

Chang San-chang
Vice Premier
Executive Yuan of Taiwan

Dear Vice Premier Chang,

On behalf of the members of the Steering Committee of the Open Government Partnership (OGP), we thank you for the efforts that you have undertaken, together with civil society, to promote open government in Taiwan.

The Steering Committee has discussed the participation of states that are not universally-recognized on multiple occasions in relation to the application of Kosovo. At this point non-universally-recognized states are not eligible for full participation in OGP.

We do strongly endorse your continued efforts to further the open government agenda in Taiwan. Many of the peer learning activities of OGP, including the webinar series and some of the events, are open to all. Individual countries and civil society members of the Steering Committee and in the wider OGP community are encouraged to engage actively with those countries that are unable to officially join OGP.

Yours sincerely,

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