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# Key policies and Institutions on Gender Equality



 At the national level:

- The Inter-Agency Commission on Gender Equality, Violence against Women and Domestic Violence;
- The Gender Equality Council of the Parliament of Georgia;
- The Gender Department of the Public Defender of Georgia.

# INTER-AGENCY COMMISSION ON GENDER EQUALITY AND COMBATING VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN AND DOMESTIC VIOLENCE



Established under Decree №286 of June 12, 2017 of the Government of Georgia.

## Activities of the Commission:

- The Commission has been set up in order to elaborate action plans to implement the Resolutions of the UN Security Council on “Women, Peace and Security” for gender equality, violence against women and domestic violence, as well as to coordinate and monitor the implement the mentioned action plans;
- The Commission creates a “Group to define the status of victims of violence against women and/or of domestic violence”, which makes decisions on granting or denying the status of the victim of violence against women and/or domestic violence to a person.

## Members of the Commission:

- The Commission is chaired by the Adviser to the Prime Minister for Human Rights;
- The Commission includes 22 members: Ministries of Georgia; Offices of State Ministers; Prosecutor’s Office; State Fund for Protection and Assistance of Victims of Human Trafficking, the National Statistics Office of Georgia;
- With a right to vote, the Commission also includes: Public Defender’s Office, Gender Equality Council of the Parliament, Supreme Court, Georgian Public Broadcasting.

# Strategy documents



**State Concept for the Economic Empowerment of Women**

**National Action Plan on Combating Violence against Women and Domestic Violence and Measures to be Implemented for the Protection of Victims (Survivors) for 2022-2024**

**National Action Plan on Women, Peace and Security for 2022-2024**

# Best practice



The Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development has expanded economic support programs, such as *Enterprise Georgia*.

Women applicants receive *extra points* during the assessment process of the micro grant competition.