

**United Nations Development Programme**  
**Romania**  
**Project Document**

**UNCF Outcome(s):** By end 2015, line ministries have enhanced capacity to implement innovative programmes for social inclusion, economic and political empowerment of vulnerable groups, and for deepening democratic practices with special emphasis on initiatives with the potential to be adapted to the needs of Romanian official development assistance priority

**Expected CP Outcome(s):** Capacity development for social inclusion, economic and political empowerment of vulnerable groups and for deepening democratic practice

**Implementing partner:** Ministry of Justice (MoJ)

**Responsible Party:** United Nations Development Programme

**Brief Narrative Description:**

The overall objective of this initiative is an enhanced capacity of the Ministry of Justice (MoJ) to elaborate the new medium term National Anti-Corruption Strategy by availing the UNDP's international experience in the field and its capacity of "neutral broker" in engaging all stakeholders in the policy development processes. This is a follow-up action of the last two AC strategies' implementation assessment developed with UNDP assistance. Considering the in-house expertise on anti-corruption within the MoJ and other public institutions concerned, and attempting to encourage national ownership of the strategy elaboration process, the UNDP will limit its involvement to the facilitation of the „stakeholders engagement meetings” targeted to defining the priorities of the new AC strategy and to conducting a needs assessment exercise with a comparative analysis approach.

**Project Period:** May 2011 – September 2011  
**Project Title:** *Support to the Ministry of Justice in the development of the new Anti-Corruption Strategy 2011-2013*  
**Project ID:**  
**Start date:** May 2011  
**End Date:** September 2011  
  
**Management Arrangements:** NIM with UNDP implementation

Total resources required  
Total allocated resources: 6.060 USD

- **Development Support Services** 6.060 USD

ISS: 1%

Agreed by the Ministry of Justice (Government):



Agreed by UNDP: Yesim M. Oruc Kaya, Resident Representative a.i.



**General Objective:**

The general objective of the project is to enhance capacity of the Ministry of Justice to develop the new medium term National Anti-Corruption Strategy by availing the UNDP's international experience in the field and its capacity of "neutral broker" in engaging all stakeholders' in the policy development processes.

**Justification:**

This is a follow-up action of the last two AC strategies' implementation assessment developed with UNDP assistance. UNDP's value added is its very nature of „neutral, independent broker" who has the capacity to convene all stakeholders at the same table for publicly debating sensitive anti-corruption issues. Considering the in-house expertise on anti-corruption within the MoJ and other public institutions concerned, and attempting to encourage national ownership of the strategy elaboration process, the UNDP will limit its involvement to the facilitation of the „stakeholders engagement meetings" targeted to defining the priorities of the new AC strategy and to conducting a needs assessment exercise with a comparative analysis approach.

**Implementation and Management Arrangements:**

The project will be nationally implemented by the Ministry of Justice. The UNDP will assign the Programme Manager a.i. (Governance Portfolio) to manage the project on behalf of UNDP. UNDP will provide implementation support services to the MoJ in contracting the consultants for an ISS fee of 1% of the project proceeds.

**Annual Review Report.**

An Annual Review Report shall be prepared by the Programme Staff and shared with the Implementing Partner. As minimum requirement, the Annual Review Report shall consist of the Atlas standard format for the QPR covering the entire project duration with updated information for each above element of the QPR as well as a summary of results achieved against pre-defined annual targets at the output level. Based on the above report, an annual project review shall be conducted in early 2011 to assess the performance of the project and appraise the Annual Work Plan (AWP).

# I. ANNEX ANNUAL WORK PLAN BUDGET SHEET

Year: 2010

EXPECTED OUTPUTS	PLANNED ACTIVITIES <i>List activity results and associated actions</i>	RESPONSIBLE PARTY					PLANNED BUDGET			
		May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Resp Party	Funding Source	Budget Description	Amount in EUR
Report on needs assessment and priorities defined for the new AC strategy	Recruitment of one international expert to conduct stakeholders' engagement meetings and elaborate the report.							DSS	71200 Internat. Consultants 7 days X 600 USD	4.200
			X	X	X	X	UNDP	DSS	71600 Travel – field missions	1.200
								DSS	74200 Print costs (publication of strategy)	400
								DSS	74500 Miscellaneous	200
<b>TOTAL</b>								<b>DSS</b>		<b>6.000 USD</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>								<b>DSS</b>		<b>60 USD</b>
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## II. ANNEX RISK LOG

Description	Date Identified	Type	Impact & Probability	Countermeasures / Mngt response	Owner

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## III. ANNEX LEGAL CONTEXT

The legal context of this project is the Standard Basic Agreement between the UN and Government of Romania (1991)