I. INTRODUCTION

This event will present a comparative analysis of UNCAC and the Arab Convention against Corruption, along with an update on the status of related laws in Arab countries, with a view to facilitating the identification of common challenges and priorities for Arab countries and possible collaboration opportunities at the regional level.

II. PANELLISTS

Moderator:

HE Ashaf RIFI Chair of the Arab Anti-Corruption and Integrity Network (ACINET) and Minister of Justice of Lebanon

Speakers:

HE Mohamed MOUBDI Minister in charge of Public Service and Modernization of the Administration, Morocco

Jason REICHELT Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Officer, Corruption and Economic Crime Branch, UNODC

Arkan El Seblani Chief Technical Advisor, Manager, UNDP’s Regional Project on Anti-Corruption and Integrity in the Arab Countries, UNDP Regional Bureau for Arab States

III. FORMAT AND AGENDA

Format will be panel presentations of a maximum of 10 minutes followed by open interventions from the floor.

IV. PUBLICATIONS (if any)

- Comparative Analysis of the UNCAC and the Arab Convention against Corruption
- Compilation of Laws of Anti-Corruption Authorities from the Arab region
- Beirut Declaration against Corruption
- Summary of Self-Assessment of the Implementation of Chapters III and IV of the UNCAC – Lebanon
- Key anti-corruption bills in Lebanon
- Jordan Review of Selected Corruption Prevention Measures from the UNCAC