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Introduction

Why anti-corruption efforts?

Background

- ▶ Papua New Guinea is a member state party to the United Nations Convention Against Corruption
- ▶ Has a National Anti-Corruption Strategy
- ▶ Amended its Constitution to establish an Independent Commission Against Corruption (ICAC)

UNCAC, Chapter II (Prevention measures)

- ▶ What domestic measures has Papua New Guinea taken to address corruption?
- ▶ i) Establishment of the branch of the Special Prosecutor on Corruption
- ▶ ii) Strengthening the PNG Judiciary's Corruption Case Tracking System
- ▶ iii) Increased use of Special Investigation Task Forces

Preventative measures continued

- ▶ iv) Strengthening the Public Sector Audit Program
- ▶ v) Phones Against Corruption Initiative
- ▶ vi) Special Parliamentary Committee on Public Sector Reforms
- ▶ vii) Performance Agreement Framework for Departmental Heads

Preventative measures continued

- ▶ viii) Performance Agreement Framework
- ▶ ix) Review of Public Procurement Systems
- ▶ x) The Public Private Partnership Act
- ▶ xi) Candidacy for Extractive Industries Transparency Initiative
- ▶ xii) Anti-Money Laundering Reforms

Conclusion

- ▶ Addressing Corruption through the promotion of good governance practices
- ▶ Demands a concerted effort from all