

Open Government Challenges and the Integrity Plus 2013 New Zealand National Integrity System Assessment Recommendations

OGP Grand Challenges	Major NIS Recommendations	Sub-recommendations
Improving public services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National NZ anti-corruption strategy • Strengthen role of permanent public sector in regard to procurement, etc. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create a cross-sector anti-corruption taskforce to develop NZ strategy
Improving public integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ratification of UNCAC • National NZ anti-corruption strategy • Strengthen governance arrangements Executive and Parliament • Support and reinforce roles of Electoral Commission, Judiciary; and Ombudsman 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review of current anti-corruption legislation including a discussion on Misconduct in Public Office • Review the expansion of OIA to cover Parliament
More effectively managing public resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strengthen role of permanent public sector in regard to procurement, etc. • Support and reinforce roles of Electoral Commission, Judiciary; and Ombudsman • Public sector agencies to conduct further assessments and research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create a Parliamentary Public Accounts Committee
Creating safer communities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strengthen governance arrangements between central and local government 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improve transparency of environmental reporting • Roll out research into local integrity systems • Liaise with Maori, Pacifica and other communities to establish a shared understanding of integrity issues and expectations around anti-corruption • Review the transparency of police and other law enforcement agencies
Increasing corporate accountability	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Business community, NGOs and media to take on a more proactive role 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create a cross-sector anti-corruption taskforce to develop and enforce NZ strategy • Develop a specific business anti-corruption/good governance framework to establish best practice in trade and also to ensure NZ business is up-to-speed with legal requirements of Crimes Act; US FCPA; (even the Dodds Frank Act); UK Bribery Act