

**SURVEY ON MEASURES TAKEN TO COMBAT BRIBERY IN OFFICIALLY SUPPORTED
EXPORT CREDITS – RUSSIAN FEDERATION (VEB) RESPONSES**

SECTION I – GENERAL MEASURES TO DETER BRIBERY

Question 1

Do you inform exporters and, where appropriate, applicants, requesting official export credit support about the legal consequences of the bribery in international business transactions under your national legal system including your national laws prohibiting such bribery?

☒ Yes, always ☐ Yes, sometimes (*please provide details below*) ☐ No

If yes:

a) Please indicate the method(s) by which this is accomplished:

- ☐ text in the application form
- ☒ a stand-alone document is provided to applicants
- ☐ text included in a stand-alone document submitted by applicants
- ☐ text in the general conditions of cover (*for export credit insurance and guarantees*)
- ☐ text in the credit agreement
- ☐ information posted on the organisation's web site
- ☐ customer publications (e.g. brochures, handbooks)
- ☐ other (please elaborate):

- b) Please provide the text used to describe the legal consequences of the bribery in international business transactions under your national legal system including your national laws prohibiting such bribery:

Comments/clarifications/additional information related to the answers provided above:

Please describe any additional measures taken in relation to information provided to exporters/applicants:

Question 2

Do you encourage exporters and, where appropriate, applicants, requesting official export credit support to develop, apply and document appropriate management control systems that combat bribery?

☐ Yes, always ☒ Yes, sometimes (*please provide details below*) ☐ No

If yes:

a) Please indicate how this is accomplished:

- ☐ text in the application form
- ☐ a stand-alone document is provided to applicants
- ☐ text in the general conditions of cover (*for export credit insurance and guarantees*)
- ☐ text in the credit agreement
- ☒ information posted on the organisation's web site
- ☐ customer publications (e.g. brochures, handbooks)
- ☐ other (please elaborate):

b) Please provide the text used to encourage exporters and, where appropriate, applicants, requesting official export credit support to develop, apply and document appropriate management control systems that combat bribery:

At the official website of Vnesheconombank, there is a special section dedicated to corporate social responsibility of Vnesheconombank (www.veb.ru/about/kso). In this section, the annual reports on the sustainable development of the Vnesheconombank Group are posted in Russian and English. Information on the activities performed by Vnesheconombank in the implementation of anti-corruption procedures can be found in the relevant sections of these reports.

Comments/clarifications/additional information related to the answers provided above:

Please describe any additional measures taken in relation to exporter/applicant management control systems to combat bribery:

Question 3

Do you require exporters and, where appropriate, applicants, requesting official export credit support to provide an undertaking/declaration that neither they, nor anyone acting on their behalf, such as agents, have been engaged or will engage in bribery in the transaction?

☒ Yes, always ☐ Yes, sometimes (*please provide details below*) ☐ No

If Yes:

a) The requirement is communicated to exporters/applicants via:

- ☐ text in the application form
- ☒ a stand-alone document is provided to applicants
- ☐ text in the general conditions of cover (*for export credit insurance and guarantees*)
- ☐ text in the credit agreement
- ☐ information posted on the organisation's web site
- ☐ customer publications (e.g. brochures, handbooks)
- ☐ other (please elaborate):

b) The undertaking/declaration is obtained from exporters/applicants through:

- ☐ the application form
- ☒ a stand-alone document submitted by the exporter/applicant ☒ *at the time of application* ☒ *before support is provided*
- ☐ other (please elaborate): ☐ *at the time of application* ☐ *before support is provided*

c) Please provide the text of the requirement and/or the undertaking/declaration provided by exporters/applicants:

