

THEMATIC COMPILATION OF RELEVANT INFORMATION SUBMITTED BY ROMANIA

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ACCESS TO INFORMATION

ROMANIA (SEVENTH MEETING)

A. To create awareness of the OGP project in Romania, the government has committed to carry out an information campaign targeting public institutions and civil society. The government held information sessions with various stakeholders. The **OGP Club** has started in 2014 convening on a monthly basis and serves as a communication bridge between government and civil society. The OGP Romania website (**ogp.gov.ro**), which serves as the information platform on all action plan-related activities, is constantly updated.

- **transparenta.gov.ro**: The commitment aims to clarify the procedure for the identification of information subject to public disclosure and to publish data from government institutions on a centralized portal.
- **consultare.gov.ro** will collect all legislative projects initiated by public institutions, including all the stages of the project: public consultation, institutional opinions, approval and official publishing of the final version. The portal will facilitate the implementation of Law 52/2003 on the transparency of the decision making process in public administration. The portal will also be used for consultation on other matters of public interest and, depending on the result of this process, new legislative documents may be initiated.
- **Law no. 299/2015 on the Re-use of Public Sector Information** - by implementing the provisions of Directive 2013/37/EU, amending the Directive 2003/98/CE on the Re-use of Public Sector Information, to create the direct conditions necessary to facilitate access to documents available for re-use, particularly by creating electronic lists and directories with the most relevant documents.
- **legislatie.just.ro** - free online access to national legislation: The portal provides free access to national legislation, which was previously only possible upon payment to the Official Gazette. The electronic application for the database has been developed and successfully tested. The portal was also connected to the European N-Lex legislative portal, improving the interaction between European citizens and the Romanian national legislation.