

Dialogue and the Action Plan

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Why public-private sector dialogue?

- Public authorities need external information regarding:
 - Existing situation
 - Proposed reforms
- Exchange of information, priorities and limitations
- Involvement and ownership
- Capacity-building of both public and private sectors

Why an Action Plan?

- Legislative reform instrument
- Addresses issues raised in dialogue
- Comprehensive, cross-ministerial
- Includes:
 - problems
 - feasible solutions
 - responsible government institutions or persons
 - deadlines
 - performance indicators

Stakeholders

- Political leadership
- Steering Committee
- Secretariat
- Selecting the participants
 - From the public sector
 - From the private sector

Reform measures

- legislative change
- revision of procedures
- coordination of institutions
- preparation of information
- training

Discussion

1. How easy or difficult is it to **get the appropriate participants together?**
2. How easy or difficult is it to **agree on priorities?**
3. How easy or difficult is it to **agree on concrete reform measures?**
4. How can the **dialogue process be improved?**
5. Is **dialogue worth it?**