MINISTRIES & CIVIL SERVICE

NATIONAL ANTI-CORRUPTION ACTION PLAN 2022 MONITORING AND EVALUATION FRAMEWORK FOR DATA COLLECTION AND REPORTING <u>GUIDELINES FOR DATA COLLECTION AND REPORTING</u>

1.0. INTRODUCTION

The National Anti-Corruption Action Plan (NACAP) was adopted in July 2014 for implementation by stakeholders, which include Public, Private and Not-For-Profit organizations and institutions.

In terms of implementation of NACAP by public sector organizations and institutions, the Office of the President (OoP) issued directives in March 2015 which, among others, provide that:

- All heads of institutions and leadership at all levels should take responsibility for their areas of oversight and ensure that measures are taken to combat corruption in their institutions, including implementation of roles specifically assigned to their institutions under NACAP;
- The Ministry of Finance should ensure that MDAs, MMDAs and all public sector institutions budget for the implementation of specific programmes assigned to them under NACAP, and

• Ministers, Chief Executives and Heads of Public sector institutions shall submit reports on the implementation of NACAP to the Monitoring and Evaluation Committee (MONICOM) at the CHRAJ, with copies to the Office of the President.

To assist in the assessment of the outputs or outcomes of the implementation of planned activities and generally assess the progress of implementation of NACAP in 2022, indicators have been developed under general role and the four strategic objectives of NACAP.

These guidelines have been issued to assist implementing agencies report on the implementation of their planned activities under NACAP on schedule, using the National Anti-Corruption Reporting Tool (Google Form), an online data collection and reporting tool.

2.0. ROLES UNDER NACAP

2.1 General Role

The General role is designed for implementation and reporting by **ALL** Implementing Partners (IPs), including public sector organizations, private sector and not-for-profit organizations.

2.2 Roles under Strategic Objectives

These are roles specific to implementing agencies under the four Strategic Objectives which can be found on pages 54-90 of the National Anti-Corruption Action Plan (2015-2024).

All IPs are to use this framework to report on all activities under "General Roles" and assigned activities under the four strategic objectives.

3.0. THE 2022 MONITORING AND EVALUATION FRAMEWORK FOR DATA COLLECTION AND REPORTING

The 2022 NACAP M&E Data Collection and Reporting Framework is presented in the form of a matrix as follows:

NACAP Ref. No: This refers to the reference number and activity under NACAP selected for implementation.

Broad Activity: This refers to activities for implementation as provided for in the 2015-2024 National Anti-Corruption Action Plan document, which can be found in pages 54-90.

Indicator: The indicator measures the expected results from the implementation of the broad activity.

Data Source (Means of Verification): The origin, root from which the data was collected on the indicator, e.g. Programme/ Meeting reports, Payments vouchers, Store records, etc.

IPs are required to complete the Indicator (provide result/status of implementation) and Data Source (Means of Verification) sections.

Where an implementing partner is unable to undertake a required assigned activity, the agency should indicate **"NOT**"

UNDERTAKEN", in the "Indicator" section and reasons must be provided for not undertaking the activity.

4.0 Clustering of Implementing Partners

Implementing Partners are clustered/grouped into the following:

CLUSTER/CATEGORY OF INSTITUTION	COMPOSITION		
Office of the President (OoP)	Office of the President and its Agencies		
Parliament	Parliament		
Judicial Service (JS)	Judicial Service		
Commission on Human Rights and	CHRAJ		
Administrative Justice (CHRAJ)			
Anti-Corruption Agencies (ACAs)/Key	Office of the Attorney General and Ministry of Justice		
Accountability Institutions (KAIs)	Office of the Special Prosecutor		
	National Investigations Bureau		
	Ghana Police Service and Other Security Agencies		
	Narcotics Control Commission		
	Internal Audit Agency		
	Ghana Audit Service		
	Economic and Organised Crime Office		
Ministries and Civil Service	Office of the Head of Civil Service (OHCS), Ministries and		
	the Civil Service		