<p>1. For purposes of this Declaration, the following terms shall have the following meaning: The Bank – State Corporation “Bank for Development and Foreign Economic Affairs (Vnesheconombank)”; OECD – Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development; Project Proposal – a written request to the Bank for financing an Export Project; Export Project – a project aimed at developing Russian industrial exports (goods, works and services), including diversification of the national exports, of which the Organisation is a participant.</p>			
<p>2. The Organisation hereby confirms its awareness of responsibility for the bribery of a foreign public official in international business transactions stipulated by the provisions of the Russian Law.</p>			
<p>3. The Organisation represents and warrants that neither it, nor anyone acting on behalf of the Organisation or on its own behalf but by order of the Organization, have been engaged or will engage in bribery of public officials in the transaction on _____ [<i>name of transaction</i>] under the Export Project (hereafter - the Transaction).</p>			
<p>4. The Organisation confirms that neither it, nor anyone acting on behalf of the Organisation or on its own behalf but by order of the Organisation in connection with the Transaction, are currently under charge of violating the anti-bribery law of any country or, within a five-year period preceding the Project Proposal to the Bank, have been convicted in a national court or been subject to any sanctions for violating of laws against bribery of foreign public officials of any country.</p>			
<p>5. The Organisation undertakes to disclose, upon the Bank’s first demand, the identity of persons acting on behalf of the Organisation or on their own behalf but by order of the Organisation in connection with the Transaction, and the amount and purpose of commissions and fees paid, or agreed to be paid, to such persons.</p>			
<p>6. The Organisation further confirms that information in the Project Proposal submitted to Vnesheconombank to borrow loan funds under the Export Project related to the Transaction is accurate and true in all material respects, and no material facts or circumstances known to the Organisation have been concealed or falsified.</p>			
<p>7. The Organisation undertakes to promptly inform Vnesheconombank in writing on any amendments to the above representations and warranties made upon signing of this Declaration.</p>			
<p>8. The Organisation confirms that as of the date of submitting the Declaration the Organization has not been included in any lists or registers of companies the activities of which have been declared by the World Bank or any other international institution as contrary to the international law standards, other legal standards, intergovernmental agreements and business practices.</p>			
<p>9. The Organisation agrees that should the Bank discover that the Organisation has knowingly provided false or incomplete information to raise loan funds under the Transaction, or should the Bank become aware of the fact of bribery in the Transaction under the Export Project , the Bank shall be entitled to :</p> <p>a) suspend or reject the scrutiny of the Project Proposal under the Export Project;</p> <p>b) take any other measures provided for by the current legislation, including the provision of information to the national law enforcement authorities on the fact of bribery in concluding and effecting the Transaction.</p>			
<p>10. The Organisation agrees that if the Bank becomes aware of the fact of providing by the Organisation of false or incomplete information for the purpose of raising loan funds under Transaction, or the fact of bribery upon taking by the Bank a decision on financing the Export Project, the Bank shall be entitled to reject the financing under the Export Project and seek damages or call in loans subject to the provisions of the agreements to be concluded by the Bank under the Export Project.</p>			
(name of organasation)		(authorized signature)	(printed name) (Position held)
		LS	Date
(Declaration in English is enclosed)			

Comments/clarifications/additional information related to the answers provided above:

Please describe any additional measures taken in relation to exporter/applicant declarations/undertakings:

Question 4

Do you verify and note¹ whether exporters, and where appropriate, applicants, are listed on the publicly available debarment lists of the following international financial institutions (IFIs): World Bank Group, African Development Bank, Asian Development Bank, European Bank for Reconstruction and Development and the Inter-American Development Bank?

☒ Yes, always ☐ Yes, sometimes (*please provide details below*) ☐ No

If Yes:

a) Which actors associated with the transaction are subject to verification?

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> the applicant	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> at the time of application	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> before support is provided
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> the exporter(s)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> at the time of application	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> before support is provided
<input type="checkbox"/> other (e.g. agents – please elaborate)	<input type="checkbox"/> at the time of application	<input type="checkbox"/> before support is provided

b) Please indicate how the verification is achieved:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> staff check the lists	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> at the time of application	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> before support is provided
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> exporter/applicant self-declaration	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> at the time of application	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> before support is provided
<input type="checkbox"/> other (please elaborate):	<input type="checkbox"/> at the time of application	<input type="checkbox"/> before support is provided

Comments/clarifications/additional information related to the answers provided above:

When signing Declaration on Combating Bribery of Foreign Public Official in International Business Transactions between the borrower and exporter, potential exporter (borrower) confirms that neither it nor a person acting on its behalf or on its own behalf, but on behalf of the organization in connection with the implementation of the export transaction has not charged with violating the law on countering corruption of any country, and that within the five years before the date of submission of proposals for funding to Vnesheconombank, it has not been found guilty by a national court and sanctions due to the violation of the legislation on the fight against corruption of any state have not been applied.

Please describe any additional measures taken in relation to current or past debarment of exporters/applicants by other institutions:

¹ Such verification may take the form of a self-declaration from exporters and, where appropriate, applicants, as to whether they are listed on the publicly available IFI debarment lists.

Question 5

Do you require exporters and, where appropriate, applicants, to disclose whether they or anyone acting on their behalf in connection with the transaction are currently under charge in a national court or, within a five-year period preceding the application, have been convicted in a national court or been subject to equivalent national administrative measures for violation of laws against bribery of foreign public officials of any country?

