Fostering Trust and Transparency in Governance: Investigating and Addressing the Requirements for Building Integrity in Public Sector Information System in the ICT Environment

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Case Studies

A draft of the Botswana report has been prepared. Clarifications on various details are being sought.

A summary of the findings of all the project's case studies will be presented as part of a general session at the Congress of the International Council on Archives to be held in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia in July. In addition, the International Development Research Centre funded video documentary on personnel and payroll in Sierra Leone (covered by one of the case studies) will also be shown in Kuala Lumpur.

Upcoming work:

• Finalise the Botswana case study report

Steering Committee

Logistical and administrative arrangements were undertaken for the final project Steering Committee Meeting. This is scheduled for 10 July 2008.

Upcoming work:

• Prepare the agenda and draft and distribute papers

Recordkeeping Performance Indicators

Work continued on drafting and refining indicators. A high level summary document is being prepared along with draft text for drill down indicators for PEFA – PFM Performance Management Framework. In addition, the detailed guide on Records and ICT Systems Statements of Good Practice and Indicators has been refined. This work will be discussed during the July Steering Committee video conference and in meeting with World Bank staff in Washington on 10 – 11 July. A brief outline of this work will be

presented as part of a general session at the Congress of the International Council on Archives to be held in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia in July.

Upcoming work:

• Refine and review the recordkeeping performance indicators

Training and Education Materials

Work continued on preparing and editing draft training modules. These will be discussed at the July Steering Committee meeting. They will also be presented as part of a training workshop and in general session at the Congress of the International Council on Archives to be held in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia in July.

Upcoming work:

• Continue to prepare and peer review draft training materials