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#### AN INTEGRITY STRATEGY FIT FOR 21ST CENTURY



## Before the real work on preparation of our AC Strategy started

Factors that need to be taken into account in the launching of the whole process:

- Experiences from the implementation of previous strategy
- Actual problems and difficulties in the area of corruption raised up from the discussion with relevant stakeholders
- SWOT analyses results
- Recommendations from international organisations







- Based on the concept that effective prevention of corruption is much cheaper than the repression
- Adopted by the Resolution of the Government of the Slovak Republic No. 585/2018 in December 2018
- Sets out strategic bases for all AC activities across the public sector in the SR
- Main addressee is public administration + all levels of public authorities







The main objective – reduce room and opportunities for corruption in all areas of public authorities, national economy and the society







1<sup>st</sup> Priority

To promote and protect public interest through reducing the room and opportunities for corruption



2<sup>nd</sup> Priority

To improve quality of legislative environment



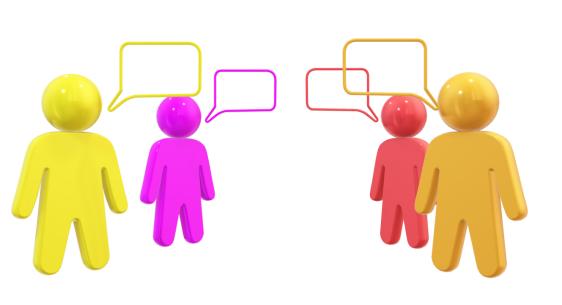
3<sup>rd</sup> Priority

To improve conditions for doing business





To implement this policy properly we had to set up:



- Board of Anti-Corruption Coordinators
- Mandatory management of corruption risks
- Sector-Specific Anti-Corruption Programme
  - National Anti-Corruption





#### THE NATIONAL ANTI-CORRUPTION PROGRAMME OF THE SLOVAK REPUBLIC

- ACTION PLAN adopted by the Resolution of the Government of the Slovak Republic No. 426/2019
- Entails specific measures which go beyond the scope of individual sector's AC programmes (Bill on Lobbying)
- Published on the website of the Slovak Government
- Currently under revision process



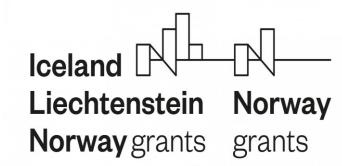




# IMPROVING INTEGRITY IN PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION OF THE SLOVAK REPUBLIC

- Project financed by the EEA and Norway Grants
- OECD project partner

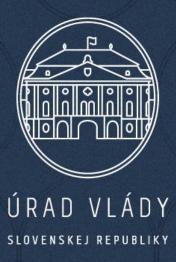




- 6 key activities Integrity Review, Pilot initiative on behavioural insights, citizen survey, internal risk management, communication and civic education
- Fundamental bases for next AC strategy/policy of the Slovak
  Republic



Thank you for your attention.



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