CLUSTER/CATEGORY OF INSTITUTION	COMPOSITION		
Department, Agencies (DAs) and Other	Department, Agencies and Other Public Sector Institutions		
Public Sector Institutions (OPSIs)	including the:		
	Electoral Commission (EC)		
	Ghana Revenue Authority (GRA)		
	National Commission for Civic Education (NCCE)		
	National Development Planning Commission (NDPC)		
Metropolitan, Municipal and District	Office of the Head of Local Government Service (OHLS) as		
Assemblies (MMDAs)	well as RCCs and MMDAs		
Financial Sector	Back of Ghana, Banks, Savings and Loans		
Pension and Insurance Institutions	National Pensions Regulatory Authority		
	National Insurance Commission		
	Social Security and National Insurance Trust		
	All other Pension and Insurance institutions		
State Interests and Governance Authority	State Interests and Governance Authority (SIGA)		
(SIGA) and State-Owned Enterprises (SOEs)	All State Owned Enterprises		
Civil Society Organisations (CSOs)	All Civil Society and Non-Governmental Organisations		

CLUSTER/CATEGORY OF INSTITUTION	COMPOSITION		
Faith Based Organisations (FBOs)	Catholic Bishops Conference		
	The Ghana Pentecostal and Charismatic Council,		
	The National Charismatic and Christian Churches		
	The Christian Council of Ghana		
	The Council of Independent Churches		
	Ghana Muslim Mission		
	Ahmadiyya Muslim Mission Ghana		
	All other religious bodies		
Private Sector (PS)	Private Enterprise Federation		
	All Private Organisations		
Political Parties (PPs)	All Political Parties		
Traditional Authorities	Ministry of Chieftaincy and Religious Affairs		
	National House of Chiefs		
	Centers for National Culture		
Tertiary and Educational Institutions	Basic Schools, Second Cycle Schools and Tertiary Schools		
Media	National Media Commission, Radio and Television stations		

The clustering of IPs is for reporting on activities in relation to a specific cluster.

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GENERAL ROLES (ACTIVITIES) OF IMPLEMENTING PARTNERS

Broad Activity	Indicator	Result (Status of Implementation)	Data Source (Means of Verification)
Budget for implementation of NACAP activities	Amount budgeted for implementation of NACAP activities Actual expenditure for implementing NACAP		
Designate Schedule Officer(s) (Focal Person) for NACAP	activities Name(s), designation(s), email(s) and phone number(s) of Focal Person(s)		
Sensitize staff on NACAP and SDG 16 (SDG Target 16.5 and 16.6) Note: SDG 16.5: Substantially reduce	Number of staff sensitized on NACAP and SDG 16		
corruption and bribery in all their forms. SDG 16.6: Develop effective, accountable and transparent institutions at all levels.			
Strengthen internal control measures to reduce opportunities for corruption	Number of Internal Audit reports (indicate date of submission)		

Broad Activity	Indicator	Result (Status of Implementation)	Data Source (Means of Verification)
within public, private and not-for-profit sector organizations/institutions	Number of Audit Committee Meetings (indicate date of meetings)		
Establish safe and confidential reporting systems/mechanisms at the work place (e.g. complaint boxes, hotlines and web- based platforms)	Safe and confidential reporting systems/mechanisms at the work place established (Indicate mechanism in place)		
	Number of corruption (e.g. fraud, bribery, misappropriation, embezzlement etc.) complaints received		
Act expeditiously on reports of corruption and misconduct in the work place.	Number of complaints on workplace misconduct (e.g. persistent lateness, absenteeism, sexual harassment, etc.) received		
	Number of investigations on acts of corruption		

Broad Activity	Indicator	Result (Status of Implementation)	Data Source (Means of Verification)
	Number of actions undertaken on workplace		
	misconduct		
	Number of prosecutions/ sanctions on acts of		
	corruption		
	Number of sanctions on workplace misconduct		
	Sexual harassment policy		
	at the work place (indicate		
	whether the policy is in		
	place)		
	Number of awareness		
Develop and publicize sexual	programmes on Sexual		
harassment policies at the work place	harassment policy		
	organised for staff Publication of Sexual		
	harassment policy (on websites, at vantage		
	points of the offices, notice		
	boards, etc.)		
Introduce measures to control	Measures to check		
absenteeism, lateness and moonlighting	absenteeism, lateness (e.g.		

