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Update on EU4Environment Action completed activities on environmental compliance assurance

**EU4Environment regional environmental compliance assurance seminar on
“Better environmental inspections for stronger environmental resilience”**

5-6 December 2022

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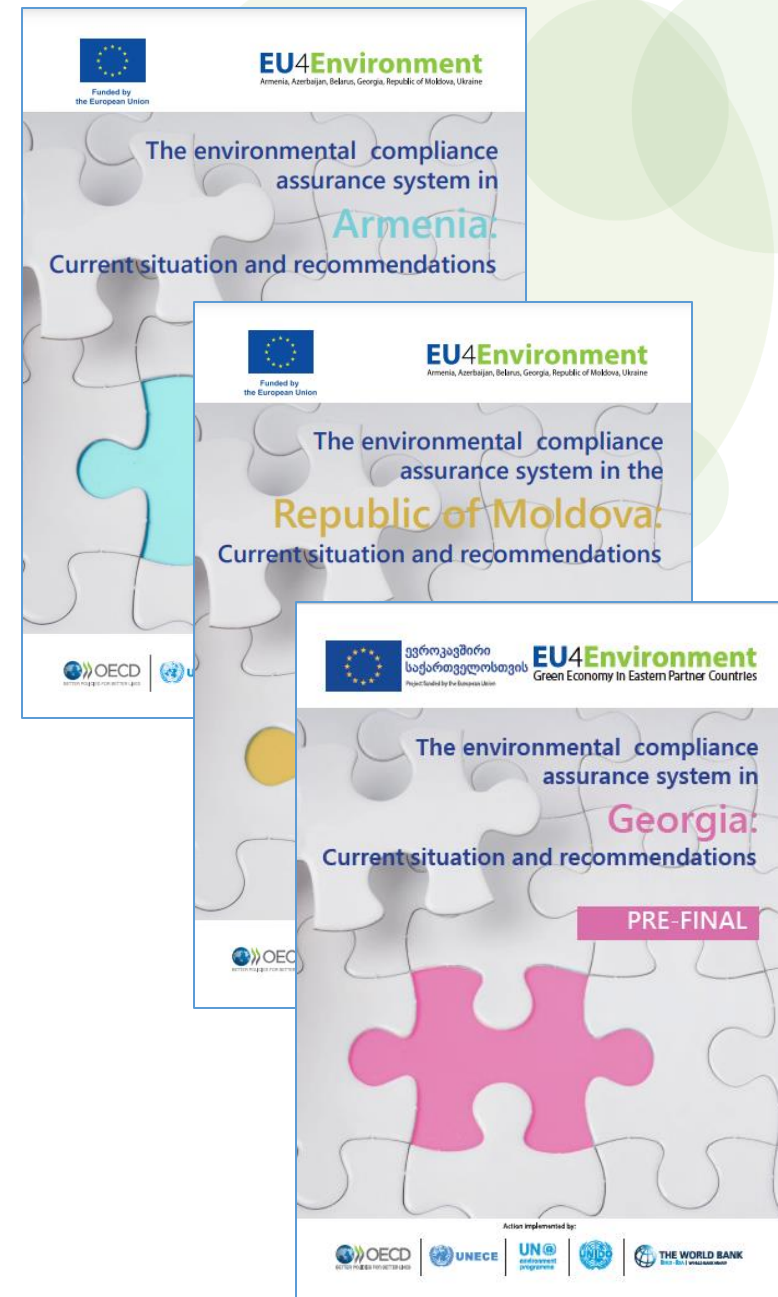
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Three environmental compliance assurance system reviews (Armenia, Moldova, Georgia)

Assessment and recommendations regarding:

- Legislative set-up and permitting
- Institutional framework
- Monitoring of compliance
- Enforcement and non-compliance responses
- Promotion of voluntary compliance



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Three regional capacity building seminars

Information systems used
by environmental
permitting and inspection
authorities

23 July 2021



Joint environmental
inspections: Good
practices and lessons
learnt

23 June 2022



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Liability for environmental
damage: From policy design to
application

14-15 September 2022



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A training course

“Identification and assessment of remediation measures for significant environmental damage and preparation of a remediation plan”

4-8 July 2022
Tbilisi, Georgia

Officials of the Ministry of Environmental Protection and Agriculture (MEPA) of Georgia received training on:

- The main components of the EU ELD
- Identification, characterisation and assessment of pollution of soil and groundwater
- Remediation technologies



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Three regional compliance assurance seminars

Bringing together policy makers and civil society representatives from the Eastern Partnership, EU and OECD countries, the European Commission and the OECD Secretariat, to exchange knowledge and practices

1st seminar on risk-based approaches to environmental compliance assurance

25 November 2020



2nd seminar on policies and tools for enforcement of environmental compliance

17-18 November 2021



3rd seminar on better environmental inspections for stronger environmental resilience

5-6 December 2022





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Facilitation of participation in European network events



European Union Network for the Implementation and Enforcement of Environmental Law (IMPEL)

- Workshop on **“Strategies for verification of self-monitoring and reporting on air emissions”** (*October 2021*)
- 3 project events on **“Criteria for the Assessment of Environmental Damage (CAED)”** (*November 2021, February 2022, April 2022*)



European Forum of Judges for the Environment (EUFJE)

- 2020 EUFJE annual conference on **“Air Pollution Law”** (*October 2020*)
- Partner University of Limerick final STRiKE training session on **“Practical Perspectives on Waste Enforcement Planning and Inspections with a Focus on Forensic and Damages Analysis Relating to Waste Crime”** (*January 2022*)



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