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REPORTING ON ACTS OF CORRUPTION

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B. THE PUBLIC SECTOR AND PREVENTION OF CORRUPTION: CODES OF CONDUCT (article 8 of the UN Convention against Corruption)

- For the honesty, integrity, and responsibility, the government of Rwanda has taken a decision for all public officials to carry out seminars against corruption,

- The ombudsman office had legislated codes of conduct for the correct, honorable and proper performance of public functions in organic law no. 24 of 15/12/2008,

- The ombudsman office receive declaration of property reports for the government’s officials, and all senior cadres from all government institutions to verify the rate at which one’s property and wealth accumulates based on their earnings,

- The preparation, allocation and adoption of the national budget is clear; there are systems and units concerned with the adoption and approval of the budget,

- Systems and procedures for auditing standards, and the system for Internal Risk Management and Internal Control are in place;

- With the country’s zero tolerance to corruption, the Rwanda National Police calls on the general public to desist from corruption. In its capacity as the law enforcement institution, RNP is determined to ensure that all those involved in corruption activities are brought to justice;

- Rwanda National Police takes the opportunity to thank those who have refused to be drawn into corruption. It also expresses its gratitude to whistleblowers for their boldness in reporting corruption instances to law enforcers;

- It further encourages them to continue giving information related to corruption instances so that it can be combated;

- Rwanda National Police further encourages citizens to continue providing information related to corruption instances so that it can be combated.