**GEORGIA**

**The 44th SESSION OF THE UPR WORKING GROUP**

**UPR OF THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION**

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Mr. President,

We are deeply concerned with Russia’s total disregard towards its international obligations.

We are deeply concerned over the gross and systemic human rights violations in Abkhazia and Tskhinvali regions of Georgia, illegally occupied and effectively controlled by the Russian Federation as attested by the ECHR judgment of January 2021.

Georgia recommends to Russia:

* To execute the judgments of the ECHR: on Georgia v. Russia (I) of 2014 and 2019, Georgia v Russia (II) of 2021 and 2023 and Mamasakhlisi and Others v. Georgia and Russia of 2023;
* To grant full access to the OHCHR and other relevant human rights monitoring mechanisms to occupied Abkhazia and Tskhinvali regions of Georgia;
* To immediately cease all violations of human rights in the occupied regions of Georgia;
* To ensure accountability for unlawful killings of Georgian citizens in the occupied regions of Georgia;
* To implement its international human rights obligations regarding the protection of human rights in the Russian Federation.