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DRI activities in August

• Abkhaz youth can get higher education abroad only in Russia

DRI in Coalition activities

EU CANDIDACY CHECK 5.0 - how is Georgia progressing towards fulfilling 12 priorities defined by the EU

Nine civil society organizations regularly evaluate the state of fulfillment of 12 priorities defined by the EU. The fifth edition of their assessment document – EU CANDIDACY CHECK.

According to CSOs' assessments, at this stage, one priority is fully implemented, two priorities are mostly fulfilled, seven priorities are partially fulfilled, and two priorities (deoligarchisation and political polarization) defined by the European Union are to be fulfilled.



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DRI visit to regions

In August 2023, the Democracy Research Institute studied the situation in Pankisi Valley, Imereti, and the villages near the occupation line.

DRI visited Pankisi Valley, Chiathura, Tskaltubo, villages located along the occupation line, Perevi village of Sachkheri municipality, and villages of Oni municipality: Iri, Tsedisi, Kvedi, Skhanari, Kvedrula, Itkhvisi.



Within the framework of the project "Counter stigmatization of civil society and build a positive counter-narrative in Georgia", DRI prepared three video clips





