**OGP Annual Summit Commitment Template**

COUNTRY

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| Czech Republic |

TITLE OF COMMITMENT

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| Adoption of an Act on Civil Servants, to ensure depoliticisation, professionalisation and stabilisation of the public administration |

DESCRIPTION (up to 200 words)

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| To submit to the Government a draft legislative solution of the employment and training of officers and employees of the public administration, involving above all the following standards:   * unambiguous definition of a boundary between the positions controlled by the political parties and the apolitical bureaucratic positions, which will be occupied on the basis of an open competition * setting rules for depoliticisation, professionalisation and stabilisation of the public administration * setting a transparent and fair system of remuneration * ensuring a special protection of whistleblowers of unlawful conduct of employers * a system of obligatory training involving beside others the area of combating corruption |

TITLE OF COMMITMENT

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| Streamlining the system allowing free access to information |

DESCRIPTION (up to 200 words)

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| To submit to the Government an amendment to the Act No. 106/1999 Coll. on Free Access to Information, as amended, involving above others the legislative solutions of the following areas:   * a proposal to the solution of an efficient mechanism preventing obstructions from the obligated entities (e.g. information order or other sanction mechanism, if need) * a more instructing formulation of providing information in cases of a conflict of two fundamental rights following the judicial practice of administrative courts, e.g. about salaries and remunerations to public officials and employees of the state administration, on offence proceedings * improving a repeated use of information and use of open data, reformulation of obligatory disclosed information |

TITLE OF COMMITMENT

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| Improving access to data and information |

DESCRIPTION (up to 200 words)

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| Improved access to data and information will be achieved over four consecutive stages:   * Identification and removal of obstacles * Legal openness, i.e. publication of data under an open licence * Technical opennes, i.e. the publication of data in a standard machine-readable format * Creation of an open data infrastructure in the Czech Republic and the establishment of rules for the public procurement sector * Opening up the most important sources of data * Creation of a catalogue of the public administration data |