

PROGRESS REPORT 11/24**Cut-off date : 31/10/2008**

Project : TR 0601-08 Ethics for the Prevention of Corruption in Turkey			
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1. Programme implementation

Summary of the current status of the programme (outputs and activities)

Overall objective:

To contribute to the prevention of corruption in Turkey in accordance with European and other international standards.

Project purpose

To ensure the effective implementation of the Code of Ethics for public officials and the adoption of such codes by other categories of officials.

Indicators of Achievement:

- Level of compliance with the Code of Ethics for Public officials in terms of:
 - Number of complaints received and investigated
 - Number of training activities carried out in different institutions
 - Activities carried out by Ethics Commissions
- Adoption of a Code of Ethics by the Judiciary
- Adoption of a Code of Ethics by the Parliament

Summary of the current status of the project against indicators for project immediate objectives and results (outputs and activities)
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Output 2 (The draft training package is available by month 6; the final package is available by month 10 and the training CD by month 12; Quality of the training package): • Case studies and PPT revised for further translation; training arrangements confirmed; work undertaken in relation to training strategy. • Output 3 (Quantity and quality of training activities carried out by trainers):
Training of trainers undertaken • Output 6 (Quantity and quality of research studies; Number of public workshops and feedback received):
Research applications submitted; deadline extended to 14 November. • Output 7 (The development of codes of conduct for elected office holders and the judiciary will have been supported)
Planning of workshop and conference; international STEs identified • Output 8 (The effectiveness of codes of conduct and other anti-corruption measures in Turkey will have been evaluated and recommendations for future prevention strategies are available)
STE and Resident Advisor continuing material collection. • Output 9 (Coordination of measures to promote ethics with other anti-corruption measures in Turkey ensured)
STE and Resident Advisor continuing material collection. |
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Major activities undertaken during the period of the report as compared to the implementation schedule

ACTIVITIES

Activity 2.3 – visits to ministry* ethics commissions to discuss implementation of training strategy (*Customs, Police, Finance, Education, Interior)

Activity 3.2 – 19-24 October training programmed for 25 trainers at TUSSIDE. Training in public ethics, and use of the case studies 27, 30 and 31 October.
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Activity 6.1 – receipt of applications for research studies.
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Activity 7.1 – discussion with Turkish STE and international STEs about availability for workshop and a possible related anti-corruption conference circulated
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Activity 8.1 – appointment of STE; work in progress

Activity 9.2 – work commenced, linked with Output 8

EVENTS

Activity 3.2 – Training at TUSSIDE and the Ambassador Hotel, Ankara

Current and anticipated problems, including planned remedial actions

None generally.

Planned major activities and schedule for the next period**ACTIVITIES**

- Training programme manuals sent for copy-editing
- Further meeting with trainers on training delivery
- Trainers' pilot exercise
- Further Ministries visited to discuss training strategy
- Ministries visited to discuss anti-corruption work
- Meeting with current researchers to confirm methodology, agreement with ministries and progress to date
- Work continuing on the systems studies on the effectiveness of anti-corruption measures
- Decisions on new research applications (6 researches)
- Meetings with CoE evaluators

2. Conclusions:

The Project activities are ongoing.