



## GEORGIAN NATIONAL PLATFORM

EASTERN PARTNERSHIP CIVIL SOCIETY FORUM

The Eastern Partnership Civil Society Forum Georgian National Platform is extremely concerned about the killing one more Georgian citizen Tamaz Ginturi by Russia's occupation forces near the village of Kirbali.

We would like to express our sincere condolences to the bereaved family.

We categorically demand that the occupier release another illegally detained citizen of Georgia unharmed.

The Georgian National Platform has always expressed its unfavorable view of the creeping occupation and has repeatedly called on the Georgian authorities to take effective steps with the active involvement of our Western partners.

We urge the international community, Co-Chairs of the Geneva International Discussions, the West and the United Nations to do everything in their power to exert pressure on the occupier and to release the illegally detained Georgian citizen.

One more horrific act committed by the occupiers has made it clear that the aggressor will do its utmost to achieve its goals if the international community does not firmly oppose and stand against the aggressor.

We call on the Georgian authorities to take prompt action to review the current policy towards the occupier and to exercise more control along the administrative boundary line.