- training and mutual exchange of specialists and lectors, including training at the corresponding educational institutions of the Participants;
- exchange of information, opinions, experiences, publications, reports and other fields of knowledge according to the mutual interest.

Article 3

In case of mutual interest the Participants may within their competence and in accordance with the legislation of their states settle on the specification of individual areas of cooperation.

Article 4

None of the provisions of this MoU might be interpreted to prevent the Participants from conducting cooperation with third parties in areas covered by this Memorandum.

Article 5

This MoU is non-binding instrument and, as such, it does not constitute any rights or legal obligations, nor is it its purpose.

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For ÚNMZ – Czech Office for Standards, Metrology and Testing (Czech Republic) For GeoSTM – Georgiana National Agency for Standards and Metrology (Georgia)

Signature

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