

PROJECT CONCEPT NO. 3 BY DEVELOPMENT COOPERATION DEPARTMENT
“PROMOTION OF SOCIO-ECONOMIC ACTIVITY OF WOMEN AND YOUTH IN
THE REGIONS OF AZERBAIJAN“

5 October, 2020

GENERAL INFORMATION ON THE PROJECT	
1. Partner country (-ies)	Republic of Azerbaijan
2. Area(s) of cooperation	Regional development and local authorities, civil society
3. Project description	
3.1. Project aim	To promote social and economic activity of the population, especially women and youth, in the regions of Azerbaijan
3.2. Project objectives	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To improve employment opportunities for women and youth in the regions by introducing them to the basics of setting up and managing their own business. 2. To improve financial and computer literacy, communication skills of young people in the regions, help to reveal paths for self-realization and increase employability. 3. To promote social and cultural initiatives in the regions, aimed at women and young people.
3.3. Target group(s)	Residents of Azerbaijani regions, women and youth as belonging to the most vulnerable groups of society.
4. Estimated duration of project implementation	From March 1, 2021 to October 1, 2021 (depending on the planned activities, contracts may be signed for a longer period).
5. Additional information <i>Where available, indicate additional evaluation criteria* for project applications to be drawn up according to this project concept, or other information important to applicants.</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Experience in implementing projects of similar nature. - Financial contribution of the applicant and / or other additional sources of financing.

**According to Paragraph 35 of the Description of the Procedure for the Implementation of Development Cooperation and Humanitarian Aid Activities by State and Municipal Institutions and Agencies approved by Resolution No 278 of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania dated 26 March 2014, an application can be assigned additional scores for compliance with the additional project application evaluation criteria indicated in the institution's call. The additional criteria may be provided for if a specific development cooperation activity is planned in the call or if specific abilities or experiences are expected from the applicants.*