

Georgia Rural Development Strategy (2017-2020) 2018-2020 Action Plan Progress Monitoring Report for 2019

In 2019, Georgia Rural Development Strategy (2017-2020) 2018-2020 Action Plan (hereinafter “the Action Plan”) envisaged 2 activities under the responsibility of the agency - Enterprise Georgia, with a total budget of 6,000,000 GEL. The actual budget expenditure as of 31.12.2019 was 9,593,000 GEL.

In years 2017-2019, in rural areas, in the frames of the “Micro and Small Business Support” program 2753 small and medium enterprises (SMEs) were supported by public funds. Through the Industrial Component of the Access to Finance part of the state program “Produce in Georgia” 41 factories and 96 hotels were supported in rural areas.

The main indicators of the activities assigned to the agency in 2019 were the following:

Objective	Activity	Budget estimate for 2019 (GEL)	Budget expenditure as of 31.12.2019 (GEL)
Priority Area 1: Economy and Competitiveness			
Objective 1: Economic recovery, restructuring and the modernization of farming activities through the development of diversification and efficient supply chain	1.2.1 Entrepreneurship development	4,000,000	3,318,000
Objective 2: Development of tourism and respective tourism products in rural areas based on rural characteristics and unique cultural identity.	1.3.1 Tourism development	2,000,000	6,275,000
Total		6,000,000	9,593,000

Detailed information on the fulfilment of the activity under the responsibility of the Agency is available in the Georgia Rural Development Strategy (2017-2020) 2018-2020 Action Plan Progress Monitoring Report for 2019.