## OPEN GOVERNMENT PATHWAY



**OGP** 



Australian Government

The Australian Government process and how citizens contributed to Australia's first Open Government Partnership National Action Plan.

The Open Government Partnership (OGP) is a global initiative created to help governments be transparent, accountable, responsive to citizens and fight corruption. Governments, civil society, and the private sector work together to develop ideas to implement ambitious open government reforms and commit to an action plan every two years. OGP coordinators and support units are on hand to help.



**Civil Society** & Citizens



**Everyone** 





2011 (August)

Australia invited to join Open Government Partnership (OGP)



Open

Government

Partnership

launched

2011-2015

Citizens and

Ministers encourage

Government to

join OGP

2012

2015 (24 November)



Civil Society connect with OGP Support Unit



Prime Minister Turnbull writes to OGP confirming Australia's commitment to our 1st National Action Plan (NAP). Deadline July 2016



(11 April)

2016 (31 March)

Suggestion

2016

2015 (December)



One day workshop Canberra. ("Commitment

templates" drafted)

63 people attend: 36 citizens, small businesses

- and civil society organisations 2 state gov (QLD, NT, NSW) 1 NSW Information
  - Commissioner 16 federal gov

6 PMC team 2 OGP support unit





Australian Civil

Society Network is established

Government run awareness workshops in Brisbane, Sydney, Canberra, Melbourne

People start submitting ideas to Prime Minister and Cabinet (PMC)

6 months to "cocreate" ambitious open government reforms (a lot of pressure - limited resources)

210 suggested actions from 93 individuals and organisations





Government suggestions to go in 1st National Action Plan

(6 May)

announces joining EITI

- Extractive Industries

Transparency Initiative

(oil, gas and mining)





(May)

election announced



2016 (2 July)

Federal Election



OGP notified Civil Society request National Action Government establish Plans to be a way for plans to be delivered 31 co-created October



PLANNING

(18 November)

(31 October)

(5 Sept - 7 Oct)



Deadline for Draft NAP



Government release draft National Action Plan to the general public



4 Interim Working Group meetings take place in Canberra



Network puts pressure on Government to broaden scope and ambition of the plan

(August)



14 draft commitments proposed by Government released

6 government and 6 civil society

1 co chair from Government 1 co chair from Civil Society

2016 (August)



working group

(21 November)

(7 December)

(7 - 9 December)

(21 November)

2017

2018

Interim Working Group meeting in Canberra to discuss responses

Australia's 1st National Action Plan released

OGP Summit in Paris. People from over the world gather to share knowledge



Minister Cormann, PMC staff and 6 civil society attend Paris Summit

IMPLEMENTATION



starts

ACTION PLAN Implementation

2nd National Action Plan to be drafted

TO BE CONTINUED...

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