

Delivering Justice for All: Committing to People-Centered Justice in Ukraine

Our Shared Ambition for a Just World

At the heart of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development lies a vision of a just, equitable, open and inclusive world in which the needs of the most vulnerable are met. The ambition to provide justice for all is a key pillar of SDG16 and its promise of peaceful, just and inclusive societies.

To achieve the goal of providing justice for all, we must:

- **place justice at the heart of sustainable development**
- **put people at the center of justice systems and**
- **move from justice for the few to justice for all**



We Need to Act Now

We must **bridge the justice gap** and work towards a world where governments are more responsive to their citizens, so that justice services help resolve people's justice problems, address systemic inequalities, revitalize disadvantaged communities, and rebuild the bonds of trust with the communities they serve.

We must commit to actions that are bold, transformative and that uplift the most marginalized and vulnerable across the globe. The importance and urgency for action on **people-centered justice** is too loud to ignore.

What are Commitments on Justice?

Commitments or actions on justice for all can take various forms:

New or scaled up policies, strategies, or initiatives for people-centered justice



Afghanistan has committed to developing a comprehensive legal aid system that is effective, sustainable and accessible

Increasing justice financing or redistribute existing resources more effectively



Nepal will explore innovative funding models for justice that will attract private investment and resources

Investing in better justice data and evidence to maximize impact and support innovation



HiiL will develop and share strategies to scale what works for the most pressing justice problems

Promoting international cooperation on justice to support national priorities through technical, programmatic, and financial support



The Netherlands will double the number of people justice through their development cooperation

Opening justice systems to empower people to access information and resolve their justice problems, and strengthen responsiveness to citizens through mechanisms of accountability



LegalApp, a free digital consultation tool, was launched in Colombia. The tool offers information on more than 260 "routes of justice" to solve a particular conflict/problem

Beyond the People-Centered Justice in Ukraine Virtual Meetings:

Following the national consultation series, the Justice for All team can aid in drafting and registering commitments, highlighting acceleration actions in the UN's Global Registry for the SDGs, and in sharing best practices and lessons learned on implementation. For more information, visit our website at:

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