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The Secretariat of the Conference of the States Parties to the United Nations Convention against Corruption presents its compliments to the [[[FunctionalTitle2]]] and has the honour to draw the attention of the Government to resolution 4/3, entitled “Marrakech declaration on the prevention of corruption”, of the Conference of the States Parties to the United Nations Convention against Corruption.

In that resolution, the Conference of the States Parties decided that the Open-ended Intergovernmental Working Group on the Prevention of Corruption, established by Conference resolution 3/2, should continue its work to advise and assist the Conference in the implementation of its mandate on the prevention of corruption. The Conference also decided that the future meetings of the Working Group should follow a multi-year workplan for the period up to 2015, when the second cycle of the Implementation Review Mechanism begins.

In the same resolution, the Conference further decided that the Working Group on the Prevention of Corruption shall hold at least two meetings prior to the fifth session of the Conference.

The Government is cordially invited to participate as an observer in the **fourth meeting of the open-ended Intergovernmental Working Group on the Prevention of Corruption**, which will be held in Vienna, Austria, from **26 to 28 August 2013**.

Documentation will be electronically available in all the official United Nations languages at the Internet page of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime, and can be accessed through the following address: <http://www.unodc.org/unodc/en/corruption/WG-Prevention/working-group-on-prevention.html>

..... Attached are copies of the annotated provisional agenda and proposed organization of work for the meeting as well as an information note for participants regarding administrative details and instructions to facilitate travel, visa, hotel and other arrangements.

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The Secretariat takes this opportunity to remind the Government that, in accordance with the conclusions of the Working Group at its third intersessional meeting held in Vienna from 27 to 29 August 2012 (CAC/COSP/WG.4/2012/5, paragraph 8), the topics for discussion at the fourth intersessional meeting will be:

- (a) Integrity in the judiciary, judicial administration and prosecution services (art. 11) and;
- (b) Public education, in particular the engagement of children and young people and the role of mass media and the Internet (art.13).

With reference to the topic of integrity in the judiciary, judicial administration and prosecution services (art. 11), States may wish to consider including members of its national judicial authorities and prosecution services as part of their delegations to the meeting in order that they may contribute to discussions on this sub-item.

It would be appreciated if the Government's response to this invitation could be sent directly to the Secretariat of the Conference of the States Parties to the United Nations Convention against Corruption, Corruption and Economic Crime Branch, United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime, P.O. Box 500, 1400 Vienna, Austria, Fax: +43-1 26060 6711, or a scanned copy to email: UNCAC.COP@unodc.org. Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales/letters will be accepted by email. Information on the composition of the Government's delegation, including name(s), title(s) and contact details, should be provided to the Office as soon as possible and not later than **12 August 2013**.



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