

# Small Arms and Light Weapons

Tbilisi, Georgia  
9-10 June 2006

June 9, Friday

09.20 Depart for the Parliament (from the hotel(s) lobby)

09:30 – 10:00 - Registration

*Venue: Chavchavadze Hall*

10.00-10.30- Opening Session

Chair: Mrs. Lali Papiashvili, MP – Member of the Executive Board of PGA

Welcoming Remarks:

Senator Alain Destexhe (Belgium) (President, PGA)

Mr. David Bakradze, MP (Georgia)

Mr. Giorgi Manjgaladze, Deputy Minister, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

**Keynote Address by H.E. Mrs. Nino Burjandze - Speaker of the Georgian Parliament**

10.30-10.45 Coffee break

10.45-11.45 - Implementing The Un Programme of Action – Successes and Ongoing Challenges – the Role of Parliamentarians (*Advice on Implementation of UN Programme of Action/ Revising/ Introducing New Domestic Legislation*)

Chair: Mr. Ross Robertson, MP (New Zealand), International Council Chair, PGA

Panelists:

Mrs. G. Pashayeva, MP (Azerbaijan)

Mr. Bernard Betrancourt, Head of ICRC Delegation to Georgia

Mr. Martin Kristanson UNDP (Georgia)

11.45-12.00- Coffee break

12.00-13.00- Brokering of Arms and Addressing Arms Trafficking

Panelists:

H.E. Donald MacLaren of MacLaren, UK Ambassador to Georgia

Mr. Ioseb Mandaria, Ministry of Interior, Georgia

Mr. David Sanikidze, Security Council of Georgia

13.00 – 14.00 Lunch

14.00-15.00 Stockpile Management, Weapons Collection & Destruction–  
Progress Made, Obstacles to be Overcome

Chair: Dr. Ra'Ed Qaqish, MP (Jordan), International Council Member, PGA

Panelists:

Torber Holtze, Head of EC Delegation

MR. CJ Nutter, US Embassy to Georgia, Defense Threat Reduction Office

Mr. Zbigniew Fec, Military Advisor, OSCE

Mr. David Nairashvili, "Delta", Director

15.00-15.15 Coffee break

15.15-17.00 Existing National and Regional Controls on Small Arms/ Light  
Weapons –national and International perspectives- national and international  
perspective, the role of civil society in SALW control

Chair: Mr. Mamadou Lamine Thiam, MP (Senegal) – International Council Member,  
PGA

Panelists:

Mr. David Muchauri, Ministry of Justice

Mr. Levan Duchidze, MP (Georgia)

Mr. Davit Kirkitadze, MP Georgia

Mr. Irakli Kavtaradze, MP (Georgia)

Mr. Davit Darchiashvili, OSGF ( Georgia)

Mrs. Minou Tavarez Mirabal, MP (Dominican Republic) – Executive Committee  
Member, PGA

Mr. Ross Robertson, MP (New Zealand), International Council Chair, PGA

Mr. M.J. Nolan, MP executive committee member, PGA (Ireland)

Mr. David Wood, Saferworld, UK

17.00 Depart for the hotel(s)  
Time at disposal

18.45 Depart for the Youth Palace

19.00 Concert at the Youth Palace

19.45 Depart for the Restaurant "Metekhis Chrdilshi"

20.00 Dinner Hosted by the Speaker of the Parliament of Georgia Mrs. Nino  
Burjanadze

Breakfast at the hotel(s)

09.45 Depart for the Parliament

10.00 – 11.00 The role of Parliaments and Parliamentarians in Conflict Management and Peace Building - Improving National Strategies on Conflict Prevention, Conflict Resolution and Peace-building

Panclists:

Mr. Konstantin Gabashvili, MP, Chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee (Georgia)

M. Roin Janashia, MP (Georgia)

Mr. Ibrahim Sorie, MP (Sierra Leone) – Executive Committee Member, PGA

Mrs. Goska Wasilewska- (Seferworld)- Parliamentary Oversight of Small Arms and Light Weapons National Policy

11.15am—11.30am Coffee break

11.30- 12.30pm JUSTICE, CONFLICT PREVENTION AND POST-CONFLICT JUSTICE AND RECONCILIATION

*Chair:* Senator Alain Destexhe (Belgium) – President, PGA

Panelists:

Mr. Goga Khaindrava, State Minister, Georgia

Mrs. Teo Tlashadze MP, (Georgia)

Mr. Zurab Davitashvili , MP (Georgia)

Mr. Mamadou Lamin Thiam, MP (Senegal) – International Council Member, PGA

Senator Raynell Andreychuk (Canada)

12.30.00- 14.00- LUNCH

14.15-15.30 Discussion and Adoption of Tbilisi Plan of Action; Possible Further Regional Initiatives on Small Arms. Closing Remarks

Chair: Senator Raynell Andreychuk (Canada) – Executive Committee Member, PGA

15.30-16.00 - Press conference

16.00 - Depart for the hotel(s)

- Time at disposal

16.50 - Depart for the State Museum

16.50 – 17.30 -Tour the Treasury of the State Museum

17.30 - Depart for the old capital of Georgia – Mtskheta

17.30 – 19.00 - Sightseeing in Mtskheta