

**1209 International Anti-Corruption Events**  
***Environmental Conservation and Enterprise Integrity Forum:***  
***Responsibility, Sustainability, and Competitiveness;***  
***Fulfill enterprise integrity, and demonstrate the will for***  
***anti-corruption acts***

On Monday, December 5<sup>th</sup>, 2016, the AAC of the Ministry of Justice cooperated with Taoyuan City Government in hosting the National Defense and Enterprise Integrity Responsibility, Sustainability, and Competitiveness Forum. The forum is part of 1209 International Anti-Corruption events. Many who are concerned about environmental sustainability and protection from governments, enterprises, and the academic field participated in the event. There were approximately 160 people who participated.

Chiu Tai-Shan, the Minister of Justice said that the UN Convention passed the Act to Implement United Nations Convention against Corruption in 2003. Despite ROC not being a member of the UN, in order to promote the anti-corruption acts and policies of the convention, the Executive Yuan has executed certain laws domestically, ensuring the legal effects of the convention within the country. The goal is to improve the prevention and anti-corruption system, enhance international cooperation on the policy, technical support, information trading, reclaim illegal assets, enhance government transparency and accountability, reinforce the cooperation between public and private sectors as well as social participation.

Chiu indicated that from November 9<sup>th</sup> to December 9<sup>th</sup>, the AAC worked with central and local governments to host a series of

international anti-corruption events nationwide, hoping to build public trust toward the government and increase enterprise integrity. The theme of the forum today is environmental protection and enterprise integrity. In addition to prosecuting illegal activities, obstacles that stop the city from improving, have to be eliminated too. It also aims to assist and promote various cooperate projects between the government and enterprises, so as to elevate the competence of the country and reach sustainable development.

Zheng Wen-Tsan, the Mayor of Taoyuan City, indicated that openness is an important declaration for the new city administration. The mayor has no other agents or so-called “cover-up”, nor is there anyone who can represent the mayor himself. Every issue can be brought to the city hall and will be recorded in order to achieve transparency within the governments, stopping the custom of factions pulling strings from above.

In the speech, Mayor Zheng also introduce the New United Accountability Mechanism, made up by alliances including: Executive Yuan, Environmental Protection Administration, Taoyuan Environment Protection Department, Police Stations, and Taoyuan Prosecutors Office. For those who violate environmental crimes such as violation of land preservation, waste disposal...etc, these violations belongs to Normal Administrative Punishment under the supervision of Environment Department of each City Halls. If the violation has relation with crime liability, the case will be handed over to Taoyuan Prosecution Office. With these measure, can truly deter environment crime from happening.

The forum is focused on environmental protection and sustainability. Minister Chiu, Minister Zheng, Peng Kun-Yeh, Head

Prosecutor of the Taoyuan District Prosecutors Office, Lai Jhe-Hsiung, Director-General of the AAC, Liao Hsin-Chung, CEO of Transparency International Chinese Taipei, and seven representatives companies from major public projects are to sign of the “Declaration of Integrity” on major public projects. Tseng Di-Hua, Environmental Engineering Professor of National Central University, Ge Wang-Ping, CEO of O’right, Liu Guang-Ji, Director of anti-corruption division of AAC also participated in the forum, proposing environmental awareness and concrete participation and practices. Solidify enterprise integrity, and demonstrate the will in anti-corruption tasks.



【Minister Chiu of Ministry of Justice , delivering his speech.】



【 Zheng Wen-Tsan, Mayor of Taoyuan City delivering his speech.】



【 Signing of the Declaration of Integrity】

Minister Chiu of Ministry of Justice (left 6), Mayor Zheng of Taoyuan City (right 6), Peng Kun-Yeh, Head Prosecutor of Taoyuan District Prosecutors Office (right 5), Lai Jhe-Syong, Director-General of AAC (left 5), Liao Hsin-Chung, CEO of Transparency International Chinese Taipei (right 4), Lee Wen-Chien, Manager of Taiwan Shiyi Industrial Consulting Agency (right 3), Lee Hsin-Chung, General Manager of He Chi Construction Company (right 2), Hu Nien-Ying, General Manager of Ge Ding Water Construction Enterprise (right 1), Yu Jhen-Hsiang, Special Manager of Chin Tsu Industrial Consulting Agency (left 4), Chiu Ling-Bin, CEO of Chun Tsin Industrial Consulting Agency (left 3), Yu Chin-Fu, Vice President of Ge Fu Construction Agency (left 2), Chung Chih-Cheng, General Manager of Chun Ding Water Construction Corp. (left 1).



【The Forum】

From right to left: Liu Guang-Ji, Director of Anti-Corruption Division of AAC, Hao Chung-Hsin, Head Prosecutor of Taoyuan District Prosecutors Office, Liao Hsin-Zhong, Deputy CEO of Transparency International Chinese Taipei, Shen Fong-Liang, Head of Ethic Unit of Taoyuan City Government, Tseng Di-Hua, Honorary Professor of National Central University's Graduate Institute of Environmental Engineering, Ge Wang-Pin, CEO of O'right, Shen Chih-Siou, Director of Environmental Protection Bureau of Taoyuan City Government, Chu Song-Wei, Director of Economic Development Agency of Taoyuan City Government.