Anti-Corruption Network for Eastern Europe and Central Asia (ACN)

PLENARY MEETING

DRAFT AGENDA

12-14 September 2017

Paris

ACN Work Programme is funded by Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Sweden, Switzerland and the United States
Background

The meeting is organised in the framework of the Anti-Corruption Network for Eastern Europe and Central Asia (ACN), a regional anti-corruption programme established under the OECD Working Group on Bribery. The ACN supports countries in Eastern Europe and Central Asia in their fight against corruption, by providing a regional forum for promotion of anti-corruption activities, exchange of information, elaboration of best practices and donor coordination.

More information is available on the ACN website at www.oecd.org/corruption/acn.

Objectives

The meeting has the following objectives:

• to adopt the Istanbul Anti-Corruption Action Plan Fourth Round Monitoring reports on Kazakhstan, Tajikistan, and Ukraine, and progress reports on Armenia, Azerbaijan, Georgia, Kyrgyzstan, Mongolia and Uzbekistan;
• to launch the ACN thematic studies on prevention of corruption and criminalization of corruption;
• to discuss and adopt the proposed amendments to the IAP monitoring methodology;
• to discuss the fundraising strategy and the MOU;
• to discuss the implementation of ACN Work Programme in 2017.

Working language

The meeting will take place in English with simultaneous interpretation into Russian.

Dates of the future meetings

• Meeting of the Ukrainian Network for Integrity and Compliance, 9 October, Kyiv
• ACN Law Enforcement Network meeting, 25-27 October, Baku
• Presentation of the Asset Declarations project at the UNCAC CoSP, 9 November, Vienna
• Business Integrity Seminar for Eastern Europe, Caucasus and Turkey, 22-24 November, Tbilisi
• Expert seminar on prevention of corruption at the local level, November/December 2017, Tirana

1 The ACN is open for all countries in Eastern Europe and Central Asia and involves ALBANIA, ARMENIA, AZERBAIJAN, BELARUS, BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA, BULGARIA, CROATIA, ESTONIA, FORMER YUGOSLAV REPUBLIC OF MACEDONIA, GEORGIA, KAZAKHSTAN, KYRGYZSTAN, LATVIA, LITHUANIA, MOLDOVA, MONGOLIA, MONTENEGRO, ROMANIA, RUSSIA, SERBIA, SLOVENIA, TAJIKISTAN, TURKMENISTAN, UKRAINE AND UZBEKISTAN.
Date, time and venue
12-14 September 2017

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Ms Rusudan Mikhelidze, rmikhelidze@gmail.com (on agenda and participation).

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### Draft agenda

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| 14:00-18:00 | • Monitoring team, Secretariat and the national delegation of  
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Chair
Ms Enery Quinones, Chair of the Istanbul Anti-Corruption Action Plan

10.00-10.15
- Opening by Mr Pierre Poret, Acting Director, OECD Directorate for Financial and Enterprise Affairs

10.15-11.45
- FOURTH ROUND OF MONITORING OF KAZAKHSTAN
  First reading

11.45-12.15
  Family picture and coffee

12.15-13.45
- FOURTH ROUND OF MONITORING OF TAJIKISTAN
  First reading

13.45-15.00
  Lunch

15.00-16.45
- FOURTH ROUND OF MONITORING OF UKRAINE
  First reading

17.00-20.00 BILATERAL CONSULTATIONS ON OUTSTANDING ISSUES

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Coffee

11.30–12.15
• PROGRESS UPDATE OF MONGOLIA

12.15–13.00
• PROGRESS UPDATE OF GEORGIA

13.00–13.30
• Creating synergies using the Open Government Partnership to accelerate anti-corruption agenda
  – Mr Paul Maassen, Director for Civil Society Engagement, Open Government Partnership

Discussion

Lunch

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• PROGRESS UPDATE OF AZERBAIJAN

14.30–15.15
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15.15–16.00
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16.00–16.45
• PROGRESS UPDATE OF ARMENIA

16.45–17.30
• Topical updates from OECD Directorates:
  – Mr Wojciech Zielinski, Support for Improvement in Governance and Management (SIGMA), Directorate for Public Governance and Territorial Development
  – Mrs Leah Ambler, Anti-Corruption Division, Directorate for Financial and Enterprise Affairs

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Secretariat
  - Mr Valts Kalnins, Anti-Corruption Policy Expert, Providus

- ACN Work Plan in 2017
  Activities planned for the second half of the year, ACN secretariat

Closing