

**Implementation Review Group  
Open-ended Intergovernmental Working Group on Asset Recovery; and  
Open-ended intergovernmental expert meeting to enhance international cooperation under the  
United Nations Convention against Corruption**

**Schedule of Meetings for 16-18 November 2020 (online format)**

*This informal document contains a programme for the meetings of the subsidiary bodies of the Conference of the States Parties to the United Nations Convention against Corruption to be held from 16 to 18 November. It has been prepared in order to assist participating delegations in following the proceedings. It provides the sequence of agenda items, which will be considered during the separate and joint meetings of the second resumed eleventh session of the Implementation Review Group, the fourteenth meeting of the Open-ended Intergovernmental Working Group on Asset Recovery, and the ninth open-ended intergovernmental expert meeting to enhance international cooperation under the United Nations Convention against Corruption. All the times are only indicative. The organization of work for each body is contained in their respective provisional agendas which will be considered for adoption on 16 November 2020.\**

**MONDAY, 16 NOVEMBER 2020 (11 a.m.-1 p.m.)**

***Implementation Review Group***

- Item 1: Organizational matters
- Item 2: Performance of the Mechanism for the Review of the Implementation of the United Nations Convention against Corruption
- Item 3: Financial and budgetary matters
- Item 6: Other matters
- Item 7: Provisional agenda for the twelfth session of the Implementation Review Group

**MONDAY, 16 NOVEMBER 2020 (3 p.m.- 5 p.m.)**

***Expert Meeting on International Cooperation***

- Item 1: Opening of the meeting
- Item 2: Adoption of the agenda and organization of work

***Working Group on Asset Recovery***

- Item 1: Organizational matters
  - (a) Opening of the meeting
  - (b) Adoption of the agenda and organization of work

***Joint meeting***

***Implementation Review Group***

- Item 4: State of implementation of the United Nations Convention against Corruption
  - (a) Exchange of information, practices and experiences gained in the implementation of the Convention
  - (b) Thematic discussion

***Expert Meeting to Enhance International Cooperation***

- Item 3: Implementation of chapter IV of the United Nations Convention against Corruption: lessons learned, good practices and challenges

***Working Group on Asset Recovery***

- Item 2: Overview of progress made in the implementation of asset recovery mandates

**TUESDAY, 17 NOVEMBER 2020 (11 a.m.-1 p.m.)**

**Joint meetings**

**Implementation Review Group**

Item 4: State of implementation of the United Nations Convention against Corruption (*continued*)

**Expert Meeting on International Cooperation**

Item 3: Implementation of chapter IV of the United Nations Convention against Corruption: lessons learned, good practices and challenges (*continued*)

**Working Group on Asset Recovery**

Item 3: Practical aspects of asset recovery, including trends, challenges and good practices

- PANEL on criminalizing and enforcing bribery offences under articles 15 and 16 of the Convention, including measures aimed at strengthening cooperation with national authorities
- PANEL on measures to promote, facilitate and support international cooperation and technical assistance in the prevention of and fight against corruption

**TUESDAY, 17 NOVEMBER 2020 (3 p.m.- 5 p.m.)**

**Joint meeting**

**Implementation Review Group**

Item 4: State of implementation of the United Nations Convention against Corruption (*continued*)

**Expert Meeting on International Cooperation**

Item 3: Implementation of chapter IV of the United Nations Convention against Corruption: lessons learned, good practices and challenges (*continued*)

**Working Group on Asset Recovery**

Item 4: Thematic discussions

- PANEL on most common challenges and barriers, as well as best practices in recovery and return of proceeds of crime, taking into account information collected from States parties on legal frameworks, legal procedures and judicial actions

**WEDNESDAY, 18 NOVEMBER 2020 (11 a.m.-1 p.m.)**

**Joint meeting**

**Implementation Review Group**

Item 5: Technical assistance

**Expert Meeting on International Cooperation**

Item 3: Implementation of chapter IV of the United Nations Convention against Corruption: lessons learned, good practices and challenges (*continued*)

**Working Group on Asset Recovery**

Item 5: Technical assistance

- PANEL on technical assistance for addressing gaps in the implementation of the provisions on asset recovery of the Convention

**WEDNESDAY, 18 NOVEMBER 2020 (3 p.m.-5 p.m.)**

***Joint meeting continues (if required)***

***Implementation Review Group***

Item 8: Adoption of the report of the Implementation Review Group on its second resumed eleventh session

***Expert Meeting on International Cooperation***

Item 4: Adoption of the report, including conclusions and recommendations

***Working Group on Asset Recovery***

Item 6: Adoption of the report

\* For documentation (including provisional agendas) and the latest information on each meeting please visit their respective websites:

- Second resumed eleventh session of the Implementation Review Group:

<https://www.unodc.org/unodc/en/corruption/IRG/session11-second-resumed.html>

- Ninth open-ended intergovernmental expert meeting to enhance international cooperation under the UNCAC:

<https://www.unodc.org/unodc/en/corruption/EM-InternationalCooperation/session9.html>

- Fourteenth meeting of the Open-ended Intergovernmental Working Group on Asset Recovery:

<https://www.unodc.org/unodc/en/corruption/WG-AssetRecovery/session14.html>