

Legislative news directory

(June of 2018 year)

The above-mentioned directory refers to a significant legislative amendments, which were made in June, 2018 year.

Law of Georgia on “Social Work”

On June 13, 2018 year, the parliament of Georgia got the law of Georgia on “social work”, which determines the main principles of social work, legal status of social worker, social guarantees, functions, rights and obligations, the measures, to be carried out by the social worker.

The provisions of the mentioned law shall apply to the employees, employed in both public institutions and legal entity of private law as well, also self-employed, to the social workers, who are making practical activity and on their professional supervisors, except for the exceptions established by this Law.

The law, except for its first – 43th articles, first paragraph of the 44th article and articles 45th, 63th, shall come into effect on 13th of June, 2018 year. First 43th articles of this law, first paragraph of the article 44th, articles 45th and 46th, first, 3rd and 4th paragraphs of the article 47th, articles 48th and 63th shall enter into the force since 1st of January, 2021 year; 2nd paragraph of the article 47th – since 1st of January, 2025 year; paragraphs 2nd and 3rd of the article 44th - till the 1st of January, 2021 year; and paragraph 10th of the article 64th - till the 1st of January, 2023 year.

Resolution of the Parliament of Georgia

On 13th of June, 2018 year, the resolution N 2527 –IIr of the Parliament of Georgia was ratified the protocol of agreement changes “on Trade Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights (TRIPS). We remind you that agreement on trade-related aspects of intellectual property rights, which was adopted on 15th of April, 1994 year, was ratified by the Parliament of Georgia and accordingly it entered into the force on 14th of June, 2000 year.

Order N227 of the Minister of Finance of Georgia

On 12th of June, 2018 year, according to the order N 227 of Minister of Finance of Georgia, it was approved “the procedure of submitting the guarantee for issue before the expiration of the term of suspension of the goods, produced with the alleged violation of the special rights of breeder or/and on the design, patent, topology of the integral micro scheme”, by which it was determined that case proceeding is undergoing in the court related to the suspended product, produced with the alleged violation of the special rights of breeder (hereinafter – the right of intellectual property) or/and on the design, patent, topology of the integral micro scheme and the owner of the product demands its issue before the expiration date of suspension of the product, LEPL Revenue service – including in the field of governance of Ministry of Finance of Georgia (hereinafter – Revenue service) is authorized to issue this product, if all procedures, provided with Tax legislation of Georgia are completed and the owner of the product submits the guarantee, foreseen with the 2nd article of this procedure.

The order entered into the force on 12th of June, 2018 year from its promulgation.

Decree of the Government of Georgia No 326

According to the decree No 326 of the government of Georgia, dated on June 11, 2018 year, it was approved “Procedure of payment for rendering services and for the realization of the product in the service and repayment report of the foreign debt for the creditor country by the legal entities of Georgia or by their corporations from the assignments, provided for the service and repayment of the foreign debt”.

According to the same decree, the resolution No 325, dated on July 6, 2017 year was declared as invalid “on procedure of payment for rendering services and for the realization of the product in the service and repayment report of the foreign debt for the creditor country by the legal entities of Georgia or by their corporations from the assignments, provided for the service and repayment of the foreign debt”.

The resolution entered into the force on 11th of June, 2018 year from its promulgation.

Resolution No 317 of the government of Georgia

On June 5, 2018 year, in accordance with the resolution No 317 of the government of Georgia, it was approved the “requirements towards the materials and things, intended with regards to the food”, the goal of which is to ensure the effective functioning of the internal market of the materials and things, intended with regards to direct or indirect food, to protect the human health and consumers` rights.

The resolution shall enter into the force from 1st of September, 2024 year from its promulgation.