☒ Yes, always ☐ Yes, sometimes (*please provide details below*) ☐ No

If Yes:

a) Please indicate how requirement is met:

- ☐ the application form provides for such disclosures to be made
- ☐ a stand-alone document requiring such disclosures must be provided by the exporter/applicant ☐ *at the time of application* ☐ *before support is provided*
- ☒ other (please elaborate): ☒ *at the time of application* ☒ *before support is provided*

Comments/clarifications/additional information related to the answers provided above:

See comments to question No. 4.

Please describe any additional measures taken in relation to exporter/applicant disclosure of charges and/or convictions of bribery:

Question 6

Are agents' commissions (included in the export contract) eligible for official support?

☐ Yes, always ☒ Yes, sometimes (*please provide details below*) ☐ No

If Yes:

a) Do you apply a ceiling to agents' commissions for which official support is provided?

☐ Yes, always ☐ Yes, sometimes (*please provide details below*) ☒ No

If Yes:

b) Please provide details on the ceiling(s) applied:

c) What is the rationale for imposing a ceiling on agents' commissions?

Comments/clarifications/additional information related to the answers provided above:

Please describe any additional measures taken in relation to the eligibility for official support of agents' commissions:

Question 7

Do you require that details be provided in respect of agents' commissions associated with the transaction?

☐ Yes, always ☒ Yes, sometimes (*please provide details below*) ☐ No

If yes:

a) Do you require the **amounts** of commissions to be disclosed?

☐ Yes, always ☒ Yes, sometimes (*please provide details below*) ☐ No

If yes, the amounts of commissions must be disclosed:

- ☐ at the time of application
- ☐ before the final decision to provide support is made
- ☐ before a claim will be indemnified
- ☐ other (please elaborate):

b) Do you assess whether the **level** of commissions is consistent with standard business practice?

☐ Yes, always ☐ Yes, sometimes (*please provide details below*) ☒ No

If yes, the assessment is made:

- ☐ at the time of application
- ☐ before the final decision to provide support is made
- ☐ before a claim will be indemnified
- ☐ other (please elaborate):

c) Do you require the **purpose** of commissions to be clearly identified?

☐ Yes, always ☒ Yes, sometimes (*please provide details below*) ☐ No

If yes, the purpose is identified:

- ☐ at the time of application
- ☐ before the final decision to provide support is made
- ☐ before a claim will be indemnified
- ☐ other (please elaborate):

d) Do you require that details (e.g. name, company, address) be provided in respect of the **agent(s)** to whom commissions are paid?

☐ Yes, always ☒ Yes, sometimes (*please provide details below*) ☐ No

If yes, the details must be provided:

- ☐ at the time of application
- ☐ before the final decision to provide support is made
- ☐ before a claim will be indemnified
- ☐ other (please elaborate):

Comments/clarifications/additional information related to the answers provided above:

Please describe any additional measures taken in relation to the collection of information on and/or review of agents' commissions:

Question 8

Have you developed and implemented procedures to disclose to your law enforcement authorities instances of credible evidence² of bribery?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If Yes:

Please provide a short description of your policies and procedures:

In case of bribing a foreign official, Vnesheconombank has the right to inform the law enforcement authority of the Russian Federation about the facts of bribery in the conclusion and execution of the export project and the credit agreement in accordance with the current legislation.

Comments/clarifications/additional information related to the answers provided above:

Please describe any additional measures taken in relation to the disclosure of information on possible instances of bribery to law enforcement authorities:

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As defined in the OECD Council Recommendation on Bribery and Officially Supported Export Credits.

SECTION II – ACTIONS TAKEN IN RELATION TO A SPECIFIC APPLICATION BEFORE CREDIT, COVER OR OTHER SUPPORT HAS BEEN APPROVED

Question 9

If, **before** credit, cover or other support has been approved, you become aware that an exporter and, where appropriate, applicant (or anyone acting on their behalf in connection with the transaction) **are listed on any of debarment lists that you verify**, what action(s) are taken?

☒ Enhanced due diligence is undertaken. ☒ always ☐ sometimes (please provide details below)

☐ Other (please elaborate): ☐ always ☐ sometimes (please provide details below)

If enhanced due diligence is undertaken:

a) Does the enhanced due diligence process include, *inter alia*, verification that the exporter/applicant has in place appropriate management control systems that combat bribery?

