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Egypt Launches the National Anti-Corruption Strategy

On the occasion of Anti-Corruption Day, Egyptian Prime Minister Ibrahim Mahlab launched the National Anti-Corruption Strategy on December 10, 2014. The strategy is a critical milestone for the development and implementation of effective and coordinated anti-corruption policies in Egypt and is aimed at creating a culture that rejects corruption and embraces justice, integrity and loyalty.

Based on the principles of accountability, the rule of law, segregation of duties, good governance, transparency and integrity, the strategy's mission is to raise and promote awareness and enhance cooperation among the competent authorities. Implementing this important strategy will be a joint effort among Egyptian government authorities, parliament, civil society organizations, the private sector, the media and the general public.

Egypt moved up

20 places in the 2014 Transparency International Corruption Perceptions Index coming in 94th place with 37 points among 177 countries, making it among the year's biggest improvers.

Egypt ratified

the U.N. Convention against Corruption
in February 2005.

Egypt signed

the Arab Anti-Corruption Treaty
in July 2014.

In recognition of Egypt's efforts

the Chairman of the Egyptian Accountability State Authority was elected Chairman of the 192-member INTOSAI working group on the Fight Against Corruption and Money Laundering.