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Statement

Statement by GOPAC on Looting of YemenPAC offices in Sana'a

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GOPAC is a worldwide alliance of parliamentarians working together to combat corruption, strengthen good government, and uphold the rule of law.

The Global Organization of Parliamentarians Against Corruption (GOPAC) is incensed by the looting of our national chapter office in Yemen (YemenPAC), damaging equipment and documents, and infringing on the rights and freedoms of our anti-corruption organization. The raid was carried out on April 18 by the Al-Houthis, who currently control Sana'a, Yemen's capital city.

GOPAC and our national chapters are multi-partisan networks with the sole commitment to fighting corruption and promoting transparency. We collaborate with members of all parties in parliament to ensure fair and unbiased work.

This attack on our national office in Yemen is an affront to the public rights and freedoms of all organizations. We urge all like-minded organizations, civil society groups, and local, regional and international human rights organizations to stand with us in the face of such tyranny.

We also urge the Al-Houthis to recognise YemenPAC and its members for the insightful and powerful work they are doing to rid Yemen of corruption and to ensure prosperity and well-being for all the country's citizens.

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