☐ Yes, always ☒ Yes, sometimes (please provide details below) ☐ No

b) Does the enhanced due diligence process include, *inter alia*, verification that the exporter/applicant has taken appropriate internal corrective and preventative measures after having been debarred?

☐ Yes, always ☒ Yes, sometimes (please provide details below) ☐ No

c) How is the application treated?

☒ The approval of the application is suspended pending the outcome of the enhanced due diligence process. ☒ always ☐ sometimes (please provide details below)

☐ No fixed policy.

☐ Other (please elaborate): ☐ always ☐ sometimes (please provide details below)

In some cases, Vnesheconombank has the right to request from the recipient of the funds and exporter confirmation that these organizations have taken and documented the necessary measures, including preventive ones, in order to fight corruption. These measures may include dismissal of the persons involved in bribing foreign officials; implementation of appropriate management control systems in order to combat bribery; conducting appropriate checks and providing access to their results.

Comments/clarifications/additional information related to the answers provided above:

Question 10

If, **before** credit, cover or other support has been approved, you become aware that an exporter and, where appropriate, applicant (or anyone acting on their behalf in connection with the transaction) **is currently under charge in a national court for violation of laws against bribery of foreign public officials of any country**, what action(s) are taken?

- ☒ Enhanced due diligence is undertaken. ☐ *always* ☐ *sometimes (please provide details below)*
- ☐ Other (please elaborate): ☐ *always* ☐ *sometimes (please provide details below)*

If enhanced due diligence is undertaken:

- a) Does the enhanced due diligence process include, *inter alia*, verification that the exporter/applicant has in place appropriate management control systems that combat bribery?

☒ Yes, always ☐ Yes, sometimes (*please provide details below*) ☐ No

- b) How is the application treated?

☒ The approval of the application is suspended pending the outcome of the enhanced due diligence process. ☐ *always* ☐ *sometimes (please provide details below)*

☐ No fixed policy.

☐ Other (please elaborate): ☐ *always* ☐ *sometimes (please provide details below)*

Comments/clarifications/additional information related to the answers provided above:

See comments to question No. 9.

Question 11

If, **before** credit, cover or other support has been approved, you become aware that an exporter/applicant (or anyone acting on their behalf in connection with the transaction) **has been convicted in a national court or has been subject to equivalent national administrative measures for violation of laws against bribery of foreign public officials of any country within a five-year period**, what actions are taken?

☒ Enhanced due diligence is undertaken. ☒ *always* ☐ *sometimes (please provide details below)*

☒ Other (please elaborate): ☐ *always* ☐ *sometimes (please provide details below)*

Vnesheconombank shall be entitled to suspend or refuse to consider the project.

If enhanced due diligence is undertaken:

a) Does the enhanced due diligence process include, *inter alia*, verification that the exporter/applicant has in place appropriate management control systems that combat bribery?

☒ Yes, always ☐ Yes, sometimes (*please provide details below*) ☐ No

b) Does the enhanced due diligence process include, *inter alia*, verification that the exporter/applicant has taken appropriate internal corrective and preventative measures after having been convicted?

☒ Yes, always ☐ Yes, sometimes (*please provide details below*) ☐ No

c) How is the application treated?

☒ The approval of the application is suspended pending the outcome of the enhanced due diligence process. ☐ *always* ☐ *sometimes (please provide details below)*

☐ No fixed policy.

☐ Other (please elaborate): ☐ *always* ☐ *sometimes (please provide details below)*

Comments/clarifications/additional information related to the answers provided above:

Verification of export projects whose funding will be carried out with state support for anti-corruption component was introduced in Vnesheconombank in Q3 2014. Due to this, the Bank has no practical developments for the treatment of Applicants accused of bribery by the court.

Question 12

If, **before** credit, cover or other support has been approved, you have reason to believe that **bribery may be involved in the transaction** (e.g. press reports from a reputable source, information provided by participants in the transaction) related to the award of the export contract, what action(s) are taken?

☒ Enhanced due diligence is undertaken. ☒ *always* ☐ *sometimes (please provide details below)*

☒ Other (please elaborate): ☐ *always* ☐ *sometimes (please provide details below)*

Vnesheconombank shall be entitled to suspend or refuse to consider the project.

If enhanced due diligence is undertaken:

a) Does the enhanced due diligence process include, *inter alia*, verification that the exporter/applicant has in place appropriate management control systems that combat bribery?

☒ Yes, always ☐ Yes, sometimes (*please provide details below*) ☐ No

b) How is the application treated?