Broad Activity	Indicator	Result (Status of Implementation)	Data Source (Means of Verification)
	clock in device, attendance book etc)		
	Measures to check moonlighting		

TO BUILD PUBLIC CAPACITY TO CONDEMN AND FIGHT CORRUPTION AND TO MAKE CORRUPTION A HIGH- RISK LOW- GAIN ACTIVITY

NACAP Ref/ Broad Activity	Indicator	Results (Status of Implementation)	Data Source (Means of Verification)
1. Institute a National Cultural	Measures taken to institutionalise		
Review Programme	national cultural review programme		
2. Organize Regular Public	Number of public education and		
Education and Awareness	awareness programme on the evils		
Programmes on the Evils of	of corruption and the ethos of anti-		
Corruption and the Ethos of Anti-	corruption		
Corruption in Public Institutions	Number of beneficiaries		
5. Mainstream Anti-Corruption,	Measures or activities introduced to		
Ethics and Integrity in Public	mainstream Anti-corruption, ethics		
Institutions	and integrity issues		
6. Introduce Modules and Elements	Modules and elements introduced to		
to Highlight and Strengthen Good	strengthen good ethical values and		
Ethical Values in Primary,	integrity (Indicate the type of		
Secondary, Tertiary, Formal and	modules)		
Non-Formal Education			

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NACAP Ref/ Broad Activity	Indicator	Results (Status of Implementation)	Data Source (Means of Verification)
7. Develop Co-Curricular Anti-	Number of junior and senior high		
Corruption Activities Such as	schools introduced to co-curricular		
Integrity Clubs in Junior and Senior	anti-corruption activities		
High Schools			
8. Provide Educational Corruption	Educational materials provided in		
Fighting Materials for the Public	public schools, universities and		
Schools and Universities and	general public (Indicate the		
General Public	type/nature of materials)		
10. Organize Awareness Raising	Number of awareness raising		
Programmes on the Negative Impact	programmes organised on the		
of Money Laundering and Financing	negative impact of money		
of Terrorism on Sustainable	laundering and financing of		
Development and Security for the	terrorism on sustainable		
General Public	development and security for the		
	general public		
	Number of beneficiaries		
11. Conduct Assessment of	Number of institution/agencies		
Institutions/ Agencies on the	assessed on the integration of		
Integration of Corruption	corruption prevention in their work		
Prevention Measures in their Work	programmes		
Programmes			

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14. Enforce the Public Financial Management Legislation	Budget developed and implemented in accordance with the PFM law		
	Proper procurement and contracting practices adopted (PPA Act)		
	Periodic accounting and financial reporting undertaken (PFM Act)		
	Audit Committees and Internal Audit Reports submitted promptly in compliance with IAA Act		
	External audit recommendations and management letter implemented		
17. Establish an Ethics Development Centre	Ethics development centre established (provide details)		
19. Establish Special Awards on Integrity at all Levels	Integrity Awards established at the national, regional, district level or institutional level (Specify form/nature of award)		

NACAP Ref/ Broad Activity	Indicator	Results (Status of Implementation)	Data Source (Means of Verification)
 21. Institute Whistleblowing Mechanisms at District and Regional Levels 23. Ensure Transparent, Equitable and Non-Partisan Allocation of Public or State Resources at all Levels 	Measures and actions taken to institute Whistleblowing mechanisms at all levels Measures taken to ensure transparent, equitable and non- partisan allocation of public/state resources		
25. Incorporate and Enforce Anti- Corruption Clauses in Business Contracts	Anti-corruption clauses incorporated in business contracts (provide details)		
	Measures taken to enforce Anti- corruption clauses in business contracts		
27. Provide Incentives for the Private Sector that Enforce Anti-Corruption Provisions	Measures introduced (Tax cuts, awards to best integrity company, etc) to incentivise private sector organisations for enforcing anti- corruption provisions		

TO INSTITUTIONALIZE EFFICIENCY, ACCOUNTABILITY AND TRANSPARENCY IN THE PUBLIC, PRIVATE AND NOT-FOR-PROFIT SECTORS

NACAP Ref/Broad Activity	Indicator	Results (Status of Implementation)	Data Source (Means of Verification)
 Conduct System Examination of Corruption- Prone MDAs and Public Institutions to Identify and Plug Loopholes 	System examinations conducted in a number of MDAs and public institutions (provide details)		
2. Monitor Implementation of System Examination Reports and Recommendation	System examination recommendation implemented (provide details)		
8. Build Capacity of MDAs for Transparent Use of Public Resources			
	Number of beneficiaries		

