

**Memorandum on Co-operation
between
the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Lithuania
and
the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Armenia
on European Integration**

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Lithuania and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Armenia,

- considering the need to deepen bilateral relations between Lithuania and Armenia within the framework of the Protocol on Co-operation between the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Lithuania and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Armenia, signed in Vilnius on 13 March 2000,
- taking into account that Lithuania has become a member of the European Union,
- appreciating the importance of the cooperation between the European Union and the Republic of Armenia and the aspirations of the Republic of Armenia towards the European Union,
- recognizing the significance of the process of transformation of the Eastern European Neighbourhood, particularly, the South Caucasus in the spirit of European values,

hereby express their readiness:

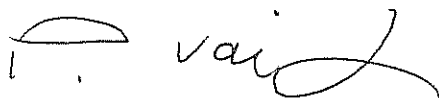
1. Within the framework of the European Neighbourhood Policy to provide support for the implementation of the EU-Armenia Action Plan, in particular:

- through the process of reforms in key sectors, that would facilitate Armenia's closer co-operation with the European Union,

- in promoting the awareness of the European Union in the Armenian society;
2. To promote the co-operation and sharing of experience between institutions of the Republic of Lithuania and the Republic of Armenia in all areas of common interest, making full use of all available instruments in order to accelerate internal reforms and to assist the Republic of Armenia in the process of European integration;
 3. Within the framework of the existing mechanism of bilateral consultations to initiate consultations on European integration between the Ministries of Foreign Affairs of both states;
 4. To assist in capacity-building in the area of European integration through organizing study visits to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Lithuania by the Armenian diplomats and other civil servants dealing with EU related issues;
 5. To assist the cooperation between the Lithuanian and Armenian non-governmental organizations in promoting European integration;
 6. To enhance the bilateral and multilateral co-operation between the Black Sea and the Baltic Sea regions, including through strengthened regional economic co-operation and the intensification of the dialogue on a wide range of foreign policy and economic issues.

Signed in Yerevan on 8 November 2007 in two originals in English.

**Minister of Foreign Affairs
of the Republic of Lithuania**



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