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'It has been almost 3 months since the Russia - Georgia war, and the Georgians disaster is turning into an investor's heaven.

More and more Israeli business men have pulled their money from the stock-market and invested it in real-estate and infrastructure projects in Georgia, and today over 75% of the foreign investors in Georgia are Israelis.'

'In the developing refugee site at Gory, there are only two flags flying - one of them is the Georgian flag. The other - the Israeli flag'

'indeed, that is the new Israeli trend: Investment in post-war Georgia.'

'The Georgian President Mikhail Saakashvili, who led the war against Russia last summer, finds the Israelis "brothers in arms"

and is rooting tens of Israeli companies to come in invest in Georgia.'

"The Israelis are known for finding bargains, and currently, Georgia is indeed a bargain", says Attorney Sagiv David, who manages Israeli investments in Georgia.'

'35% of the tenders and permits offered by the Georgian Government have gone to Israelis. 300 of 400 foreign investors in Georgia are currently Israelis, and where as the Israeli investments in pre-war Georgia stood on \$300 million, it currently stands on over a billion dollars.'

"Since the war ended, the Georgian Government is going out of its way to grand approvals for the Israelis", says Meni Benish, a representative of the Israeli investors.'

'With the American assistance and the expected joining of NATO and European Economic Community - there is a very positive response from Israelis seeking a safe investment for their money.'" "It seems that the Georgian Market will be one of the few world-wide markets that will actually grow within the global market crisis.'

'Ever since the last stock-market crisis occurred, world-wide, and new, safer investment-courses were seeked, there has been a sharp increase in the number of Israeli investors applying for Georgia's reconstruction tenders, and the Georgian President tends to give most of them to Israelis.'

"We often meet with the country's leaders, and the Israeli investors are close to the President", sums Benish. "He calls us to increase the number of the Israelis coming to invest in Georgia and is willing to offer them special terms, even various tax deductions for using American currency."

"For Israelis seeking to move their money from the uncertainty of the stock-markets - this is the safest investment possible."