☐ The approval of the application is suspended pending the outcome of the enhanced due diligence process. ☐ *always* ☐ *sometimes (please provide details below)*

☐ No fixed policy.

☐ Other (please elaborate): ☐ *always* ☐ *sometimes (please provide details below)*

Comments/clarifications/additional information related to the answers provided above:

Question 13

If, **before** credit, cover or other support has been approved, you become aware of **credible evidence that bribery was involved in the award of the export contract for the transaction**, what action(s) are taken?

- ☒ Law enforcement authorities are informed. ☒ *always* ☐ *sometimes (please provide details below)*
- ☒ Enhanced due diligence is undertaken. ☒ *always* ☐ *sometimes (please provide details below)*
- ☒ Support is not provided for the transaction. ☒ *always* ☐ *sometimes (please provide details below)*
- ☐ Other (please elaborate): ☐ *always* ☐ *sometimes (please provide details below)*

If enhanced due diligence is undertaken:

- a) Does the enhanced due diligence process include, *inter alia*, verification that the exporter/applicant has in place appropriate management control systems that combat bribery?

☒ Yes, always ☐ Yes, sometimes (please provide details below) ☐ No

- b) How is the application treated?

☒ The approval of the application is suspended pending the outcome of the enhanced due diligence process. ☒ *always* ☐ *sometimes (please provide details below)*

☐ No fixed policy.

☐ Other (please elaborate): ☐ *always* ☐ *sometimes (please provide details below)*

If investigative authorities are informed:

- c) How is the application treated?

☒ The approval of the application is suspended pending the outcome of the review by law enforcement authorities. ☐ *always* ☐ *sometimes (please provide details below)*

☒ No fixed policy.

☐ Other (please elaborate): ☐ *always* ☐ *sometimes (please provide details below)*

No practical development on the case.

Comments/clarifications/additional information related to the answers provided above:

SECTION III – ACTIONS TAKEN IN RELATION TO A SPECIFIC TRANSACTION AFTER CREDIT, COVER OR OTHER SUPPORT HAS BEEN APPROVED

Question 14

If, **after** credit, cover or other support has been approved, you have reason to believe that **bribery may be involved in the transaction** (e.g. press reports from a reputable source, information provided by participants in the transaction) related to the award of the export contract, what action(s) are taken?

- ☐ Law enforcement authorities are informed. ☐ *always* ☐ *sometimes (please provide details below)*
☒ Enhanced due diligence is undertaken. ☐ *always* ☒ *sometimes (please provide details below)*
☐ Other (please elaborate): ☐ *always* ☐ *sometimes (please provide details below)*

Comments/clarifications/additional information related to the answers provided above:

Question 15

If, **after** credit, cover or other support has been approved, you become aware of **credible evidence that bribery was involved in the award of the export contract for a transaction**, what action(s) are taken?

- ☒ Law enforcement authorities are informed. ☒ *always* ☐ *sometimes (please provide details below)*
☐ Other (please elaborate): ☐ *always* ☐ *sometimes (please provide details below)*

Comments/clarifications/additional information related to the answers provided above:

Question 16

If, **after** credit, cover or other support has been approved, **it is proven that bribery was involved in the award of the export contract for a transaction**, what action(s) are taken?

- ☒ Law enforcement authorities are informed. ☒ always ☐ sometimes (please provide details below)
(only in relation to a conviction outside the Member's country)
- ☒ Loan disbursements are interrupted. ☐ always ☒ sometimes (please provide details below)
- ☐ Cover is invalidated (for export credit insurance and guarantees). ☐ always ☐ sometimes (please provide details below)
- ☐ Claims are not indemnified (for export credit insurance and guarantees). ☐ always ☐ sometimes (please provide details below)
- ☐ Recourse is sought for amounts disbursed. ☐ always ☐ sometimes (please provide details below)
- ☐ Recourse is sought for claims that have already been paid (for export credit insurance and guarantees). ☐ always ☐ sometimes (please provide details below)
- ☒ Access to official support is denied for a specified period of time. ☐ always ☒ sometimes (please provide details below)
- ☐ Other (please elaborate): ☐ always ☐ sometimes (please provide details below)

Comments/clarifications/additional information related to the answers provided above:

In the fact of bribing a foreign official is proved and confirmed by the ruling of the judicial system of the Russian Federation, Vnesheconombank, at its discretion, in some cases can make the necessary measures relating to funding the Export project and losses incurred by Vnesheconombank (in case of availability of such a provision in the credit agreement).

