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POLAND (THIRTEENTH MEETING)

Reffering the CU 2022/47(A)/DTA/CEB/ISS, please find the input of the Polish Police on preventing corruption.

The Polish Police, according to Art. 14 of the Police Act, within the scope of its tasks, performs operational and reconnaissance, investigative, and administrative activities, including the prevention of crime, tax crimes, and misdemeanours. Regarding the prevention of corruption crime, the police have undertaken the above activities officers serving in specialized units to combat corruption crime located within the structures of individual voivodship headquarters and the Police Headquarters. Anti-corruption activities carried out by the Department of with corruption of BK KGP:

1. In the years 2015-2021, the Criminal Bureau of the National Police Headquarters, as part of counteracting corruption in sport, continued the implementation of the task resulting from the Council of Europe Convention on the manipulation of sports competitions of September 18, 2014, and the Government Program for Counteracting corruption for 2018-2020. Together with the Ministry of Sport as part of the program devoted to preventing corruption in sport entitled "Do not be a pawn in the game!",Anti-corruption educational and preventive measures are being implemented. One of such activities, dealing with the issues of corruption in sport and manipulation of sports competitions, especially in connection with participation in mutual wagering, is the training project "Counteracting corruption and setting up sports competitions in football clubs." The implementation was based on the Agreement of February 19, 2015, on cooperation training in the area of counteracting corruption and setting up sports competitions in football clubs concluded between the Minister of Sport and Tourism, the Police Commander in Chief, the Board of the Polish Football Association and the Board of the Ekstraklasa SA Professional Football League The training project is aimed at the sports community (footballers from football clubs, sports championship schools).

4. In 2020, the Criminal Police Office of the National Police Headquarters participated in the draft changes to the curriculum of basic vocational training, a basic vocational training program for police officers, graduates of selected fields of study, and vocational training programs for university graduates. The agreed program changes regarding the fight against and counteracting corruption were introduced in 2021.

10. In 2020, work began on the development and implementation, together with the Police Academy in Szczytno, of professional training courses in the field of counteracting corruption in the police implemented in the distance education system e-learning. Projects in this area will be continued in 2022. Links to the courses were placed in the Anticorruption tab on the website www.policja.pl.
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Education in schools on anti – corruption efforts
(information by the Ministry of National Education)

The Center for the Development of Education (ORE – a unit subordinated to Ministry of National Education), in cooperation with the Central Anti-corruption Bureau, launched the “Etyka nie tylko dla smyka” project (Ethics not only for kids) in the school year 2014/2015. The project is an implementation of the Government Anti-Corruption Program for 2014-2019. The goal of the project is to support early childhood education teachers in the implementation of ethical and anti-corruption issues within the framework of the core curriculum for the first stage of education, and to increase the role of the educational environment in shaping ethical and moral attitudes of students, preparing them to work together to build a democratic society.

Within the framework of the project, a team of regional co-ordinators was set up (experts invited to cooperate: philosophers and ethics with teacher practice, teacher consultants and methodological advisors in early school education) who developed methodological materials entitled „Etyka nie tylko dla smyka. Poradnik dla nauczycieli edukacji wczesnoszkolnej” (Ethics is not only for kids. A guide for early childhood education teachers. The guide contains theoretical basics and scenarios of classes and exercises in the field of ethical and anti-corruption issues in early school education along with methodological guidelines - available at www.ore.edu.pl).

In 2014/2015 school year, 222 schools, 229 school leaders and more than 1,400 teachers participated in “Etyka nie tylko dla smyka” pilot project. In December 2016, 1200 copies of the aforementioned guide were published. ORE pledged to: disseminate the guide - transfer to regional teacher development centers throughout the country, schools and libraries (16 voivodeships); to conduct methodological workshops for teachers of early school education on the basis of the developed guidance materials and examples of good practice. From January to April 2017, trainers and project leaders from all over Poland (16 voivodeships) conducted 42 workshops for 978 teachers of grades 1-3. Each of the trained teachers carried out lessons with the students.

According to the Regulation of the Minister of National Education of 14 February 2017 on the core curriculum for pre-primary education and the core curriculum of general working translation DSWM – 11.05.2017
education for primary school, including for students with moderate or severe intellectual disabilities, of general education for vocational industry school of first level, of general education for special school that prepares for work and of general education for post-secondary school (Journal of Laws, No. 356) - the anti-corruption content was included:
- grade 3 of primary school - within the subjects of social education and ethics,
- grades 4-8 of primary school - within the subjects of civics and ethics,
- vocational industry school of the first level - within the subjects of civics, ethics, basics of entrepreneurship.
Currently, the core curriculum for secondary schools is being developed, which will also contain provisions on corruption and its prevention.
Educational policy within the Polish National Police is very important. The police officers, responsible for fight against corruption are participating in various trainings and conferences with the presence of the representatives of private sector, where the knowledge and experience how to prevent and fight economic corruption is exchanged. The examples of real criminal cases, algorithms how to behave when there is a corruption inside the company are presented. The police officers from the Department for Fight Against Corruption, Bureau of Criminal Services, National Police Headquarters, Warsaw are taking part in many international events, connected with the problem of corruption.