Intersessional meeting of the Conference of the States Parties to the United Nations Convention against Corruption on the achievements of the political declaration adopted by the special session of the General Assembly against corruption

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Draft agenda

1. Opening of the meeting and adoption of the agenda

2. Achievements of the political declaration

a. Preventive measures

Good practices, gaps, challenges, obstacles and way forward in the achievement of the commitments contained in the section of the UNGASS political declaration on preventive measures

This item will be introduced by a panel discussion on topics such as: strengthening evidence-based anti-corruption policies and strategies, and the different impact of corruption on men and women.

b. Criminalization and law enforcement

Good practices, gaps, challenges, obstacles and way forward in the achievement of the commitments contained in the section of the UNGASS political declaration on criminalization and law enforcement

This item will be introduced by a panel discussion on topics such as: criminalizing, detecting and enforcing domestic and foreign bribery.

c. International cooperation

Good practices, gaps, challenges, obstacles and way forward in the achievement of the commitments contained in the section of the UNGASS political declaration on international cooperation

This item will be introduced by a panel discussion on topics such as: Effective and timely communication for advancing international cooperation, including by making use of existing regional and international networks, denying safe haven for those responsible for corruption and ensuring the widest possible measure of mutual legal assistance.

d. Asset recovery

Good practices, gaps, challenges, obstacles and way forward in the achievement of the commitments contained in the section of the UNGASS political declaration on asset recovery

This item will be introduced by a panel discussion on topics such as: Available tools for recovery and return of assets and proceeds of crime, such as conviction-based and non-conviction-based confiscation, as well as direct recovery mechanisms.

e. Technical assistance and information exchange

Good practices, gaps, challenges, obstacles and way forward in the achievement of the commitments contained in the section of the UNGASS political declaration on technical assistance and information exchange

This item will be introduced by a panel discussion on topics such as: fostering technical assistance through bilateral, regional and multilateral cooperation, and progress made in developing a comprehensive, scientifically sound and objective statistical framework to

support States in their efforts to measure corruption, its impact and all relevant aspects of preventing and combating it.

f. Anti-corruption as an enabler for the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development

Good practices, gaps, challenges, obstacles and way forward in the achievement of the commitments contained in the section of the UNGASS political declaration on anti-corruption as an enabler for the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development

This item will be introduced by a panel discussion on topics such as: mainstreaming transparency, fostering public awareness including through training and education activities, and anti-corruption as a cross-cutting enabler for the broader development

g. Advancing a forward-looking anti-corruption agenda and framework

Good practices, gaps, challenges, obstacles and way forward in the achievement of the commitments contained in the section of the UNGASS political declaration on advancing a forward-looking anti-corruption agenda and framework

This item will be introduced by a panel discussion on topics such as: leveraging synergies between the achievement of the commitments of the political declaration and the implementation of the United Nations Convention against Corruption.

3. Closure of the meeting

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