OGP Criteria and Standards Subcommittee

Agenda for 2022

I. Rules of the Game
   A. Review the Procedural Review protocols, including failure to meet the minimum OGP eligibility criteria.

II. Procedural Review
   A. Track countries under review and inactivity recommendations. The Support Unit will present a biannual update to the C&S Subcommittee. The lists of countries under review, inactive, and withdrawn are updated on a rolling basis here.

   B. Explore what support can be provided to government and civil society actors in a prioritized set of countries recommended by the Support Unit.

   C. Q1 2022 Inactivity cases: Bulgaria, El Salvador, Malawi, and Malta (completed)

III. Response Policy/Rapid Response
   A. Azerbaijan - C&S to make a recommendation on the participation status in OGP based on the forthcoming IRM report and assessment of the Steering Committee recommendations. The C&S recommendation will be tabled for Steering Committee review and approval in Q3-4, 2022.

   B. Address any other Response Policy & Rapid Response cases that may arise.

IV. OGP Eligibility
   A. Oversee annual review of OGP Eligibility scores.

   B. Explore options for a new Asset Disclosure database; decision to be made as part of Articles of Governance (AOG) review in 2023.

   N.b. A review of the AOG will be done following the approval of the Strategy Refresh in 2023. A repository of decisions that have already been made by the Steering Committee, but that are not yet reflected in the current AOG, will be published in the OGP website in 2022.

Draft calendar of 2022 C&S bimonthly calls

April: Overview of 2022 C&S Agenda; Q1-2 update on countries under review; Revise Procedural Review protocols; IEP expert recruitment update from IRM.

June: Annual OGP eligibility update; Project proposal to replace asset disclosure database; Azerbaijan Response Policy case C&S recommendation based on IRM report and assessment.

October: Steering Committee retreat (at working level) focused on Strategy Refresh and Governance Review; Steering Committee decision on Azerbaijan C&S recommendation.

November/December (TBD): Q3-4 Update on countries under review.