European Network for Public Ethics

Presentation

CREATION

The European Network for Public Ethics was created in June 2022, at the initiative of the High Authority for Transparency in Public Life in France. The High Authority currently holds the presidency of the network, for a term of two years, and manages its secretariat.

OBJECTIVES

The network aims at promoting a culture of public integrity and at harmonizing the rules in this area within the Member States of the European Union. The network ambitions to be the privileged interlocutor of the European institutions on issues of **integrity, transparency** and **public ethics**.

ACTIONS

Exchange of best practices and harmonization of rules

Assistance and information platform for members

Supporting members in the implementation of new missions

Dialogue with European authorities to represent the interests of members

Cooperation with candidate States for membership of the European Union

Collective studies, surveys, articles, and press releases for members

MEMBERS

The network currently brings together 15 public integrity authorities from the Member States of the European Union: the Federal Bureau of Anticorruption of **Austria**, the Federal Ethics Commission of **Belgium**, the Commission of Decision on Conflicts of Interest of **Croatia**, the Independent Authority Against Corruption of **Cyprus,** the Ministry of Justice of the **Czech Republic**, the High Authority for Transparency in Public Life of **France**, the National Transparency Authority of **Greece**, the Integrity Authority of **Hungary,** the National Anticorruption Authority of **Italy**, the Chief Official Ethics Commission of **Lithuania**, the Commissioner for Standards in Public Life of **Malta**, the Transparency Entity of **Portugal,** the National Integrity Agency of **Romania**, the Civil Service Council of **Slovakia**, the Commission for the prevention of corruption of **Slovenia**.

The network can also welcome observer members who can contribute to its activities without taking part in its governance.

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