Promote Good Governance
And Achieve
Sustainable Development Goals

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Sustainable Development

- Managing scarce natural resources to meet the needs of present and future generations
- In 2015, the United Nations adopted 17 Goals as part of the 2030 agenda for Sustainable Development
- Goal 16 - ensuring the rule of law, justice, peace and good governance
Corruption

- Is an obstacle on the way to any sustainable development in developing societies
- Is the reason behind increasing poverty. According to World Bank statistics, 12.7% of the world's population live on 1 $ and 90 cents
- Some 795 million people in the world do not have enough food and that represents one in nine people on earth
- Half of all deaths under the age of five is due to malnutrition: 3.1 million children each year
Good Governance

There is no agreed definition of good governance. The World Bank (it’s the exercise of power in the name of the people). The United Nations have set for it eight major characteristics.

1. Participation, Ensuring pluralism and involving citizens and minorities in decision-making
2. Consensus between different opinions to achieve public interest
3. Equal opportunities
4. Quick Responsiveness, ability of institutions to provide services to all. efficiency and effectiveness
5. Transparency, legislation ensuring that citizens could obtain information in a timely manner.
6. Accountability on resources management. The most important is legislative accountability
7. Compliance to the rule of law
8. Equity in distribution and management decentralization
Parliamentary Role In Promoting Good Governance

Inside the parliament
1. Ensuring participation
2. Transparency
3. Accountability
4. Decentralization
5. Ethics promotion
International Relations

Fighting Corruption needs cooperation and coordination between different parliaments through:

- Exchange of experiences
- Exchange of information
- Democracy promotion
Role of International Organizations

- Building institutional capacity for good governance
- Providing information
- Setting indicators to measure rates of corruption