SECTION IV – PAST EXPERIENCE

Question 17

Please indicate by marking the appropriate boxes if you have had any experience with the following scenarios related to the time **before** credit, cover or other support has been approved:

	<i>You became aware that an exporter/ applicant was on one of the debarment lists that you verify, and...</i>	<i>You became aware that an exporter/ applicant was under charge in a national court for bribery, and...</i>	<i>You became aware that an exporter/ applicant had been convicted in a national court or had been subject to equivalent national administrative measures for bribery, and...</i>	<i>You have reason to believe that bribery may be involved in the transaction (e.g. press reports from a reputable source, information provided by participants in the transaction), and...</i>	<i>You became aware of credible evidence that bribery was involved in the award of the export contract for a transaction, and...</i>
... you notified law enforcement authorities.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
... you undertook enhanced due diligence.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
...you decided not to provide support for the transaction.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
...you suspended approval of the application pending the outcome of the enhanced due diligence process.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
...you suspended approval of the application pending the outcome of the legal process.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
... [other].	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<div></div>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
... [other].	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<div></div>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Please describe the circumstances of the actual incidents noted in the preceding table.³ Please also provide information on any actions that were taken as a result of situations not listed in the table (*e.g.* Members who review the details of agents' commissions as part of the standard application process should provide information on any actions that were taken as a result of the review of commissions).

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³ It is recognised that Members may not be able to provide certain information in respect of a given transaction, *e.g.* if the transaction is subject to an ongoing investigation or prosecution or if the information is commercially confidential.

Question 18

Please indicate by marking the appropriate boxes if you have had any experience with the following scenarios related to the time **after** credit, cover or other support has been approved:

	<i>You became aware that an exporter/ applicant was under charge in a national court for bribery, and...</i>	<i>You became aware that an exporter/ applicant had been convicted in a national court or had been subject to equivalent national administrative measures for bribery, and...</i>	<i>You have reason to believe that bribery may be involved in the transaction (e.g. press reports from a reputable source, information provided by participants in the transaction), and...</i>	<i>You became aware of credible evidence that bribery was involved in the award of the export contract for a transaction, and...</i>	<i>It was proven that bribery was involved in the award of the export contract for a transaction, and...</i>
... you notified law enforcement authorities.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
...you interrupted loan disbursements.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
...you invalidated export credit cover.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
...you did not indemnify a claim.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
...you sought recourse for disbursed loan amounts.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
...you sought recourse for claims that had already been paid.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
...denied access to official support for a specified period of time.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
... [other].	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
... [other].	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Please describe the circumstances of the actual incidents noted in the preceding table.⁴ Please also provide information on any actions that were taken as a result of situations not listed in the table.

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See footnote 3.

SECTION V – PRACTICAL APPLICATION OF KEY TERMS

Question 19

Please provide a detailed description of your **Enhanced Due Diligence Procedures**, addressing, *inter alia*:

- Whether they comprise verification that the exporter/applicant has in place appropriate management control systems that combat bribery.
- Whether the procedures seek to verify whether an exporter/applicant that has been debarred by an IFI (or any other entity checked under your procedures) or convicted of bribery has taken appropriate internal corrective and preventative measures after having been debarred or convicted.
- The treatment of agents' commissions under the procedures.

Verification of export projects whose funding will be carried out with state support for anti-corruption component was introduced in Vnesheconombank in Q3 2014. Due to this, the Bank has no practical developments on the extended expertise.

Question 20

Please describe how the term **Credible Evidence** is applied in practice under your system (*e.g.* who makes the assessment). Any Member who has adopted a definition which is broader (*i.e.* that sets a lower threshold) than the definition provided in footnote 5 of the OECD Council Recommendation on Bribery and Officially Supported export Credits should provide its definition.

The system has not been developed.

Question 21

Please describe how the term **national court** is applied under your system (*i.e.* does it apply to any national court, or is it limited to certain national courts such as your own and/or or the national courts of the buyer/borrower country).

Rulings of the judicial authorities of the Russian Federation are taken into account.

SECTION VI - FURTHER MEASURES

Question 22

Are you considering any further general measures to deter bribery and/or changes to your policies and practices described in the survey?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Comments on measures and/or actions under consideration:

Question 23

Would you be prepared to exchange information with other ECG Members about suspected and/or proven instances of bribery related to specific officially supported export credit transactions?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Comments:

SECTION VII – ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

Please provide any additional comments on the items covered in the survey, or in relation to any issue, policy, or practice which has not been addressed (including any additional measures you take to combat bribery).

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