



United Nations Development Programme  
UNDP Georgia

## PROJECT SUMMARY

### Preparation of the POPs National Implementation Plan under the Stockholm Convention

#### Budget Summary

GEF	\$ 396,700
Government (in kind)	\$ 70,700
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 467,400</b>

**Sector/subsector:** Environment enhancement and management

**DCAS sector/subsector:** Natural Resources/Sector Policy and planning

**Primary area of focus/sub-focus:** Promoting environment and natural resources sustainability/Establishment of policy/strategy, planning and programme frameworks for sustainable development

**Primary type of intervention:** Programme support

**Secondary type of intervention:** Capacity building

**Primary target beneficiaries:** Government – Governmental Organisations

**Project period:** 2003-2005

**Management Modality:** National Execution

**UNDP Implementing partner:** Ministry of Environment of Georgia

#### **Project Goal**

The goal of the project is to create sustainable capacity and ownership in Georgia to meet its obligations under the Stockholm Convention, including preparation of a POPs National Implementation Plan. The National Implementation Plan will describe how Georgia will meet its obligations under the Convention to phase-out POPs sources and manage POPs contaminated sites. The project will enable Georgia to ratify the Stockholm Convention and become a Party to the same.

#### **Expected Outcomes**

1. Enabling Activity project coordination mechanisms established.
2. Necessary capacity built to support successful project implementation.
3. Wide groups of stake-holders informed about POPs human and environmental effects.
4. Broad assessment of national POPs infrastructural and institutional capacity.
5. Baseline inventory database on the POPs situation in the country compiled.
6. Agreed country objectives and priorities for POPs and POPs elimination and reduction.
7. Draft National Implementation Plan for meeting country obligations under the Convention.
8. Final National Implementation Plan integrating views from government and other stakeholders.

#### **Project Tasks/Activities**

1. General project coordination, legal assessment and awareness raising;
2. Compilation of Initial Inventories and capacity assessment;
3. POPs Priority setting, evaluation of Management Options and drafting of National Implementation Plan.
4. Finalization and endorsement of National Implementation Plan (NIP).