

## OPEN GOVERNMENT PARTNERSHIP-NIGERIAN COMMITMENTS

### Thematic areas

#### FISCAL TRANSPARENCY

- A. Ensure more effective citizens' participation across the entire budget cycle.
- B. Full implementation of Open Contracting and adoption of Open Contracting Data Standards in the public sector.
- C. Work together with all stakeholders to enhance transparency in the extractive sector through a concrete set of disclosures related to payments by companies and receipts by governments on all transactions across the sectors' value chain.
- D. Adopt common reporting standards and the Addis Tax initiative aimed at improving the fairness, transparency, efficiency and effectiveness of the tax system.
- E. Improve the ease of doing business and Nigeria's ranking on the World Bank Doing Business Index.

#### ANTI-CORRUPTION

- F. Establish a public register of Beneficial Owners of Companies.
- G. Establish a platform for sharing information among Law Enforcement Agencies (LEAs), Anti-Corruption Agencies (ACAs), National Security Adviser (NSA) and financial sector regulators to detect, prevent and disrupt corrupt practices.
- H. Strengthen Nigeria's asset recovery legislation including non-conviction based confiscation powers and the introduction of unexplained wealth orders.
- I. Take appropriate actions to co-ordinate anti-corruption activities; improve integrity and transparency and accountability.

#### ACCESS TO INFORMATION

- J. Improved compliance of public institutions with the Freedom Of Information Act in respect of the annual reporting obligations by public institutions and level of responses to requests.
- K. Improved compliance of public institutions with the Freedom of Information Act with respect to the proactive disclosure provisions and stipulating mandatory publication requirements.

#### CITIZEN ENGAGEMENT

- L. Develop a permanent dialogue mechanism on transparency, accountability and good governance between citizens and government to facilitate a culture of openness.
- M. Government-civil society to jointly review existing legislations on transparency and accountability issues and make recommendations to the National Assembly.
- N. Adopt a technology-based citizens' feedback on projects and programmes across transparency and accountability.