## Information for foreign citizen drivers of cargo vehicle

Foreign citizen truck drivers (other than transit) entering the territory of Georgia are subject to the following procedures:

- Thermal screening upon entering the territory of Georgia;
- If the temperature is recorded as a result of thermal screening, the driver will not be allowed to enter the territory of Georgia;
- If no temperature is observed as a result of thermal screening:

o The driver from Sarpi chekpoint, together with the vehicle, will be transported to the customs clearance zone "Batumi" in 12 kilometers form the border, where the driver will be tested (quick antibody test) on the new coronavirus (SARS-CoV-2).

o The driver entering from other customs checkpoints is subjected to quick (antibody) testing on the new Coronavirus (SARS-CoV-2) at a special medical point located in the vicinity of customs crossing point.

• In case of confirmation of a new coronavirus the driver will be transferred to the Fever Center, where PCR testing will be conducted. The driver will be temporarily placed in the fever center until the test results are received.

# Drivers from a foreign country are required to provide testing for a new coronavirus (with fast simple or PCR technology) within 72 hours of the last test (unless they leave the territory of Georgia within this period):

• If, after importing and unloading goods in Georgia, the truck will be loaded for export from Georgia;

• In other cases of truck movement (except transit).

#### Note:

- ✓ The time periods required for carrying out the customs formalities and stopping at the parking facilities Customs Checkpoint <u>shall not be counted</u>. The expiration time is counted using "Customs Checkpoints Electronic Systems".
- The payment of the relevant service shall be bared by the driver, relevant importer / exporter or other interested person.

#### Attention!

- The driver (also the owner of the relevant cargo, exporter, and importer) is obliged to carry out the relevant transport / logistics operations and procedures in a timely manner to ensure that the territory of Georgia is left within the set timelines.
- After stopping the relevant truck at the parking lots located at the customs checkpoint it is not allowed to leave the parking area by the driver (except for transit or driving in order to leave the territory of Georgia).
- > A driver who has not been confirmed to be infected with the new coronavirus (SARS-CoV-2) must inform importer or exporter the time of testing (s) and the time of entry into the territory of Georgia.
- The driver, the relevant importer / exporter or other interested person shall pay the relevant service fee for a quick simple test on the new Coronavirus (SARS-CoV-2).
- The time limits for exit from the parking lots located at the customs checkpoint shall not be considered as the time specified in the customs checkpoints.

### A truck entering from a foreign country (along with its crew) must leave the territory of Georgia:

• When transiting via the territory of Georgia (except in the cases mentioned below) - within 24 hours after entering the country;

• From/to customs checkpoint "Kazbegi" in transit (except for the use of ferry transport) - within 48 hours of entering the country;

• When using the ferry transport of transit vehicles transported on the territory of Georgia - within 7 (seven) calendar days after entering the country;

• In other cases within 96 hours after entering the country. However, in case that a cargo vehicle after importing and unloading goods in Georgia is loaded with goods intended for export from Georgia or if the entry and / or exit of trucks from Georgia is carried out using ferry transport - 7 (seven) calendar days after entering the country.

*Note:* The time limits required for customs formalities and the time of stopping at the parking lots located at the customs checkpoint of the Georgian Land State Border Section will not be considered.



#### The following specific areas are designated for truck drivers stopping (STOP POINT):

- Urbnisi Kareli Municipality, village Urbnisi, cadastral code: 68.16.45.054; GPS coordinate 38T 419326.00 4652080.45 (Google search - 42.01662, 44.02564) (Socar Gas station Goodwill supermarket)
- Terjola Terjola Municipality, village Siktarva, cadastral code: 33.08.38.224; GPS coordinate : 38T 329288.01 4671037.54 (Google search 42.17287, 42.93314)
- Gori Gori Municipality, village Tiniskhidi, cadastral code: 66.44.02.033; GPS coordinate: 38T 422545.69 4651984.99 (Google search 42.01608, 44.06453) (Wissol gas station, Wendys restaurant)
- Zestaponi Zestaponi Municipality, village Argveta, cadastral code: 32.03.34.211. GPS coordinates: 38T 331868.03 4668152.70 (Google search - 42.14746, 42.96519)
- Tbilisi bypass 30-km, Gardabani Municipality, Broceula village. cadastral code: 81.10.17.489 GPS coordinate: 38T 501905.52 4619765.82 (Google search - 41.72970, 45.02291)
- Tbilisi bypass 31-km, Gardabani Municipality, Broceula village cadastral code: 81.10.17.479; GPS coordinate: 38T 501879.35 4618644.97 (Google search - 41.71960, 45.02259)

**Attention!** The driver of the truck is fined **GEL 2,000** for violating the above-mentioned rules.

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