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1. Expose corruption

- Tanzania will ensure beneficial ownership information is publicly available for all companies active in extractive sector.
- Tanzania will review its public procurement procedures to increase transparency and reduce opportunities for corruption.
- Tanzania will continue implementing the Addis Tax Initiative and will undergo a Global Forum review in 2017, with a view to achieving automatic exchange of tax information.
- We commit to ensuring that law enforcement agencies have full and effective access to beneficial ownership information for companies and other legal entities registered within their jurisdiction.
- We commit to implement bilateral arrangements that will ensure law enforcement in one partner country has full and effective access to the beneficial ownership information of companies incorporated in other partner country.
- We welcome the establishment of transparent central registers of foreign companies bidding on public contracts and buying property, and intend to explore options for taking similar action.
- 2. Punish the corrupt and support those who have suffered from corruption
- Tanzania welcomes the development of internationally-endorsed guidelines for the transparent and accountable management of returned stolen assets [the guidelines should be in line with Article iii, iv and v of the UNCAC, 2003]
- Tanzania welcomes the proposed common principles governing the payment of compensation to the countries affected, to ensure that such payments are made safely, fairly and in a transparent manner. [the principles should be in line with the United Nations Principles of Management of returned stolen assets and consideration of St. Petersburg Resolution on facilitating international compensation in assets recovery and the return of proceeds of crime to countries of origin].

3. Drive out the culture of corruption wherever it exists

- Tanzania will strengthen its institutions of accountability through institutional integrity partnerships such as that with the UK's National Crime Agency.
- Tanzania will embrace innovation and cutting edge approaches through the Innovation Hub, and will explore the use of behavioral insights in the fight against corruption.
- We commit to participating in the International Hub that will facilitate the uptake of new approaches and technologies to tackle corruption.
- We will work with other countries, civil societies and international organisations to support accelerated implementation of voluntary provisions of the UN Convention Against Corruption.