

CyberSouth

Cooperation on cybercrime in the Southern Neighbourhood

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Cooperation on cybercrime between the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan and the Council of Europe

Workshop on Responses to the challenge of cybercrime 05 March 2018 Armed Forces Hotel, Amman – Tareq, Jordan,

Activity outline

Background

In an interconnected world, dependence to information and communication technologies has never been as strong as today. With this, states and societies have become very vulnerable to cyberattacks and cybercrime.

These attacks constitute a serious threat to international stability, the rule of law and the rights of individuals.

The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan is no exception and needs to be prepared to meet this challenge, among other things, through an effective criminal justice response. This includes the need for a legal framework in line with international standards, a specialized unit to investigate offences related to cybercrime and electronic evidence, the capacity of the judiciary to prosecute and adjudicate offences, the capacity to cooperate with the private sector and – given the transnational nature of cybercrime and electronic evidence – the ability to engage in efficient international cooperation with other countries.

The Council of Europe – through joint projects with the European Union – is supporting countries worldwide in the strengthening of their criminal justice capacities on cybercrime and electronic evidence. CyberSouth is one of these projects and is aimed at reinforcing legislation and institutional capacities on cybercrime and electronic evidence in the Southern Neighbourhood region. Jordan plays an important role in this region and is one of the priority countries of this project, along with Algeria, Lebanon, Morocco and Tunisia, and should benefit from the support of the Council of Europe in reinforcing its capacities to respond to cyberattacks.

Expected outcome

The purpose of the meeting is to provide the authorities of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan with a better understanding of the benefits of the project CyberSouth and thus to identify the specific needs to be addressed.

The presentation of case studies and of the experience of other countries should help achieve this outcome.





Participants

- CS-IT of JAF
- Ministry of Justice
- Court of Cassation
- Judicial training Institute
- Ministry of Interior
- Ministry of ICT
- Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Location

Armed Forces Hotel ,Amman – Tareq

Draft agenda

Monday, 05	5 March 2018
Opening session	
09:00	 Director General Ahmad Milhim - Jordan Armed Forces Representative of the European Union Delegation Virgil SPIRIDON, Head of Operations C-PROC, Council of Europe
Session 1: Overview session	
09:30	- Approach of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan on cybersecurity (Intervention by CS-IT Jordan Armed Forces)
Coffee break 10:45-11:00	 Cybercrime and electronic evidence: challenges, Gareth SANSOM Approach of the Council of Europe on cybercrime and the project CyberSouth, Marie AGHA-WEVELSIEP
Session 2:	Instruments to respond to cyberattacks
11:00	 Instruments and tools available in the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan Prosecuting cybercrime: presentation of cases relying on the tools of the Budapest Convention, Ioana ALBANI Responses to cyberattacks, Markko KUNNAPU
13:00-14:00) Lunch break
Session 3:	Law enforcement response to cyberattacks
14:00	 Experience of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan in investigating cyberattacks Experience of the Federal Bureau of investigation (public/private cooperation), Peter TRAVEN
Session 4: International cooperation	
15:00	 The experience of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan Canada's experience in relation to the Budapest Convention, Gareth SANSOM
Coffee break 16:30 16:45	- The US experience/obtaining electronic evidence internationally, Betty SHAVE
Session 5:	CyberSouth: Benefits for Jordan
16:45	 Presentations of the deliverables of the project, Marie AGHA-WEVELSIEP Experience of Morocco in engaging in capacity building activities with the Council of Europe, Laila EZZOUINE
	 CyberSouth and Jordan: Needs to be addressed and benefits, Virgil SPIRIDON