AFRICAN UNION ADVISORY BOARD AGAINST CORRUPTION



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African Union Advisory Board Against Corruption session kicks off.

The African Union Advisory Board Against Corruption (AUABC) will convene its 46th Ordinary Session from the 21st to the 26th of March 2024 to review the status of the fight against corruption on the continent and device innovative ways to accelerate action to prevent and stem corruption. The Board's ordinary sessions provide a platform for high-level discussions, exchange of best practices, and strategic planning to improve anti-corruption efforts in Africa. The session will take place at the AUABC's office in Arusha, Tanzania.

The AUABC, an Organ of the African Union, plays a pivotal role in advising and assisting Member States in their efforts to prevent and combat corruption aligned to the Union's commitment to sustainably address the challenges that perpetuate corrupt practices. During the Session, the AUABC Board members and Secretariat, will analyse anti-corruption initiatives across Africa. The session's agenda will cover a wide range of topics, including:

- Review of progress made in implementing anti-corruption measures at the national and regional levels;
- Assessment of challenges and opportunities in the fight against corruption across Africa;
- Evaluation of the implementation of AUABC recommendations and resolutions;
- Strengthening partnerships and collaboration with stakeholders at regional and international levels; and
- Consideration of the AUABC's work plan and priorities for the year ahead.

The deliberations underscores the AUABC's unwavering commitment to promoting integrity, transparency, and accountability on the African continent. By fostering dialogue and collaboration among stakeholders, the board aims to accelerate progress towards achieving sustainable development and ensuring inclusive growth for all African citizens.

Members of the Press are invited to cover the opening session at the Arusha International Conference Centre, Serengeti Wing, 3rd floor at 1000 hours EAT.

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