

Plenary Session

National Convention on the EU in Georgia

February 17, 2017 Radisson Blue Iveria, Conference Room 1 Tbilisi, Georgia

13:00 – 13:15 Welcoming of the special guests and Opening Remarks

Welcome Remarks

Archil Gegeshidze, Executive Director of LMF Rudolf Michalka, Ambassador of Slovakia to Georgia

Opening Addresses

Alexander Duleba, Director of the SFPA Ekaterina Baramidze, Program Development Director, LMF

13:15 – 13:45 Presentation of the Progress of the Implementation of the EU-Georgia Association Agreement

Topic: *Progress of the implementation of EU-Georgia Association Agreement* **Speaker: Viktor Dolidze,** State Minister on European and Euro-Atlantic Integration

Topic: *NATO Communication Strategy Document* **Speaker: Giorgi Muchaidze,** Executive Director of Atlantic Council of Georgia

Topic: Overview of recommendations on DCFTA **Speaker: Mikheil Skhiereli,** Country Program Manager, Good Governance Fund at Policy and Management Consulting Group LLC.

Topic: Agriculture and Regional Development **Speaker:** Levan Dadiani, Oxfam Georgia Agriculture and Food Security Policy Program Manager

Topic: *Progress of the Energy sector in Georgia* **Speaker: Natalia Shatirishvili,** Lead Researcher in WEG

- 14:00–14:30 Q&A and wrap up session
- 14:30 Lunch