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Georgia's geographic location at the crossroads of Europe and Asia has made it a strategically important region for centuries. Situated in the Caucasus, it borders the Black Sea to the west, Russia to the north, Turkey and Armenia to the south, and Azerbaijan to the east. This strategic position has made Georgia a vital link between Europe and Asia, and a key player in regional politics. Its history is marked by numerous invasions and occupations due to its rich resources and strategic location.

Arms smuggling has recently become a major problem in the world. This is one of the important agenda items of DISEC. The problem of arms smuggling puts both national and international security at risk. In addition, unlicensed armament causes rebel gangs in the country to disrupt the internal security of the country. The problem of arms smuggling poses the risk of achieving the goals of not only gangs but also terrorists. Solving this problem requires international cooperation. Unfortunately, in Russia, which is located just north of Georgia, this problem is very acute. This situation is a great threat to Georgia. Russia's desire to regain its territory during the Soviet Union is quite clear due to their attack on Ukraine. Since Ukraine's pro- European status rather than Russia and its desire to join NATO and the European Union means that Russia's enemies from history-border Russia Russia has made this war an important problem again. However, it is engaged in these actions with the aim of strengthening Ukraine both militarily and economically, and this is being prevented by Russia. Russia uses the path of war more than the diplomatic way in its way of obstruction, and while using the path of war, it has harmed the civilian population in terms of both life and property. In addition, as a result of the Georgian Government's suspension of participation in the EU and its pro-Russian stance, the people have been raising various rebellions. The possibility that Russia will be disturbed by these situations and intervene in Georgia as it did in Ukraine should be taken into consideration, and this situation is a great threat to Georgia.

The global problem of illegal arms trade has worsened, especially due to the Russia- Ukraine war, and needs immediate and thorough solutions. We suggest the following steps to tackle this complex issue: increasing intelligence sharing between countries to track and stop illegal weapons shipments, carrying out joint operations by law enforcement agencies to break up smuggling networks, creating a global database of lost or stolen weapons, strengthening border security with increased surveillance and

inspections at borders and ports, investing in advanced technologies to find hidden weapons, increasing border patrols and implementing stricter visa requirements. To address the root causes, we suggest supporting peace efforts in conflict zones, promoting economic development and job creation, and strengthening governance and the rule of law in affected countries.