## Support to the State Revenue Committee for strengthening of Customs control procedures and enforcement in the Republic of Armenia

## **General Information**

Sector:	Trade and Industry, Standards and Private Sector
Duration:	24 months
Implementation period:	September 2012 - June 2014
<u>Budget:</u>	EUR 1mln

Beneficiary Administration: State Revenue Committee of the Republic of Armenia

**<u>EUMS Partners</u>**: Lead partner - <u>Customs Department under the Ministry of Finance of the Republic of Lithuania</u> Junior partner - <u>National Board of Customs in Finland</u>

## **Project Description**

**Objective:** To support the State Revenue Committee in strengthening control procedures and enforcement in Armenia according to the best practice in the EU Member States.

Components:Component I: Improvement of legal framework related activities<br/>Component II: Strengthening of Customs control procedures prior to release of goods<br/>Component III: Improvement in relations with traders and simplification of customs control<br/>procedures<br/>Component IV: Strengthening of risk management<br/>Component V: Improvement of post clearance control and audit

Achieved results: The main results achieved during the implementation of the project were as follows:

- a) Around 20 amendments to the Customs legislation (relating to customs control, risk management, post-clearance audit) to harmonize with revised Kyoto Convention and EU Acquis were developed and adopted;
- b) Number of internal legal acts directed to improvement of works of Customs services were adopted;
- c) Over 200 officials were trained in the priority subjects of current reforms (components of the Twinning project) with a good level of assurance of the obtained knowledge and skills.

## **More Information:**