NACAP Ref/Broad Activity	Indicator	Results (Status of Implementation)	Data Source (Means of Verification)
10. Develop and Implement Customer Service Charters in all MDAs and Public Sector	Customer Service Charters developed (indicate whether the charter is in place)		
Institutions	Actions taken towards implementation of customer service charter		
11. Ensure that MDAs Prepare Financial Statements on Time for Audit	Measures/actions taken to ensure Financial statements of MDAs are prepared on time for audit		
18. Enforce and Monitor Compliance with the Codes of Conduct /Ethics	Measures taken to enforce and monitor compliance with the codes of conduct /ethics		
21. Create and Operationalise Integrity Committees/Ethics Committees within State Institutions	Measure taken to create and operationalise Integrity/Ethics Committees		
22. Develop and Implement Public Service Integrity Programme (PSIP)	PSIP developed (indicate whether PSIP is in-place)		
	Measures taken to implement PSIP		

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25. Enforce Conflict of Interest Rules and Educate Public Officers on Conflict of Interest	Measures taken to enforce Conflict of interest rules		
	Number of public officers educated on conflict of interest		
26. Request Public Officers to Disclose Personal Interests, e.g. Affiliations, Upon Taking up Public Appointment	No. of public officers disclosing personal interest		
27. Review SSS Implementation	Policies implemented and reviewed (provide details)		
29. Appoint CEOs of State Institutions through Open, Competitive and Transparent Processes	Number of appointments made through open competitive and transparent processes		
31. Conduct Public Expenditure Tracking Surveys	Number of expenditure tracking surveys conducted		
33. Train Journalists in Investigative Journalism	Number of journalists trained in investigative journalism		
40. Provide Adequate Security for the Preparation, Packaging and Distribution of Exam Papers	Measures/actions taken to provide adequate security for preparation, packaging and distribution of exam papers		

NACAP Ref/Broad Activity	Indicator	Results (Status of Implementation)	Data Source (Means of Verification)
43. Develop and Implement a Public Assets Management System			
	Measures taken to implement Public assets management systems		

TO ENGAGE INDIVIDUALS, MEDIA AND CIVIL SOCIETY ORGANISATIONS IN REPORTING AND COMBATING CORRUPTION

Ref/Broad Activity	Indicator	Results / Status of Implementation	Data Source (Means of Verification)
4. Develop Whistle Blowing and other Reporting Mechanism(e.g. Hotlines, Toll Free and other Digital Platforms)	Whistleblowing and other reporting mechanisms developed (list reporting mechanisms in- place, including Whistle blowing)		
14. Establish and Enforce Codes of Conduct for and within all NGOs	Actions taken to establish and/or enforce Code of conduct for NGOs		
16. Strengthen Institutional and Operational Capacity of Civil Society Organizations in Monitoring and Evaluating Public Revenue and Expenditure and Physical Projects	Measures taken to strengthen Institutional and operational capacities of CSOs in monitoring and evaluating public revenue, expenditure and physical projects		

TO CONDUCT EFFECTIVE INVESTIGATIONS AND PROSECUTIONS OF CORRUPT CONDUCT- SHORT AND MEDIUM TERM ACTIVITIES

Ref/Broad Activity	Indicator	Result (Status of Implementation)	Data Source (Means of Verification
6. Acquire Communication and Information Technology Equipment to Support Investigations	Communication and information technology equipment acquired (provide		
	list)		
 7. Provide and Furnish Office Accommodation for Anti- Corruption Agencies 8. Recruit Prosecutors for A-Gs Office 	Office accommodation provided and furnished (specify) Number of prosecutors recruited		
10. Operationalise and widen the Outreach of EOCO	Number of EOCO offices opened and functioning country-wide		
15. Build Capacity of Anti- Corruption Institutions to Perform their Respective Mandates and Functions	Measures/actions taken to build capacity of anti-corruption institutions		

Ref/Broad Activity	Indicator	Result (Status of Implementation)	Data Source (Means of Verification
	Number of beneficiaries		
30. Strengthen the National	Measures taken to strengthen		
Coordination Capacity in	National coordination capacity		
Combating Transnational	in combating transnational		
Corruption and Organised Crime	corruption and organised crime		
32. Organise Study Sessions on the	Number of study sessions		
Vulnerability to Money Laundering	organised on the vulnerability		
and Terrorism Financing	to money laundering and		
	terrorism financing		